



# Health Professions Scholarship Program (HPSP)



A SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM DESIGNED TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL INCENTIVES FOR STUDENTS IN DESIGNATED HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONS TO COMPLETE DEGREE/CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS AND OBTAIN A COMMISSION IN THE MEDICAL CORPS (MC), DENTAL CORPS (DC), OR MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS (MSC).

## DESIGNATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Medical, Dental, Clinical Psychology, Optometry, and Physician Assistant

## BENEFITS

- Covers **100%** of school tuition
- Monthly allowance **\$2,466.00** to cover living expenses for up to 4 years
- Sign-on bonus of up to **\$20,000** (only available for Medical & Dental)
- Full reimbursement for required textbooks, equipment, and supplies

## QUALIFICATIONS

- Be a U.S. citizen
- Be between the ages of 18 and 42
- Be accepted for admission to, or enrolled in an accredited institution in the U.S. or Puerto Rico and in a course of study for a designated health profession
- A cumulative grade point average (GPA) of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (3.2 on a 4.0 scale for Medical health professions)
- Must maintain status as a full-time student
- Be in good physical condition and pass a full medical examination

## SERVICE OBLIGATION

- Active Duty payback is one year for each year in the program
  - Three year minimum (four year minimum if sign-on bonus is taken)

## STEPS TO APPLY

1. Contact your local Navy Medical Officer Program Specialist
2. Organize necessary paperwork
3. Complete and submit your application



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