VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Anesthesiology Residency Program Director Naval Medical Center Portsmouth

The Anesthesiology Residency Program Director leads a highly successful program of up to 18 medical officers. The residency program trains active duty Navy residents in an integrated residency program with up to six members selected annually. The Anesthesiology Department also serves as a ancillary teaching site for Uniformed Services University medical students and hosts up to 12 medical students from the Health Professions Scholarship Program as well as Eastern Virginia Medical School annually. NMCP Anesthesiology Residents train in one of the most robust clinical training environments in the Department of Defense with clinical rotations occurring at the Naval Medical Center Portsmouth, the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, VA, Eastern Virginia Medical School locations including Children's Hospital of the Kings Daughters and Norfolk General in Norfolk, VA, Cooper University in Camden, NJ, Washington Hospital Center in Washington, D.C., and Landstuhl Regional Medical Center, Germany.

The program director has the authority and accountability for the overall operation of the training program including compliance with all applicable requirements from the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME). The program director is responsible for the clinical learning environment for all residents and students in the Anesthesiology Department and monitors all participating sites affiliated with the residency program. The program director collaborates with a diverse faculty of approximately 26 physician Anesthesiologists to prepare future Navy Anesthesiologists to practice in various environments or proceed to fellowship. The program director is an active member of the command's Graduate Medical & Dental Education Committee, tasked with overseeing all medical education at NMCP. The successful applicant will work closely with the Chairman of Anesthesiology to integrate the training curriculum into the clinical obligations of the department.

The position is open to senior Anesthesiology physicians in the Navy. The selectee will be required to devote at least 0.2 Full-Time Equivalents to the academic and administrative needs of the residency program. The preferred candidate will have the following attributes:

- 1. Have experience as a program director or associate program director of an ACGME accredited program;
- 2. Have current medical licensure, appropriate staff appointment, and board certification from the American Board of Anesthesiology;
- 3. Have at least three years of clinical experience in anesthesiology after completion of a residency in anesthesiology
- 4. Significant organizational, interpersonal, and collaborative skills;
- 5. Superior military bearing, within fitness standards, and no recent PRT/PFA failures;
- 6. Committed to the professional and academic development of faculty, residents, and personnel;
- 7. Can commit to a minimum of five years in the position (i.e. continue in the position for a length of time adequate to maintain continuity of leadership and program stability).

Interested candidates should notify the current program director of intent to apply by 15 FEB 2021. Those not currently assigned to NMCP must submit documentation validating their anticipated assignment to NMCP by 1 JUL 2021. Submit a complete application package including CV, BIO, letter of intent, and the last three performance evaluations (preferably via email) no later than 26 FEB 2021.

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