



**Captain James A. Lovell
Federal Health Care Center
3001 North Green Bay Road
North Chicago, Illinois 60064**

Dear Applicant:

In Reply Refer To: 556/7-C/D

You can access all admission application materials on-line at:

[HTTP://WWW.LOVELL.FHCC.VA.GOV/SERVICES/SDTU/SDTU.ASP](http://www.lovell.fhcc.va.gov/services/sdtu/sdtu.asp)

If you do not have Internet access, enclosed you will find our admission packet which includes:

1. An Application to the Stress Disorder Treatment Unit, North Chicago Division;
2. An Application for Health Benefits (10-10EZ);
3. A Request Pertaining to Military Records;
4. A copy of our currently prescribed medications; and
5. An SDTU Orientation Guide and Resident Handbook.

To apply:

Please complete pages 1 thru 4 of the Application to the Stress Disorder Treatment Unit. Your referring provider should complete page 5.

Please complete the Application for Health Benefits (10-10EZ) including signing and dating it.

Please complete a Request Pertaining to Military Records. You will complete all of Section I. Under Section III, complete numbers 1 and 3 including signing and dating it.

Please review and keep for your information our SDTU Orientation Guide and Resident Handbook.

Please review the description of therapies used on the Stress Disorder Treatment Unit and share them with your referring provider. These descriptions can be found in the SDTU Orientation Guide and Resident Handbook. During your telephone screening, the SDTU staff will ask you about your preference for treatment. It will be very helpful if you and your provider have already reviewed and discussed the therapy treatment options to provide that information to us during the screening.

When all paperwork is completed, please send the Application to the Stress Disorder Treatment Unit, the Application for Health Benefits (10-10EZ), the Request Pertaining to Military Records plus a copy of your DD214 by fax to (224) 610-3824. By certified mail, send to:

Captain James A. Lovell
Federal Health Care Center (556/7-C/D)
Stress Disorder Treatment Unit
Attn: Benita Perez
3001 Green Bay Road
North Chicago, IL 60064

Following receipt of a completed application packet, I will call you to coordinate a date and time for a telephone screening. If you prefer to have an in-person screening, please note that on page 1 of the SDTU application form. Please be prepared to inform me of your preference for date of admission to the program as this may influence the date of the screening. It is the policy of the program to ensure that screenings and admissions are no more than 30 days apart.



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If you are on a medication from a private doctor that is not in our VA formulary, please be advised that it can be substituted for another medication that is in the VA formulary. NOTE: Celebrex (celecoxib) and Vioxx (Rofecoxib) are not in our formulary.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (224) 610-3312. Thank you for your interest in our program. We look forward to serving your needs.

Sincerely,

Benita Perez
Program Assistant, Stress Disorder Treatment Unit
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