

Job Title:

Psychology Resident: One year post-doctoral residency in clinical psychology (03 Billet)

Job Description:

This position is for a one year post-doctoral residency in clinical psychology for a psychologist completing requirements for independent licensure. The PHS resident will participate in the psychology residency program at Brooke Army Medical Center along with Army psychology residents. Under the supervision of the faculty, the resident will provide clinical care to active duty military service members and their families, provide health psychology services, provide interdisciplinary consultation with other medical departments, develop leadership and clinic management skills, and complete an external rotation on an Army infantry post focused on the development of operational psychological skills. The resident will also participate in didactic training to include classes in the practice of psychology in military and deployed settings, psychopharmacology, clinical supervision, evidenced based treatment for PTSD, and other topics. Progression toward licensure is a major focus of the year, with support for passing the Examination for Professional Practice of Psychology (EPPP) provided. Applicants accepted into this position will incur a service obligation as a PHS officer. The obligation is based on a 2 for 1 payback upon completion of the residency year (for example, 1 year of residency sponsorship = 2 year service obligation).

(At minimum 51% of the officer's time will be spent on direct mental health patient care and/or mental health clinical management.)

Requirements:

Training: The candidate must possess a qualifying doctoral degree in clinical or counseling psychology from an American Psychological Association (APA) accredited university or professional psychology program.

Additional Requirements:

There will be on-call responsibilities associated with this position. Applicant for this position must complete all requirements for the degree of Ph.D or Psy.D in clinical or counseling psychology from an APA accredited institution by 1 NOV 2012. Due to Army requirements, both the graduate school and pre-doctoral internship must be APA accredited in order to be considered for this position. Applicants will be required to interview with members of the residency faculty in order to be considered for this position.

Location Description:

Brooke Army Medical Center
Fort Sam Houston, TX 78234

Contact Information:

To apply please e-mail your CV and cover letter to dodphsph@hhs.gov. The cover letter should reference this job announcement, state your date of availability, introduce yourself, and provide your contact information to include name, phone, and e-mail address.

*****To be considered for this position, you must have applied to the Commissioned Corps, if you are not already a current officer*****