Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What is my active duty obligation?

A: Students incur a 1 for 1 obligation with HPSP. 4 year HPSP scholarship would be 4 year Active Duty obligation.

Q: What are the Match Rates for the Army?

A: The Army has a 99.7% Match rate into an Army Residency Program.



Have questions or want more information?

To find out more info on the application process, detailed incentives, and many other questions, please contact your local AMEDD Health Care Recruiter:

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All HPSP applicants (civilians, military service members, or ROTC Cadets) must work with their local Army Healthcare Recruiting Office to apply.

Requirements:

- Be a U.S. Citizen with a baccalaureate degree

- Enrolled in or have a letter of acceptance or intent from an accredited graduate program located in the United States or Puerto Rico

- Maintain full-time student status during the entire length of the program

- Qualify as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army

Note*

All information and incentives stated are current as of 03 July 2022 and are subject to change as mission dictates.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The U.S. Army offers one of the most comprehensive scholarships available in health care today.

The F. Edward Hebert Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Program (HPSP)





WHAT DOES HPSP PAY? 100 PERCENT TUITION

The Army will pay full tuition at your school of choice. The HPSP is good at any accredited school in the U.S and Puerto Rico.

BOOKS, FEES AND MORE

We also pay for your required books and health insurance required by your school. as well as most equipment and academic fees. Since the Army is paying for the major portion of your school expenses you can afford to enroll at the school of your choice.

MONTHLY ALLOWANCE

The Army also gives you a generous monthly stipend of \$2608, adjusted each July, for 10 1/2 months of each school year. As the military pay scale increases, the monthly stipend also increases.

OFFICER'S PAY

The remaining 6 weeks of the year you'll receive Army officer pay as a 2nd Lieutenant on active duty, while taking advantage of the training opportunities available at many of the Army's health care facilities.



If you want to become a physician, dentist, veterinarian, optometrist, clinical or counseling psychologist, Family Nurse Practitioner, Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner or Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist and qualify, you could earn a full-tuition scholarship, plus a monthly stipend of more than \$2,608.

If you are planning a career in health care or are currently enrolled in a graduate health care program, it pays to look into the Army's HPSP — now more than ever before. It provides benefits while you're in school and benefits after you graduate. According to the American Medical Association, the average cost of four years of medical school has risen to more than \$250,000. Add to that your living expense, the start-up costs of opening your own practice once you become a physician, plus the rising cost of malpractice insurance and you can see why the Army HPSP is a wise choice.

Additional Training

After your first year of school and completion of the Army Medical Department (AMEDD) Basic Officer Leaders Course (BOLC), you'll have the opportunity to perform clinical rotations in Army health care facilities for up to six weeks each year during the next two years of school.

You'll work with top Army health care professionals, learn about Army health care firsthand and you'll get practical experience in your discipline while also earning 45 days of Army officer's pay.

Veterinarian School

- 2 or 3 year scholarship available
- Req. 3.2 GPA for Undergrad
- No letter of Acceptance required, need Dean's Letter of good academic standing.

Optometry School

- 2 or 3 year scholarship available
- Req. 3.2 GPA for Undergrad
- No letter of Acceptance required, need Dean's Letter of good academic standing.
- OAT required, no minimum score

Dental School

- 3 or 4 year scholarship available
- Req. 3.2 GPA for Undergrad
- Req. application to Dental School or Deans Letter.
- DAT required minimum score of 19

Medical School

- 3 or 4 year scholarship available
- Req. 3.2 GPA for Undergrad
- Req. application to Med School or Deans Letter.
- MCAT with minimum 500 with 124 in each category
- Automatic Acceptance Criteria: 3.6 GPA/507MCAT

