Governor Gavin Newsom Announces California Health Corps
Opportunities for Psychologists to Provide Urgently Needed Services

Today, Governor Gavin Newsom announced the creation of the California Health Corps, and called on healthcare providers, behavioral health professionals, and health care administrators to join efforts to provide critically needed services during this public health crisis. Individuals will be paid and will be given malpractice insurance coverage. Locations will vary, but the website states that they will try to match your geographical preferences.

Here is the direct link to the state website describing the Health Corps and directions for registration. [https://covid19.ca.gov/healthcorps/](https://covid19.ca.gov/healthcorps/)

The Governor has stated a need for:

- Physicians (MD, DO), including medical students
- Pharmacists
- Dentists
- Nurse practitioners
- Physician assistants
- Nurses (RN, LVN, CNA), including nursing students
- Behavioral health professionals (psychiatrist, psychologist, psychiatric nurse practitioner, LCSW, LMFT, LPCC)
- Respiratory therapists
- Paramedics
- Medical assistants
- Emergency medical technicians

[March 30th Press Release on Health Corps](https://covid19.ca.gov/healthcorps/)