EDWARD HINES, JR. VA HOSPITAL (2023-2024 Application Cycle) PSYCHOLOGY SERVICE

FELLOWSHIP APPLICATIONS

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

To apply, the following materials must be uploaded in the APPA CAS for the Hines VA Fellowship program:

- 1. A cover letter that includes in detail the following elements:
 - a. A statement indicating clearly which track(s) you are applying to.
 - You may apply to a maximum of **<u>TWO</u>** Fellowship positions. If you apply to more than one position, please clearly state which Fellowship position is your primary choice and which Fellowship position is your secondary choice.
 - b. Previous clinical, educational and research experience in the area of emphasis/ track(s) to which you have applied.
 - c. A description of your career goals and how you see our Fellowship program advancing your goals.
- 2. Curriculum Vitae
- 3. A completed Hines VA Psychology Postdoctoral Fellowship Training Program Application Form. A link to this form can be found on our fellowship program website: <u>https://www.va.gov/hines-health-care/work-with-us/internships-and-fellowships/postdoctoral-fellowship-in-clinical-psychology/</u>
- 4. Transcripts from graduate school.
- 5. Three letters of recommendation, including: one from your dissertation Chair, one from a clinical supervisor who is especially familiar with your work in your area of emphasis/track, and one from another clinical supervisor who is very familiar with your clinical work. At least one of these letters should be from an internship supervisor. The letter from your dissertation Chair should note the status of your dissertation and anticipated completion date, if your doctoral degree has not yet been awarded.
- 6. A fourth letter from your psychology internship training director discussing your progress on internship and anticipated completion date. If your training director is also writing you a letter of recommendation as a clinical supervisor, please have them combine the two letters into one.

Except under very unusual circumstances, all application materials must be submitted through APPA CAS.

Applicants who appear to be a good fit with our program will be invited for an interview. In the spirit of enhancing equity and reducing disparities, we are conducting all interviews and related meetings via a videoconference platform. These interviews will take place in January 2024 and early February 2024.

The 2024-2025 fellowship year will begin on August 26, 2024. The stipend is \$57,815.

Please contact Katherine Meyers, Ph.D. by email (Katherine.Meyers@va.gov) if you have further questions. We enthusiastically look forward to your application!

APPLICATION DEADLINE – DECEMBER 11, 2023
