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Police medical exam disqualifiers

A thorough medical exam and drug screening is required as one of the final steps in the law enforcement hiring process. This exam is typical of any physical you have had previously in your life. The drug screening is also common in many jobs nowadays. The exam will include the following: General Health Metrics - height, weight, temperature and medical history. Blood test for serious diseases or illegal substances. Urine sample - looking for illegal substances. Hair Sample - sometime used for prior drug use. Flexibility Test - part of physical readiness check. Smell test - make sure your nose works. Eye Exam (Typical standard) Applicants who wear eyeglasses or contact lenses must meet minimum standards of visual acuity. Vision with corrective lenses should not be less than 20/20 in the better eye, 20/40 in the worst eye, and 20/20 with both eyes open. Uncorrected vision should not be less than 20/200 in either eye. Can you differentiate colors accurately? Hearing test for minimum department standards? Stress Test - usually conducted with some form of cardio monitor to see how your body reacts to physical stress and how well your heart returns to normal heart rate. Drug Screen - bring any of your doctor's prescriptions you normally use in case the drug test picks them up. Any illegal substances detected during this screen will immediately eliminate you for the hiring process. Reddit and its partners use cookies and similar technologies to provide you with a better experience. By accepting all cookies, you agree to our use of cookies to deliver and maintain our services and site, improve the quality of Reddit, personalize Reddit content and advertising, and measure the effectiveness of advertising. By rejecting non-essential cookies, Reddit may still use certain cookies to ensure the proper functionality of our platform. For more information, please see our [Cookie Notice](#) and our [Privacy Policy](#).