

**Anesthesiologist
(Traditional Position)**

AFSC 45A3

******CLOSEOUT DATE: INDEFINITE******

AUTHORIZED GRADE: Lieutenant Colonel

DUTY LOCATION: 166th Medical Group, New Castle County Airport, New Castle, DE.

Position is open to commissioned officers (LTC and below) and personnel seeking a commissioning opportunity, who meet the identified Specialty Qualifications.

SPECIALTY SUMMARY:

Administers general and local anesthetics; manages anesthesiological services. Related DoD Occupational Group: 260105.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Administers general and local anesthetics. Determines anesthetics to be used, considering such factors as patient's condition and operation to be performed. Records observations while administering such anesthetics as ether, sodium pentathol, and nitrous oxide. Coordinates administration of anesthetics with surgeons during operation. Maintains life support. Manages anesthesiological services. Formulates plans and procedures for anesthesiological services. Assigns nurses and medical technicians. Advises on kinds and quantity of anesthesiological supplies and equipment. Schedules use and provides for maintenance of surgical suite, including operating, wash-up, and waiting rooms and anesthetic and sterilizing equipment. Coordinates anesthesiological services with other medical activities. Instructs personnel in methods and procedures for administering anesthetics. Serves as consultant on anesthesiology. Also serves as consultant for respiratory physiology problems and ventilator management for intensive care facilities.

SPECIALTY QUALIFICATIONS:

Fulfillment of education requirement satisfies the knowledge requirement.

EDUCATION:

For entry into this specialty, a doctor of medicine degree or a doctor of osteopathy degree from an approved school of medicine or osteopathy is mandatory.

EXPERIENCE:

For award of AFSC 45A3, completion of a residency or fellowship in anesthesiology acceptable to the Surgeon General, HQ USAF, is mandatory.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Individuals seeking a commission must graduate from the Academy of Military Science (AMS) prior to their 35th birthday (selection will be based on availability of AMS class dates). Candidates in exceptional circumstances can be commissioned up to age 40 if they have active service time.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

The following items must be included in the application package:

- *Resume*
- *Copy of AFOQT Scores*
- *Certified College Transcript*
- *Current Record Review Rip*
- *Printout of a current AF Physical Fitness Score (AF only; if currently serving in another branch of the service, please include equivalent documentation; N/A to non-prior service)*

Application packages must be forwarded to:

*166 FSS/FSM (ATTN: CMSgt Ottinger)
2600 Spruance Drive
New Castle, DE 19720-1615*

Following initial screening, resumes will be forwarded to 166 MDG/MAO for interview/selection process. Personnel having additional questions concerning the squadron should contact Lt Col Michael Pollock at Commercial: 302-323-3387, DSN 445-7387, or robin.pollock@ang.af.mil.