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### **Division of Personnel Announces Correction Officer Entrance Examination Territory-wide**

The Division of Personnel and VI Bureau of Corrections advise the public of the Correction Officer Entrance Examination. The registration for the written examination begins **Monday, April 17, 2023**, and ends **Friday, April 28, 2023**. To register, complete the application package online at [www.dopusvi.org](http://www.dopusvi.org). The deadline for submission is **Friday, April 28, 2023**. The exam is scheduled to be held on May 22-26, 2023

Applicants seeking to apply must be 20 years of age, but not older than 46 years old. You must have a high school diploma or an equivalent certification from an accredited institution. Applicants must have Motor Vehicle Operator's License. In addition, applicants must pass a Civil Service online examination, physical agility test, psychological exam, oral board interview, and a comprehensive background check.

The following applicants are **exempt** from sitting the written examination; however, they are required to meet **all** other established criteria:

- Persons holding a degree in any field of study (Associate and above) from an accredited institution.
- All honorably discharged veterans from any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces (DD214)
- Certified Correction Officers from any U.S. jurisdiction correctional facility in good standing.

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