

Louis A. Johnson VA Medical Center



"It has prepared me to practice in a wide variety of Mental Health modalities." Terry N. Davis, Jr. - Current LAJVMC MH PA Resident

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The Louis A Johnson VA Medical Center is located in Clarksburg, WV.

Clarksburg, approximate population of 18,000 citizens, is located at the center of West Virginia's I-79 High Tech Corridor. The High Tech Corridor is anchored on the north by Morgantown, which is the home of West Virginia University, a Carnegie Foundation Research Institution and training academy for Cisco Systems, Inc., and Oracle. Morgantown was recently rated the best small city in America bybizjournals.com. Other regional high technology operations include the National Energy Technology Laboratory, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, NASA IV and V Center, and Department of Defense Biometrics Fusion Center. Additional educational opportunities are available through Fairmont State University, Salem International University, Alderson-Broaddus University and West Virginia Wesleyan College. In addition to exceptional professional challenges, Clarksburg offers an unsurpassed quality of life, which includes low cost of living, short commutes, and outstanding recreational opportunities. For additional information, please visit www.clarksburg.com.

To fulfill President Lincoln's promise:

"To care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow, and his orphan" - by serving and honoring the men and women who are America's Veterans



PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

Post Graduate Residency
Mental Health



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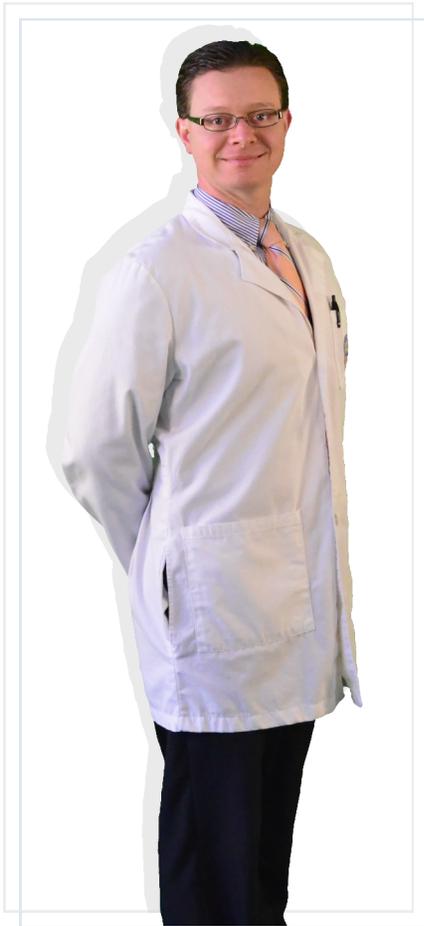
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Candidates for the MH PAR at the Louis A Johnson VA Medical Center will be selected by the Admissions Committee based on the following criteria.

Admission Requirements

1. Graduate of Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA) accredited program*
2. Currently certified through National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA) **
3. Three letters of recommendation (Program Director, Clinical Preceptor, and person of your choice to vouch for personal integrity)
4. NCCPA certification test scores
5. Original Transcripts from PA program
6. Personal Statement (In 250 words, why the candidate should be chosen for the MH PAR)
7. Curriculum Vitae
8. If employed – last performance evaluations
9. Completion of VA Application

**Application can be made while student is in PA school with expected graduation prior to start date of program.*

***If applying as a new graduate, NCCPA certification must be obtained prior to residency starting.*

Clinical Rotations

- 12 months of supervised experiences concentrating in Psychiatric Medicine
- Inpatient , Acute care psychiatry
- Outpatient psychiatry
- Experience with specialty clinics
- Consult/ triage clinics
- Residential programming in substance abuse, Mental Health and PTSD
- Psychiatry in rural areas

Benefits

- Receive a stipend for your year of training
- Vacation time and sick leave
- Eligible for life and health insurance
- Gain invaluable experience
- Establish a career in the VA

For an application or more information contact:

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