

Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Examination Announcement
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The U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM) is announcing it will open the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Examination to interested applicants in the near future by posting a job announcement on USAJOBS (www.usajobs.gov/).

With over 1 million people waiting on a hearing decision, the Social Security Administration faces an unprecedented service crisis—one that can only be resolved with a corps of dedicated public servants who are committed to helping the American people. SSA Administrative Law Judges (ALJs) work in hearing offices throughout the country conducting impartial de novo hearings and issuing decisions to claimants seeking SSA benefits. As one of the Top Ten Best Places to Work in the federal government, SSA offers generous benefits and leave policies, flexible schedules, and many special programs that promote a healthy work/life balance for our employees. If you or someone you know is a licensed attorney with seven years of experience and you want to make a difference in the lives of Americans and their families across the nation, please visit the [OPM website](#) to learn more about joining SSA's team.

All interested individuals are encouraged to monitor OPM's website and USAJOBS to watch for opening of the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Examination.

[Link to OPM Press Release Regarding ALJ Exam](#)

OPM Memo

[Link to ALJ Recruitment Video](#)