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FOCUS AREA

Agency leadership has determined that this position meets Criteria 4: Assignment requires regular engagement with other uniformed services.

POSITION TITLE

Clinical Psychologist (0-5, Non-Supervisory) Kenner Army Health Clinic, Fort Lee, Virginia

LOCATION DESCRIPTION

Welcome to Kenner Army Health Clinic, Fort Lee's premier military system for health. At KAHC, we are focused on our patients' health and wellness. We are dedicated to preventing illness and injury and prompting healing. This system for health enables ready and resilient Soldiers, families and communities.

We maintain the readiness of America's fighting men and women through care that maintains, restores and improves their ability to deploy on a moment's notice anywhere in the world. And when our Soldiers deploy, we ensure that a ready medical force is ready to deploy with them, professionally trained and ready to provide world class care. Kenner Army Health Clinic prides itself on building a healthier Army and healthier nation each and every day.

CLOSING DATE

Open until filled

*** JOB DESCRIPTION***

Specific duties and responsibilities include, but are not limited to the following:

Serves as Clinical Psychologist for Army Behavioral Health. Conducts psychological testing and integrates results of test data with psycho diagnostic interview data and data from other sources to formulate biopsychosocial diagnostic impressions, treatment plans, and recommendations. Provides direct care to include individual and group psychotherapy, training, consultation and other services typically provided by a clinical psychologist. Responsibilities also include providing consultation to patients. Must have experience in the treatment of complex variations of psychological dysfunction / full spectrum of psychiatric diagnoses. Documents all work in a clear, communicable, and in accordance with established DoD, Department of the Army and US Army Medical Command regulations and policies, meeting all Army, Professional and Medical Treatment Facility standards. Participates in the Continuous Quality Improvement process, administrative and professional meetings, and staff duty requirements as do other equivalent team members. Provides emergent behavioral health services on a scheduled rotating, on-call basis to patients during both normal and other than normal duty hours to include screening patients for appropriateness of psychiatric hospitalization. Provides psychological and clinical consultation to leadership, other and paraprofessionals through established consultation channels. Attends, participates in and/or conducts internal staff development programs, obtains continuing education as required by state licensing, DoD, Department of Army and US Army MEDCOM regulations and policies. Maintains and enhances clinical practice skills. Maintains the highest standards of Professional conduct in relation to information that is confidential in nature. Shares information only when recipient's right to access is clearly established and the sharing of such information is

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in the best interest of the patient. Participates in Performance Improvement activities as assigned. Communicates information that enables data collection and root cause analysis to identify opportunities for improvement. Adheres to and participates in mandatory HIPAA privacy program / practices and Business Ethics and Compliance programs / practices. Participates in special projects and performs other duties as assigned and in line with requirements of a uniformed officer and/or within the realm of professional expertise, discipline or ability. Requires ongoing compliance with productivity standards in current OTSG/MEDCOM policy.

This 0-4 Non-supervisory social work (SW) billet aligns with MEDCOM GS-12 standardized position description (PD) for SWs. If this billet is filled by a psychologist, the billet designation will become 0-5 Non-supervisory psychologist to align with MEDCOM GS-13 standardized PD for psychologists.

** Applicants currently on Tier 1 & 2 deployment teams should note that continued participation requires approval from new Army rater/supervisor.

** This non-supervisory social work position aligns with Army MEDCOM standardized GS-12 social work position description MC443155.

Maintains all basic readiness standards as required by the U.S. Public Health Service. 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. 3-year (minimum) assignment tour.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:

PHS psychologist in good professional standing with a qualifying doctoral degree in clinical psychology from an APA accredited university or professional psychology program.

Completed an APA accredited internship/residency in clinical psychology and hold an active professional license in one of the 50 states, District of Columbia, or Commonwealth territory.

****CONTACT INFORMATION****

To apply please submit: CV with cover letter, last 3 COERs (officer annual evaluations), a letter of recommendation from current rater/supervisor (senior rater is acceptable), and a copy of professional license.

Experience working for the DoD/Army is preferred.

Send application documents to CDR Jay Carr at james.b.carr6.mil@mail.mil