

**Job Title:** Psychiatrist: Ft. Belvoir, VA (O-4 billet)

**Job Description:** Examines and conducts thorough studies of presenting patients, evaluates laboratory and clinical findings, determines neuropsychiatric and substance use diagnoses, prescribes appropriate treatment and arranges appropriate consultation and follow up of inpatient neuropsychiatric patients with problems of all complexities. Collaborates with physicians in other medical specialties on cases involving complicated and multifaceted problems. The psychiatrist is expected to exercise initiative and sound judgment in establishing evaluation techniques, developing treatment (including psychopharmacology, psychotherapy or other milieu-based therapies) and rehabilitation plans. Independently manages cases and performs appropriate documentation of the above. Makes complex clinical and administrative decisions, such as recommending hospitalization or determining a service member's fitness for duty or completing a Medical Evaluation Board (MEB), Temporary Disability Retirement List (TDRL) evaluations, psychological autopsies, sanity boards, command consultations, other administrative processes as required and prepares reports of such evaluations according to applicable regulations. Makes referrals to appropriate agencies for substance use disorders, family or domestic violence and sexual assault. Maintains appropriate communication with referring or gaining providers; families of patients and with chain of command of military service members as required. Participates fully in graduate and post-graduate medical education. Maintains a high sense of professionalism, competency, and courtesy consistent with high professional medical standards. Ensures that services provided adhere to the highest standards for clinical care. Must be willing to participate in the emergency on-call process, to include duty hours, after duty hours, designated holidays or other areas as directed.

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

**Requirements:** A valid, unrestricted state license in any state in the United States, District of Columbia or the territory of Puerto Rico to practice medicine, Certified by American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

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

*Training:* A candidate must possess a qualifying Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) or Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) degree from a medical school that is accredited by the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association or Bureau of Professional Education, Committee on Colleges of the American Osteopathic Association, respectively. However, candidates who are graduates of medical schools that are not located in a U.S. State, District of Columbia, Commonwealth Territory or other jurisdiction, or a Province or Territory of Canada, may be appointed if they are certified by the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG) and meet all other requirements for appointment.

Must possess current board certification from the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology or the American Osteopathic, Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

Minimum 3 year commitment.

**Location Description:**

Fort Belvoir, VA

**Contact Information:** To apply please e-mail your CV and cover letter to [dodphsph@hhs.gov](mailto: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, address, phone, and e-mail address.