

USUHS Ph.D. Program in CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY

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How to Apply:

1. Applications for the two Navy positions in the Clinical (Military) Track are open to active duty military (officers and enlisted) from all service branches as well as civilians.
2. Applicants must be U.S. citizens (dual citizenship is not permitted) and must have a bachelors or masters degree.
3. **All applicants must make contact with a Navy Medical Programs Officer recruiter to ensure that processes needed to determine commissioning eligibility are completed. Recruiters should assemble a kit consisting of documents required for commissioning and submit it to CNRC for processing. Applicants must also be scrolled in accordance with OPNAV 1120.8 with submission of kit to CNRC. Kits should be submitted to CNRC no later than 1 December.**
4. All applicants are required to complete the USUHS Graduate Education Office's ONLINE application for admission to graduate study. The application is accessible at: <http://gap.usuhs.mil> (Addendum: www.usuhs.mil/graded/application.html). In addition to completing the application and submitting it online, applicants must also provide the following to the Graduate Education Office:
 - a. personal statement of goals
 - b. official transcripts of course work at all universities or colleges attended
 - c. Graduate Record Examination scores (Quantitative, Verbal, and Analytical Writing scores)
 - d. Three letters of recommendation (letters can be from Commanding Officers or Executive Officer but at least one letter should be from a clinical psychologist, preferably a professor who can attest to the applicants ability to earn a Ph.D. in psychology).
5. Applications are due in the USUHS Graduate Education Office no later than **1 January**.
6. All complete application packages submitted to the USUHS Graduate Education Office will be reviewed by the USUHS Psychology Department faculty beginning after the application deadline of **1 January**. Those applicants who are considered most academically qualified will be scheduled for an interview with the USUHS

Psychology Department faculty and senior representatives of the Navy Clinical Psychology community. Interviews typically take place in mid-to-late February (specific date to-be-determined). Interviews will be offered only to those applicants who are considered most academically qualified and who meet Navy physical health standards. Interviews are in-person unless the applicant is deployed overseas and cannot return in which case telephone interviews will be arranged.

8. After 00MSC approval has been received, selectees are notified officially by the USUHS Graduate Education Office of their selection. This typically occurs in late March/early April. (Date is contingent on 00MSC approval).
9. Selectees who are civilians, Navy enlisted, or non-Navy active duty (officer or enlisted) are required to attend ODS prior to orientation at USUHS. Orientation commences at USUHS each academic year on (or about) 15 August.

KEY DATES

DATE	ACTION	POC
1 December 2011	Recruiters: Kits Due to CNRC on or before this date. Applicants must be scrolled in accordance with OPNAV 1120.8. Full JPAS must also be submitted by this date.	LT Gann Medical Service Corps Program Manager 901-874-9347
1 January 2012	On-line applications, transcripts, GRE scores, and letters of recommendation due in USUHS Graduate Education Office	USUHS Graduate Education Office, 800-772-1747 (Graduate Education)
14 February 2012 (Date is	Interviews at USUHS	Applicants chosen for interviews will be

approximate)		<p>contacted by Ms. Corinne Simmons, USUHS Psychology Department, to schedule the interviews.</p> <p>Recruiters should coordinate travel and accommodations for interviewees with LCDR Donadio.</p>
Late March /early April 2012	Applicants notified of their selection or non-selection by USUHS Graduate Education Office	
June-July 2012 (exact dates to be determined)	ODS for USUHS selectees	
15 August 2012	Orientation for new students commences at USUHS	

**If your applicant needs a Medical Waiver, please contact CNRC Processor to check status vice calling OOM.

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