Army Healthcare Opportunities for Physicians in their Residency

Financial Assistance Program (FAP)

This program is open to Physicians at any point during their residency training, such as, Post Graduate Year (PGY) II and above. Certain individuals may be eligible to apply in PGY I, but must have completed and passed USMLE/COMLEX Part III, and will be based off of the Office of The Surgeon General’s guidance. The program provides an annual grant of $45,000 plus a monthly stipend of $2,060.

The Active Duty obligation is 2 years for the first year of FAP participation plus 6 months for each 6 months (or partial 6 month period) thereafter, with a minimum period of two years on Active Duty. This commitment is fulfilled after completing residency training.

Specialized Training Assistance Program (STRAP)

This program provides Physicians in designated specialties that are currently enrolled in an accredited Residency Program a monthly stipend, which is currently $2,060.

Residents will incur a 1 year obligation in the Army Reserves for each 6 months (or partial 6 month period) of financial assistance after completing their residency training.

To qualify applicants must:

Be a U.S. Citizen
Qualify as a Commissioned Officer in the Army Reserves

If you or someone you know would like to learn more about the opportunities that the Army has for Healthcare Professionals, please contact Sergeant Sonya L. Clary with the Boston Army Healthcare Recruiting Team at 1-(877) 226-6179 or by email at sonya.clary@usarec.army.mil.