

# PURSUE A FUTURE AS A PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT AT VA AND HELP HEAL OUR NATION'S HEROES.

DISCOVER OUR  
STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



## ARE YOU A MILITARY VETERAN ASPIRING TO BE A PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT (PA)?

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 **veteran students pursuing a Master's degree in Physician Assistant Studies**. In return, we're asking selected applicants to join our growing team full time after graduation.

As the nation's largest employer of physician assistants, we provide access to a wide range of challenging opportunities across the continuum of care, from emergency and occupational medicine to orthopedics and mental health. We also offer a great environment for clinical research, where you can work with leading researchers in various medical and sub-specialty areas. It's all part of advancing treatment for patients who have proudly served our country.

### Key Requirements

- U.S. citizenship
- Military veteran.
- Enrollment in a qualified training program leading to a Masters Degree in Physician Assistant Studies.
- Universities/Colleges the applicant is enrolled must be accredited by the Accreditation Review Commission of Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA).
- 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.

To find out more about the Health Professional Scholarship Program (HPSP) and to apply for a scholarship please visit our portal at: <https://va-ams-info.intelliworx.com/hpsp/>

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