We are accepting applications for a position within the Orlando VA Medical Psychology program. You may be eligible for an award up to the maximum limitation, under the provisions of the Education Debt Reduction Program (EDRP), subject to the availability of funds. Highly qualified candidates may be eligible for relocation or recruitment incentive. Applicants should have experience with the provision of biofeedback services to patients with medical conditions. Populations served include: Veterans with migraine and other headaches, various GI conditions, and will be expanded on the basis of interest of the incumbent and clinical need. The position also involves the supervision of a full-time biofeedback technician. Services are provided in a dedicated office with biofeedback equipment and/or in the dedicated biofeedback lab with multiple treatment stations. U.S. Citizenship, and completion of an APA-approved doctoral program and internship are required. Bilingual psychologists are encouraged to apply. This individual will join our group of 10 Medical Psychology team members, and over 100 psychologists. The Orlando VA is a national leader in Measurement Based Care and Evidence Based Treatment. Participation in our APA-approved training program is required. We have six funded pre-doctoral interns, two-three funded postdoctoral fellows, and ten+ practicum trainees.

THE ORLANDO AREA

The Orlando VA Medical Center, one of the Top 100 Companies for working families, was officially established as a new VA facility in October of 2006. The Orlando VA healthcare system currently includes a 120-bed Community Living Center, 116-bed Domiciliary, and has one of VA’s largest comprehensive outpatient clinic at the Orlando site, two large comprehensive, satellite outpatient clinics in Daytona Beach and Viera, and four Community-Based Outpatient Clinics. The incumbent will be located at the Lake Nona campus.

Orlando’s “Medical City” continues to grow, shining an international spotlight on the area’s growing life sciences/biotech sector. The VA has joined with others to create a new medical destination for research, education and patient care. With the opening of the University of Central Florida's College of Medicine, the building of several prestigious medical research institutes, the Orlando VA Medical Center (opened in 2015), and a highly-specialized Children’s Hospital (Nemours), Orlando is rapidly becoming a prime destination for healthcare professionals and patients seeking state-of-the-art care.
Orlando is recognized as a family-oriented area, with a warm, sunny climate, beautiful beaches nearby, abundant housing options, no state income tax, and many local entertainment attractions/outdoor activities readily available. The Orlando VA system is affiliated with the University of Central Florida College of Medicine and with Nova Southeastern University Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Osteopathic Medicine and with numerous other allied health programs in the local community. Working for the Department of Veterans Affairs offers a comprehensive benefits package that includes, in part, paid vacation, sick leave, holidays, life insurance, health benefits, and was identified as one of the top six places to work in the Federal Government. For more information please visit http://www4.va.gov/jobs/job_benefits/benefits.asp. The Department of Veterans Affairs is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minority applicants are particularly encouraged to apply. You may be eligible for an award up to the maximum limitation, under the provisions of the Education Debt Reduction Program (EDRP), subject to the availability of funds. Highly qualified candidates may be eligible for relocation or recruitment incentive. BCIA certified applicants are preferred.

Interested applicants may electronically submit a cover letter indicating interest and CV directly to Dr. Valerie Masten Hoese, Medical Psychology program manager, Valerie.hoese@va.gov. The position is available for direct hire, and will remain open until filled. It is not posted at usajobs.

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