



## SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES, PUBLIC SERVICES

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## CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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### CAREER EXPLORATION & EMPLOYMENT

What can I do in  
this career field?

[O-NET OnLine](#)

Is this career field  
right for me?



Will this career field  
meet the needs of my  
family?



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### 2 YR DEGREES

#### Associate in Criminal Justice

104-107 credits

Sample [Two Year Degree Plan](#)

(Meets General DTA Requirements)

### PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

#### Criminal Analysis & Investigations

Certificate Information

43 credits, Fully Online, 1 year  
program

### SPECIALTY CERTIFICATE OPTIONS

#### Criminal Justice

44-47 Credits

#### Forensic Technology

47 Credits

#### Explorer Cadet Pre-Law Enforcement

42 Credits

### ARTICULATED 4 YR DEGREES

Central Washington University  
@ Pierce College-FS

University of Washington Tacoma

St. Martins at Centralia

The Evergreen State College

University of Maryland University  
College

Brandman University

University of Phoenix

### JOB OUTLOOK AND WAGES

Corrections Deputy

Criminal Justice and Law  
Enforcement Teachers,  
Postsecondary

Detectives and Criminal  
Investigators

Police and Patrol Officers

Sheriffs & Deputy Sheriffs

Police, Fire, and Ambulance  
Dispatchers

Forensic Science Technicians

First-Line Supervisors of Police  
and Detectives

Wages & titles will vary based  
on a combination of education  
and experience

**Better Promotability,  
Higher Pay,  
Leadership  
Opportunities**

### EMPLOYMENT AND INDUSTRY CONNECTIONS

Washington State Board for Community and Technical  
Colleges and Pierce College presents:

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**RELATED  
PROGRAMS:**

**Fire Command  
and  
Administration**

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Services**

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