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MGS offers excellent benefits, including:

- Paid Time Off
- Paid Federal Holidays
- Medical, Dental, Vision, Prescription, Short Term Disability, and Life Insurance Plan – or the option to waive this package for an additional \$3.16 per hour
- 401(k)
- Direct Deposit

About Maxim Government Services

[Maxim Government Services](#) (MGS), a division of [Maxim Healthcare Services](#), provides healthcare professionals with employment opportunities in federal government agencies across the nation. We are a privately-owned, for-profit organization, incorporated in the State of Maryland under TIN# 57-1161169.

Welcome to the March issue of *The MGS Mission*! As a leader in the government staffing industry, [Maxim Government Services](#) (MGS) is committed to providing you with job opportunity updates, news relevant to government healthcare professionals, and more in this monthly e-newsletter.

In the News

Soldiers Suffer from Stress After Coming Home (MSNBC)

The euphoria of a soldier's homecoming from Iraq often gives way to depression, stress and trouble dealing with family members during the first months home, a new Pentagon study finds.

And the adjustment struggle was more profound for National Guard troops and reservists than it was for active-duty soldiers. [Click here to read the full article.](#)

Nurses Coordinate Services for Wounded Soldiers (Nursing Spectrum)

When the Washington Post broke the story of substandard housing and roadblocks to appropriate care at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in February 2007, it was like an improvised explosive device went off in the military healthcare establishment. The reverberations left few parts of that complex untouched, and they're still being felt today. [Click here to read the full article.](#)

Government Job Opportunities

We staff healthcare professionals in government agencies across the nation, offering excellent benefits and pay. Below is a sample of our current job openings. If you are interested in applying, please complete our [online application](#) or simply reply to this email. To view all of our current job opportunities, please [click here](#).

Registered Nurse (Med Surg and Medical Intensive Care Unit) – Columbia, SC

Registered Nurse (Operating Room and GI/PACU) – Denver, CO

Occupational Therapist – Boston, MA

Under our FSS/VA contract V797P-4516a, Maxim Government Services is one of the few GSA Schedule holders fully approved to staff every category of healthcare personnel within the 621-I Schedule. Our unique ability to deliver long-term, contracted staff and traveling medical professionals, as well as an abundance of qualified and pre-screened per diem and part-time staff, gives MGS a strong understanding of the expectations of providing contract healthcare staff in federal government healthcare facilities.

For more information about Maxim Government Services, visit us [online](#).

Physical Therapist – Philadelphia, PA

Registered Nurse (Operating Room) – Albuquerque, NM

Surgical Technologist – Albuquerque, NM

Psychiatrists – Nationwide Openings

Nurse Practitioner (Nuclear Medicine) – Dallas, TX

Registered Nurse (Oncology/Research) – Bethesda, MD

Psychologists – Nationwide Openings

Career Tip of the Month

The Benefits of Joining Professional Associations (*About.com*) What better way to stay up-to-date with the latest trends and developments in your profession than to join the professional association which is specific to the role you are in? If you are already a member of a professional association, good for you! And there may be another association for you to join, to maximize your professional development. For example, a nurse could be a member of the American Nursing Association as well as the Association of Nurse Practitioners. A doctor could be a member of the American Medical Association, and the national association for the medical specialty he or she practices. Professional associations will not only inform you, they also provide networking opportunities. [Click here to read more career tips on About.com!](#)