



Deputy Sheriff - Custodial

Salary Range: \$32.73 - 39.78/hourly

Continuous Recruitment

The Deputy Sheriff – Custodial position escorts, receives, registers, controls, supervises, and cares for inmates and may be assigned to the County Jail, Public Safety Center, Court Services or Minimum Housing. Deputies must be mature, emotionally stable, and able to work effectively in an environment that is often hostile, unpredictable, and occasionally unpleasant. Deputies must have the ability to direct and instruct groups of inmates, have a tolerant attitude towards those confined, be able to respond to a wide variety of situations, and exercise sound judgment. This position is also required to work under a "No Hostage Policy" setting and performs related duties as assigned.

Typical Tasks

- Receives, books, searches, attends, and releases inmates in the County Jail, Public Safety Center; or Minimum Housing;
- Maintains order and discipline among inmates;
- Types booking slips, head-count rosters, incident reports, and other forms as required;
- Serves as a hospital guard;
- Inspects sanitation and oversees the feeding of inmates;
- Supervises the daily activities of inmates;
- Analyzes situations accurately and adopts an effective course of action quickly;
- Escorts and transports inmates to and from the clinic, court, hospital, and state institutions;
- Serves as storekeeper and issues daily supplies;
- Appoints and supervises trustees; and
- Makes arrests pursuant to Penal Code Section 831.5

Experience / Education

- Graduation from high school or passage of high school level General Education Development (GED) test **AND**
- Successfully complete the training course pursuant to 831.5 PC (as prescribed by POST) and the jail operations course pursuant to 6035 PC (as prescribed by the Corrections Standards Authority) within six (6) months from the date of employment **AND**
- Physical/manipulative abilities required by the department **AND**
- Mental/cognitive abilities required by the department **AND**
- Must be of good moral character and must not have been convicted of a crime for which the punishment could have been imprisonment in a Federal penitentiary or a State prison **AND**
- Possess and maintain a valid California Driver's License **AND**
- Not less than 21 years of age at time of appointment **AND**
- Normal vision not worse than 20/100 correctable to 20/20.

Entry into the Deputy Sheriff – Custodial classification offers career opportunities in custodial correction work.

Deputy Sheriff – Custodial personnel are peace officers whose authority extends to any place in the state only while engaged in the performance of the duties of his or her respective employment and for the purpose of carrying out the primary function of employment relating to his or her custodial assignment. This classification should not be confused with that of the Deputy Sheriff, whose authority to act as a peace officer has no time restrictions.

Uniform Allowance:

New hires will receive 50% of the annual uniform allowance on first pay check then receive monthly payments starting the seventh month (\$1,220.00 = annual allowance)

Educational Pay Incentives:

Level I Certificate = 5% pay increase

Degree		Law Enforcement Experience
Bachelor Degree	and	2 years
Associate Degree	and	4 years

Level II Certificate = 7.5% pay increase

Degree		Law Enforcement Experience
Master Degree	and	4 years
Bachelor Degree	and	6 years
Associate Degree	and	9 years