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### Department of Juvenile Justice Recruiting in DECEMBER DJJ Recruiters to Visit Atlanta & Eastman

(Atlanta & Eastman - GA) The North Druid Hills-Atlanta Department of Labor and Eastman Chamber of Commerce Hall are highlighted on this month's DJJ recruitment calendar.

Georgia's Juvenile Justice Commissioner, Avery D. Niles, is directing teams of DJJ recruiters to interview eligible candidates for **Juvenile Corrections Officer (JCO)** positions during **DECEMBER** job fairs. Recruiters are seeking applicants to fill JCO-1 positions in DJJ's secure facilities at Metro, DeKalb, Atlanta, and Clayton and Eastman, Georgia locations.

The Department of Juvenile Justice has immediate openings for professional corrections officer candidates who can help guide Georgia's young offenders to make successful reentry from juvenile custody into productive society as law-abiding citizens.

Commissioner Niles says, *"Thanks to our team of dedicated correctional professionals, Juvenile Justice Reform is working. DJJ is a great place to make your work count."* A schedule of **DECEMBER** Recruitment Fairs is listed below. There is no charge for participation at these job fairs.

\*Please note career fair times and locations may change OR additional job fair dates may be added to our recruiting schedule. Applicants should check the DJJ website for late-breaking schedule changes at [www.djjcareers.org](http://www.djjcareers.org) **BEFORE** visiting a DJJ Recruiter.

Date: Thursday, **December 10th, 2015** - **GENERAL PUBLIC**

Department of Labor  
2941 North Druid Hills  
**Atlanta**, GA. 30329

Time: **9:00 AM – 2:00PM**

Contact: Joseph Barnett (404) 679-5200

Career Fair for **JCO-1 positions at:**

**Martha K. Glaze RYDC**  
**DeKalb RYDC**

**Metro RYDC**  
**Atlanta YDC**

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AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Date: Tuesday, **December 15th, 2015** - **GENERAL PUBLIC**

Chamber of Commerce Hall

1646 College St

**Eastman**, GA 31023

Time: 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Contact: Marcia Coley (912) 739-7158

**Career Fair for JCO-1 positions at:**

**Eastman YDC and RYDC**

All job seekers can click on [www.djjcareers.org](http://www.djjcareers.org) for more information about career opportunities in juvenile corrections. DJJ recruiters are authorized to interview qualified JCO candidates on-the spot! Applicants should come dressed professionally and bring resumes.

In order to progress smoothly through the interview process for Juvenile Corrections Officers, candidates for JCO positions should bring copies of the following personal documents:

- Valid Driver License
- Completed State of Georgia application and/or resume with Test Scores
- Social Security Card
- Birth Certificate
- High School Diploma or GED
- Naturalization Forms (if NON-US Citizen)
- DD214 Long Form with military discharge indicated
- If P.O.S.T. Certified, (Please bring two (2) forms of Gov. issued ID & P.O.S.T. Profile)

**Note:** Effective November 1, 2013, all applicants for a JCO-1 position are required to take the Compass Exam *prior* to submitting an application for employment. Applications for JCO-1 positions will only be considered with accompanying passing test scores.

Candidates should bring Passing Test Scores as follows to attach copy with employment application:

- SAT Scores (Verbal: 430 Math: 400)
- ACT Scores (Verbal: 18 Math:16)\*\*
- CPE Scores (Reading: 75 Math: 75 English 75)
- Compass Scores (Reading: 70 Writing 32)\*\*

**\*\*Applicants with a 4-year degree from an accredited college or university OR a current POST certification are *EXEMPT* from taking the Compass test or providing proof of acceptable SAT or ACT scores. However, the applicant must provide a copy of the college degree or POST profile with their completed application.**

Former military service members with *Honorable Discharge* should click on [www.djjcareers.org](http://www.djjcareers.org) to learn about DJJ's *one-time Military Salary Increase Incentive* on eligible job titles at "DJJ Careers for Veterans".

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***"DJJ is a great place to make your work count."***

Avery D. Niles, Commissioner

Georgia Department of Juvenile Justice