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STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

ARE YOU AN ASPIRING NURSE WHO'S INTERESTED IN CARING FOR AMERICA'S VETERANS?

If so, the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) invites you to apply for our Health Professionals Scholarship Program (HPSP).

Through the HPSP, we are offering educational assistance to **students pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Nursing or a Master's degree in Nursing (Mental Health Practitioners only)**. In return, we're asking selected applicants to join our growing team full time after graduation.

As a VA nurse, you'll be responsible for ensuring that our patients receive the best treatment possible, from the bedside to case management. The work is challenging, as Veterans often require complex care. But ultimately, you'll feel the unmatched fulfillment that comes with improving the lives of people who've proudly served our nation.

Key Requirements

- U.S. citizenship (U.S. Veterans will be considered first among all equally qualified candidates)
- Enrollment in a qualified degree program and a graduation date before the Summer of 2020 will be considered first (Other applicants will be considered based upon available funding)
- The applicant must be willing to attend an internship with the VA in the program of study for which the applicant is seeking scholarship support
- Selection criteria includes academic performance, work experience, faculty and employer recommendations, and career goals
- All candidates will be subject to a background/suitability investigation
- To officially accept the scholarship, selected applicants must sign a mobility agreement as well as an agreement to complete a service obligation of at least two years at a VA health care facility after graduating and obtaining necessary licensure/certification

The application deadline is Friday, May 3rd, 2019 at 11:55pm EST

For complete application requirements, go to USAJobs and Keyword Search "HPSP" or follow the links below:

Health Professional Scholarship Program (HPSP) Nursing Scholarship (BSN Students Only)

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/524863000>

HPSP Nursing Scholarship MSN Mental Health Nurse Practitioner: <https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/524854400>

For more information or to receive a guide in application preparation, contact the HPSPTeam@va.gov

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