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| **TRADITIONAL GUARD OFFICER VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT** | | |
| **109 AIRLIFT WING**  **1 AIR NATIONAL GUARD RD, SCOTIA, NY 12302-9752** | **ANNOUNCEMENT#:** | 21-05 |
| **OPENING DATE:** | 10 Nov 2020 |
| **CLOSING DATE:** | 9 Jan 2021 |
| **UNIT:** 109th Medical Group | **AFSC: 46N1** | |
| **MAX AVAILABLE GRADE:**  Lt Col/O-5 | **AREA OF CONSIDERATION:** Nationwide  All candidates may apply who meet the basic qualification for this position and who are eligible for membership in the NYANG. | |
| **Appoint as 2LT** -New Commissioning Opportunity |
| **POSITION TITLE:** Clinical Nurse | | |
| SPECIALTY SUMMARY: (As outlined in AFI 36-2101 and AF Officer Classification Directory) Includes clinical nurses and clinical nurse specialists. Provides professional nursing care within scope of practice, established standards of care and federal and state laws. Acts as patient advocate and advances desired health outcomes through patient and family education. Coordinates with and makes recommendations to staff agencies concerning applicable policies, plans and programs. Participates in cross-functional collaboration to improve patient care delivery. Supports research activities. Related DoD Occupational Group for 46N3: 260518. | | |
| **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**: Must meet the minimum requirements as outlined in AFI 36-2005 and ANGI 36-2005. | | |
| **SPECIALTY QUALIFICATIONS:**  **KNOWLEDGE:** Knowledge of principles and practices of nursing is mandatory.  **EDUCATION:** For entry into AFSC 46N1D/E/F/G/J, meet the entry level education requirements for appointment to the Nurse Corps for Active Duty, Air Force Reserve and Air National Guard. Must be a graduate of a baccalaureate degree program in nursing (BSN) accredited by a national nursing accrediting agency recognized by the US Department of Education. Registered nurses who are graduates of an associate’s degree in nursing (ADN) and no do not have a BSN are not eligible for accession unless they also have a post-baccalaureate (masters or doctorate) degree in nursing that is also nationally accredited and recognized by the US Department of Education https://www.ed.gov/accreditation.  **TRAINING:** The following is mandatory for award of the AFSC indicated: 3.3.1. For award of a 46NX AFSC specialty shredout (D, E, F, G, J), completion of an AF/SG1N-approved formal training program or fellowship in a respective clinical specialty (excludes direct accessions for the E, F, G, and J specialties)  **EXPERIENCE:** The following experience is mandatory: 3.4.1. Award of AFSC 46N3 (Qualified) requires a minimum of 12 months AF or civilian experience as a registered nurse.  For award of an AFSC 46N3 specialty shredout (E, F, G, or J), a minimum of 6 months in the respective clinical specialty. The 6 months experience in the specialty may be included in the total experience required as part of or in addition to the 12 months experience as a registered nurse. Civilian clinical nursing experience, time spent in the Air Force Nurse Transition Program or the applicable specialty training/fellowship program is creditable.  For award of AFSC 46N3D, a minimum of 6 months as an education and training officer in a 46N3D education and training authorization is required as part of or in addition to the 12 months experience as a registered nurse.  For entry, award and retention of these AFSCs, the following are mandatory. 3.5.1. Unrestricted practice (excludes temporary restrictions) IAW AFI 44-119, *Medical Quality Operations.*  Award of a specialty suffixed AFSC (excluding direct accessions for these specialties) requires approval by the Chief Nurse.  The following are mandatory for entry, award, and retention of this AFSC:  No record of conviction by a civilian court for offenses involving larceny, robbery, wrongful appropriation, burglary, or fraud.  Never received non-judicial punishment under the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) for offenses involving acts of larceny, wrongful appropriation, robbery, burglary or fraud as defined in UCMJ Articles 121, 122, 129, and 132 or never been convicted by military courts-martial for these same offenses. | | |
| **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**:  Provides comprehensive and specialty nursing care. Assesses health and health care needs of individuals and populations. Collects, records, and analyzes patient or population health data from preventive health assessments, nursing history, physical examinations and other sources. Uses data to determine nursing needs of patients/populations. Identifies expected health outcomes. Involves the patient, family, and community in setting realistic goals to achieve desired outcomes. Plans comprehensive care attains expected outcomes. Collaborates with other disciplines. Implements and evaluates nursing interventions. Conducts group and individual health teaching for patients, families, and community. Monitors and records patient and population health status. Uses ongoing assessment data to evaluate progress toward expected outcomes and revise plan of care as needed. Documents nursing actions and activities.  Supervises and manages nursing activities. Supervises nursing staff and evaluates clinical practice. Provides adequate staffing and supervision. Participates in and contributes to staff development programs.  Clinical Nurse Specialists. Expert clinician with advanced academic degree in selected nursing specialties. Renders direct patient care, including assessing, diagnosing, planning, and prescribing treatment of health problems, health promotion, and preventive care within the specialized area of practice. Sub-roles include patient and staff education, research, and consultation. | | |
| **OTHER QUALIFICATIONS:**  No record of disciplinary action (Letter of Reprimand [LOR] or Article 15) for: 3.5.2.1. Failure to exercise sound leadership principles, especially with respect to morale or welfare of subordinates; or  Engaging in an unprofessional or inappropriate relationship as defined in AFI 36-2909, *Professional and Unprofessional Relationships*; or documented failures (LOA, LOR or Article 15); or  Taking or failing to take action in situations, thereby exhibiting a lack of integrity; or  A violation of Article 107, false official statements, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ).  No convictions by a general, special or summary courts-martial.  No Unfavorable Information File.  Never been convicted by a civilian court of a Category 1, 2, or 3 offense, nor exceeded the accepted number of Category 4 offenses. Category 3 and 4 traffic offenses alone are not disqualifying. ***NOTE***: Categories of offenses are described and listed in AFI 36-2002, *Regular Air Force and Special Category Accessions*, Uniform Guide List of Typical Offenses.    No recorded evidence of substance abuse, emotional instability, personality disorder, or other unresolved mental health problems. | | |
| **OBIS:** An Officer Screening and Interviewing Board (OSIB) is scheduled to convene to interview all qualified applicants. Applicants will be informed in writing, or telephonically of date and time to appear. | | |
| **APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**  **All** applicants will prepare and forward the following no later than close of business on closing date either by email:   * Cover Letter * Resume * One copy of the AF Form 24 (Application of Appointment as Reserve of the Air Force or USAF Without Component) * Copy of Current College Transcripts * DD Form 2807-2 (Medical Prescreen of Medical History Report) and final disposition paperwork for any offenses.   All **PRIOR SERVICE** applicants will prepare and attach the following in addition to the above requirements no later than close of business on closing date either by email**:**   * A Record of Separation/Discharge from the US Armed Forces (if applicable) * A recent vMPF records review RIP * Most current Physical Fitness Evaluation Report (if applicable). | | |
| **TO APPLY PLEASE EMAIL APPLICATIONS TO:** [**kaitlyn.simmons.3@us.af.mil**](mailto:kaitlyn.simmons.3@us.af.mil); **PLEASE LIMIT ATTACHMENTS TO UNDER THREE**  **For assistance with sending in an application, please contact:**  **TSgt Kaitlyn L. Simmons**  **Phone: (518)344-2095**  **For questions regarding the job or details on position requirements, please contact:**  **SSgt Josana Stone**  **Phone: (518) 344-2456** | | |
| **DISTRIBUTION:**  1 – 109 FSS/FMPS | | |