

George Latimer
County Executive



COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION

Westchester County Government is actively searching for qualified candidates for *Commissioner of Correction*. The Westchester County Department of Correction (WCDOC) serves the public by providing an efficient, secure and humane means of detaining individuals with criminal matters pending in Westchester County.

Under general direction of the County Executive, an incumbent in this position plans, directs, coordinates and evaluates the programs and activities of the Westchester County Department of Correction. In accordance with federal, state and local laws, the incumbent formulates and implements goals and objectives for the efficient operation of the department comprised of five divisions; Administration, Penitentiary, Jail, Women's Correctional Unit and Secure Hospital Ward. Two primary responsibilities of the Commissioner are: (1) to provide a safe and secure environment for citizens of Westchester and the inmate population and (2) to provide training and opportunities for rehabilitation.

Preference will be given to those candidates who possess a Bachelor's Degree in correctional administration or an allied field (e.g. criminology, sociology) and ten years of increasingly responsible uniformed or executive level experience in correctional administration which included security and/or custodial functions and methods of educating and rehabilitating inmates. A Master's Degree in Correctional Administration or Criminology is preferred.

Compensation: The Commissioner of Correction is an Executive Level appointed position, reporting directly to the County Executive, with a competitive salary. The compensation package includes comprehensive benefits, including medical, dental, vision, deferred compensation, paid leave and NYS retirement plan.

Come join our leadership team!

Submit your letter of interest and resume to jobs@westchestergov.com

Important: Please indicate **Commissioner of Correction** in the subject line of your e-mail.

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About Westchester County...

Westchester County, located in the heart of the historic Hudson Valley, covers 500 square miles and has a population of just under a million. Originally home to Native Americans, who were members of the Lenape tribe, it is today a rich mix of many cultures and landscapes. The County is a blend of bustling cities, quaint villages and picturesque towns as well as open spaces and a network of beautiful parks. The County is also an intellectual capital, boasting a highly educated workforce, competitive colleges and universities, Fortune 500 companies, world changing non-profits, and cutting-edge research centers.