



State of New Jersey

Department of Human Services

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The New Jersey Department of Human Services invites you to apply for the following position:

JOB POSTING #:	015-26	ISSUE DATE:	1/26/2026	CLOSING DATE:	7/26/2026
TITLE:	Operating Engineer 1				
LOCATION:	Vineland Developmental Center 1676 E. Landis Avenue Vineland, NJ 08362-1513	RANGE:	C16		
		SALARY:	\$50,539.44 - \$73,385.74		
		UNIT SCOPE(S):	K487		
OPEN TO:	General Public	SERV. CLASS:	Non Competitive		

DESCRIPTION

DEFINITION: Under supervision of a supervisor in a state institution, department, or agency, takes a leading part in the operation and maintenance of power and heating plants and auxiliary equipment; does related work as required.

NOTE: The examples of work for this title are for illustrative purposes only. A particular title may not perform all duties listed in this job specification. Conversely, all duties performed on the job may not be listed.

****ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS WILL BE BASED UPON INFORMATION PRESENTED IN THE RESUME ONLY**

****THIS POSTING MAY BE USED TO FILL FUTURE VACANCIES**

****SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENTS MAY BE REQUIRED**

REQUIREMENTS

EXPERIENCE:	Two (2) years of experience in work involving the operation and repair of stationary steam boilers and auxiliary equipment of a power plant or high pressure heating plant.
LICENSE:	Appointees must possess an appropriate Operating Engineer's license (Blue Seal minimum) of the appropriate grade, issued by the New Jersey Department of Labor. NOTE: Candidates will be admitted to the examination who possess any grade Operating Engineer's license, but appointments to specific vacancies will be contingent upon possession of the appropriate license for the size and type equipment involved. Appointee will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than mobility, is necessary to perform the essential duties of the positions.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

FOREIGN DEGREES:	Degrees and/or transcripts issued by a college or university outside of the United States <i>must be evaluated</i> by a reputable evaluation service at your expense. The evaluation must be included with your submission. Failure to submit the required evaluation may result in an ineligibility determination.
RESIDENCY:	In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14-7 (NJ PL 70), the "New Jersey First Act", all employees must reside in the State of New Jersey (NJ), unless exempted under the law. If you do not live in NJ, you have (1) year after you begin employment to relocate your residence to NJ.
DRUG SCREENING:	If you are a candidate for a position with DHS, you may be subject to pre and/or post-employment drug testing/screening. The cost of any pre-employment testing <i>will be at your expense</i> . Candidates with a positive drug test result, or those who refuse to be tested and/or cooperate with the testing requirement, will not be hired. You will be advised if the position for which you're being considered requires drug testing and how it's administered.
CIVIL SERVICE LISTS:	Applicable regular or special re-employment list(s) established as a result of a layoff will be used before promotions are made. All appointments will be made utilizing the procedures and guidelines in accordance with N.J.A.C. 4A.
SAME PROGRAM:	If you are applying under the NJ State as a Model Employer "SAME" program, your supporting documents (Schedule A or B letter), must be submitted along with your resume by the closing date indicated above. For more information on the SAME Program visit their website at: https://nj.gov/csc/same/overview/index.shtml , email: CSC-SAME@csc.nj.gov , or call CSC at (609) 292-4144,
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS:	In accordance with the "Pay Transparency Act", the NJ State Benefits Package includes: State Health Benefits Program (medical, dental, prescription drug and vision care); Pension; Deferred Compensation; Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) participation; Tuition Reimbursement; Flexible and Health Spending Accounts (FSA/HSA); Paid holidays; Paid Leave (vacation days, sick days and administrative leave days); Life Insurance; Tax\$ave; NJ Well; State Employee Discount Program; Employee Advisory Service (EAS); Please be advised that eligibility for any of the benefits listed may vary pursuant to job duties, operational need, funding, policy, procedures and/or guidelines.

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

Forward a cover letter, resume, and transcript (if applicable) **electronically** to:

Ddd-vdc.Humanresources@dhs.nj.gov

You must include the Job *Posting #*, and *Last Name* in the subject line of your email. Example: (123-25, Smith)

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