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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

Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner (0-5, Non-Supervisory)- Blanchfield Army Community Hospital, Fort Campbell, Kentucky

LOCATION DESCRIPTION

This position is located at Blanchfield Army Community Hospital, Fort Campbell, Kentucky! Blanchfield Army Community Hospital serves the community surrounding Fort Campbell, Ky. and home of the 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault) and Fort Campbell. BACH's team offers a patient-centered care model of healthcare, recognizing that your Family members are an integral part of you achieving your healthcare goals. Blanchfield, accredited by the Joint Commission, offers both Soldier and Patient Centered Medical Homes for the more than 73,000 enrolled Soldiers, Retirees and their Family members receiving primary care. In addition, numerous specialty care, including emergency medicine, surgery, integrated disability evaluation, traumatic brain injury, behavioral health, women's health and inpatient care and many more services, are provided to more than 101,000 eligible beneficiaries in the 40-mile radius of Fort Campbell's Health Readiness Platform. Thirty-four buildings, with one offered within the Clarksville community, consists of the 1,014,510 square feet accommodating the medical needs within a 40-mile radius of the hospital, expanding to both Tennessee and Kentucky residents.

CLOSING DATE

Open until filled

*** JOB DESCRIPTION***

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

Serves as Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner for Department of Behavioral Health at Blanchfield Army Community Hospital, Fort Campbell, Kentucky, providing a wide range of services to patients with acute and severe psychiatric diagnoses and behavioral health related conditions. Services perform are a combination of advance practice nursing and psychiatric services. Diagnose, conduct therapy, and prescribe medications for patients who have psychiatric disorders, medical organic brain disorders or substance abuse problems. Provide emergency psychiatric services, psychosocial and physical assessment of patients, treatment plans, and manage patient care. Serve as consultant to Army leaders. Educate patients, family members, and staff on psychiatric diagnoses, including differential diagnosis of medical disorders with psychiatric symptoms, and on medication treatment for psychiatric disorders.

Essential job functions are as follows:

- Provide behavioral healthcare to Army patients with psychiatric diagnosis.
- Take medical histories, performs tests as needed, and administers injections.

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- Provide assessments, crisis response, medication, direct behavioral health services, and medical record documentation in accordance with Department of Army, US Army Medical Command and MTF regulations and policies.
- Develop working relationships with primary care, other healthcare providers, clinics and community resources.
- Serve as lead staff person on an as-needed basis as directed by Chief, Behavioral Health or program manager.
- Evaluate complaints of an acute and chronic nature.
- Participates in special projects/performs other duties as assigned.
- Complies with productivity standards outlined in current OTSG/MEDOM policy.

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.

Secret Clearance Required

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Must be an advance practice nurse in good standing with master's, postgraduate or doctoral degree from a family psychiatric nurse practitioner program accredited by the CCNE or the ACEN with a current, active license to practice in the U.S., District of Columbia, Commonwealth Territory or other jurisdiction. Requires expertise in prescribing medication for psychiatric conditions. Expertise in the use/oversight of psychotropic medication is required.

Experience working for the DoD/Army is preferred.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Interested USPHS Commissioned Corps officers should forward a CV with cover letter, last 3 COERs, and a copy of professional license to CDR Jay Carr, james.b.carr6.mil@mail.mil