

Job Title:

U.S. Air Force Base: Clinical Psychologist, Whiteman AFB (O3 to O4 billet)

Job Description:

The primary duties would be to provide direct mental health, substance abuse assessment/treatment and outreach services to beneficiaries, which may include active duty, family members and retirees. This care includes individual and group psychotherapy; marital counseling and psycho-educational. Additional services include administrating and interpreting psychological testing and performing specialized occupational evaluations/clearances such as special duty, relocation/overseas, security clearance; command directed; medical evaluation boards and administrative separation. Outreach activities include assisting the Family Advocacy Program (FAP), the Alcohol Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment (ADAPT) program or the Suicide Prevention program. Additional outreach activities might include providing unit briefings on mental health issues or speaking to a deployed spouses group. USPHS psychologists would be expected to perform administrative functions such as developing productivity reports, managing clinic templates based on the needs of the local clinic. USPHS officers are expected to participate in day and after-hours call schedule. In all cases, specific duties would be based on the needs of the local clinic. While USPHS officers assigned to an Air Force MTF typically do not fill a leadership position, such as Flight Commander or Element Chief, these roles are not precluded.

(At minimum 51% of the officer's time will be in clinical mental health work.)

Requirements:

License: A current, unrestricted, and valid license as a clinical psychologist from a U.S. State, District of Columbia, Commonwealth, Territory, or other jurisdiction is required.

Training: The candidate must possess a qualifying doctoral degree in clinical psychology from an American Psychological Association (APA) accredited university or professional psychology program. Shall have completed an APA accredited internship/residency in clinical psychology.

Additional Requirements:

Minimum 3 year commitment.

Location Description:

Whiteman Air Force Base is located in the city of Knob Noster, Missouri, which is 10 minutes from Warrensburg, Missouri a charming college town hosting the University of Central Missouri. Nearby cities, such as Independence, Lee's Summit, and Kansas City, Missouri are all within a 1-1.5 hour drive of the base. The Kansas City area offers a variety of activities for singles, couples and families, such as The Plaza shopping district, the Power and Light District, the Kansas City Zoo, Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art, City Market, Worlds of Fun amusement park, and a wide variety of restaurants. You can also enjoy the many state parks and lakes, such as Lake of the Ozarks and Table Rock Lake.

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*****