



## THE ADVANTAGES OF JOINING THE U.S. ARMY HEALTH CARE TEAM

There are more advantages to being part of the U.S. Army health care team than you might think. When you join the Army Medical Department (AMEDD), you join one of the most elite teams of medical professionals in the world and gain technological, educational and practical advantages that a civilian career can't give you.

When you choose Army Medicine, you choose to pursue your passion while performing a vital service to your country.

## **INNOVATION**





From spray-on skin to operating-room robotics, U.S. Army medical professionals are developing technologies and tools that reduce recovery times and increase quality of life for patients.



Army doctors are exposed to a number of advanced techniques and technologies.



Army doctors have access to some of the most advanced medical facilities in the world.



The Army has more than 300 patents in science, technology and medicine.



Army doctors are conducting Phase-III trials for HIV and breast cancer vaccines.



Army doctors gain access to field experts and top medical minds around the world.



Medical school students have an opportunity to qualify for the Health Professions Scholarship Program (HPSP) and have 100 percent of the tuition for a graduate-level health care degree paid for at their schools of choice.

With over 90 areas of

concentration, Army doctors

have a high first-choice match

rate for their chosen specialties.



Army medical professionals may be eligible to receive education loan repayment assistance.



Army doctors are able to participate in fellowship training and continuing medical education opportunities with leading private institutions.



HPSP recipients qualify for a monthly stipend to help defray educational and general living expenses.

## **EDUCATION**



## **PATIENT CARE**





In Army Medicine, you may have an opportunity to serve in other parts of the country—and possibly other parts of the world—where many travel and vacation opportunities exist for you and your family.



Army doctors can order tests and dispense medication without excessive layers of approval.



Army doctors have the freedom to pursue clinical awards and recognition from top medical associations.



Army Medical Department (AMEDD) officers attend the Basic Officer Leader Course (BOLC), which provides a basic understanding of the Army and teaches the principles behind becoming a resilient, agile leader.



Army doctors are prepared to perform their medical duties immediately after completing their residencies.

