

Job Title:

ARMY: Psychiatrist -Troop Medical Clinic, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, AK (O-6 billet, Non-Supervisory)

Job Description:

Serve as psychiatrist within the Department of Behavioral Health. Diagnoses and treats patients through cognitive and therapeutic testing, interviews and observation, and prescribes medications. Collaborates with primary care, other medical services within the Military Treatment Facility, clinics, Emergency Department, surgical services, healthcare providers and treatment team members to ensure the highest degree of quality patient care is maintained.

Specific Duties:

- Treat and direct treatment of patients utilizing a variety of psychotherapeutic methods and medications.
- Provide direct patient care, psychiatric consultation assessment, treatment planning, general healthcare, and medical and psychosocial approaches.
- Conduct psychiatric assessments, including psychiatric history in order to establish diagnoses and determine the appropriate course of action to include continued outpatient care or psychiatric hospital admission.
- Collaborate with the nurse practitioner and/or clinical nurse specialist, in assessment, treatment planning, general healthcare, and medical and psychosocial approaches.
- Regularly review patient progress and treatment to determine future best courses of action.
- Provide consultation and training to other team members regarding patient psychiatric and medical care including pharmacologic management needs.
- Work with the treatment team and engage Army leadership as needed to develop and implement person-centered individual treatment plans which address psychiatric issues.
- Educate patients and families about medications, symptoms, illness, and possible side effects.
- Participates in special projects/performs other duties as assigned.
- Requires ongoing compliance with productivity standards outlined in current OTSG/MEDOM policy.

Maintains all basic readiness standards as required by the U.S. Public Health Service. Requires a Secret clearance.

PHS officers assigned under this Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) must remain available for PHS deployments. Under this MOA, PHS officers are not authorized to deploy with the military.

Requirements:

License: A Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) or Doctor of Osteopathy (O.D.) degree and successfully completed an internship, residency in Psychiatry and/or Psychiatry Fellowship in an accredited Psychiatry Training Program approved by Council of Medical Education and Hospital of the American Association, or American Osteopathic Association; A Board certification from American Board of Psychiatry and neurology or American Osteopathic, Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, current, unrestricted, and valid license to practice medicine from a U.S. State (as defined in 42 USC 201 (f)) is required.

Additional Requirements:

Must be an active PHS psychiatrist in good professional standing. Expertise in the use/oversight of psychotropic medication is required. Experience working with the DoD/Army is preferred.

Location Description:

600 Richardson Drive
Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, AK 99505

Contact Information:

To apply, please e-mail your CV, cover letter, recommendation letter from current supervisor, professional license copy and last 3 COERs to dodphsph@hhs.gov
The cover letter should reference this specific job announcement, state your date of availability, introduce yourself, and provide your contact information to include name, phone, and e-mail address.