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TRENTON – The [New Jersey Department of Corrections](#) (NJDOC) is partnering with the [New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development](#) (NJDOL) to co-host a series of virtual career fairs during the month of February for individuals considering a career in New Jersey law enforcement. The departments will provide participants with details about the application process, qualifications, recommended preparation practices, and general guidance for beginning a career as a Correctional Police Officer.

The schedule below outlines several opportunities to learn more about starting a career with the NJDOC, along with a chance for participants to meet virtually with officers from the Correctional Staff Training Academy.

The virtual career fairs will be held on Microsoft [Teams](#) on the following dates and times:

Monday, February 3 – 6pm (For individuals living in/around Northern NJ)

Tuesday, February 11 – 6pm (For individuals living in/around Central NJ)

Friday, February 21 – 6pm (For individuals living in/around Southern NJ)

Monday, February 24 – 9am (Statewide)

Monday, February 24 – 1pm (Statewide)

Registration is required to participate in the career fair. To register, visit [NJDOC Virtual Recruitment Registration](#).

Starting salaries for NJDOC Correctional Police Officers now begin at approximately \$51,400 upon graduation from the Academy. Salaries for Senior Correctional Police Officers now range from \$70,500 up to \$106,000 annually. In addition to a competitive salary, NJDOC Correctional Police Officers can also earn a wide variety of benefits – paid time off, excellent health benefits (including dental and vision), education reimbursement, maternity and family leave, disability benefits and leave, military benefits and leave, retirement benefits, and more.

For those interested in learning more about a career at NJDOC, visit www.JoinNJDOC.gov today for detailed information and to start the application process online.

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