

**V a c a n c y   A n n o u n c e m e n t****POSITION:** Physician (Neurosurgeon), AD-602-15**TYPE OF APPOINTMENT:** Permanent**NUMBER OF VACANCIES:** Two Part-time positions (25 hours/week)**FUNCTIONAL STATEMENT:** Physician**SALARY RANGE:** \$82,580 to \$107,357 per annum, dependent upon qualifications and experience, special pay is available.**NOTE 1:** Eligible employees may be non-competitively reassigned to fill this position as an exception to merit promotion.**NOTE 2:** This agency provides reasonable accommodations to applicants with disabilities. If you need a reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the agency. The decision on granting reasonable accommodation will be on a case-by-case basis.**NOTE 3:** Applications received by **December 3, 2002** will be given first consideration for this vacancy.**NOTE 4:** A pre-employment physical examination may be required for any applicant tentatively selected from outside the VA Medical Center.**NOTE 5:** A drug test may be required for any applicant tentatively selected from outside the VA Medical Center.**NOTE 6:** Fingerprinting by Human Resource staff will be required of all tentatively selected applicants as part of a pre-employment security background investigation.**NOTE 7:** This is a Bargaining Position.**TOUR OF DUTY:** Tour of duty to be negotiated.**LOCATION:** This position is located in the Surgical Service, Operative Care Division, Portland, OR VAMC; however, it may be necessary to use the selectee's services at different locations throughout the medical center.**AREA OF CONSIDERATION:** **First area of consideration** will go to current permanent employees of this medical center including Willamette National Cemetery, Regional Counsel and Veteran Outreach Center. **Second area of consideration** will go to any qualified U.S. Citizen**DUTIES:** The complete Functional Statement may be reviewed in Human Resources Management Division. The following duties and responsibilities are taken from the Functional Statement and are considered to be a brief extract. The incumbent is responsible for participating in and/or managing all aspects of a neurosurgery program, to include clinical, administrative, academic and research components. Manages patient care load within available staffing, which includes physicians, consultant and attendings, physician assistants/nurse practitioners, and residents. Coordinates resident academic activities with the Department of OHSU Neurosurgery.**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- ◆ Must be a citizen of the United States.
- ◆ Must be a licensed Physician with relevant work experience.
- ◆ Must be board-certified or board eligible in neurosurgery through the American Board of Neurosurgery.

**HOW TO APPLY (First Consideration Applicants):** In order to be considered for this vacancy, interested employees must complete and submit VA Form 5-4078, Application for Promotion or Reassignment, to be received in Human Resources Management Division (P4HRMS). This form is available in Human Resources Management Division. First consideration will be given to those who apply no later than **December 3, 2002**, however this position will remain open until filled.**HOW TO APPLY (Second Consideration Applicants):** In order to be considered for this vacancy, interested applicants must complete and submit VA Form 10-2850 (Application For Physicians, Dentists, Podiatrists, and Optometrists) to the Human Resources Management Division (P4HRMS). Curriculum vita should be enclosed as additional information as well as three letters of recommendation. This form is available in Human Resources Management Division. Please send to address below, **ATTN: Announcement T38-03-093**.**Well Qualified (CTAP/ICTAP):** A well-qualified candidate is defined as one who meets the qualification and eligibility requirements for the position, including all educational/experience and selective factors (when applicable), and is able to satisfactorily perform the duties of the position upon entry.**EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:** All qualified candidates will receive equal consideration without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, politics, marital status, non-disqualifying physical or mental handicap, age or membership or non-membership in a labor organization.**HOW TO OBTAIN FORMS:****In Portland:**

VA Medical Center  
Human Resources Management Division  
3710 SW US Veterans Hospital Road, (Bldg. 16, Room 300)  
Portland, OR 97207. Phone # (503) 273-5236

**If Mailing:**

VA Medical Center,  
Human Resources Management Division (P4HRMS)  
P.O. Box 1034  
Portland, OR 97207

Human Resources Management Division will not photocopy any application material; applicants are responsible for making photocopies prior to submitting applications. Applications must be received in Human Resources Management Division in the Portland office as listed above. **First consideration will be given to those who apply no later than December 3, 2002, however this position will remain open until filled.** Applications will not be returned to applicants. For additional information you may contact Personnel (503) 273-5236.