Postdoctoral Fellowship in Clinical Health Psychology with focus on Primary Care
FSUCOM - Healthcare Network - Lee Health System Consortium

Late-Breaking Open Position

The Florida State University College of Medicine is accepting applications for Fall 2022 for a two-year postdoctoral fellowship in Clinical Health Psychology with focus on Primary Care. Fellows function as an integral part of a multidisciplinary healthcare team in primary Family Medicine, Pediatrics, and Women’s Health clinics. Primary duties include health psychology screenings, assessments and interventions, consultations with physicians, prevention and wellness interventions as well as mental health triage. Fellows rotate through all clinics during the two years. Electives are available in Child Trauma. Fellows participate in teaching of medical students and residents. The Isabel Collier Read Medical Campus Site is home to the FSU Center for Child Stress & Health. The Center is a SAMHSA National Child Traumatic Stress Initiative (NCTSI) Category II, Treatment and Service Adaptation Center. It serves as a national resource on effective treatment and service approaches for child trauma experienced by children. Mentoring and support is available for fellows interested in participating in research. The Program is a member of APPIC.

The FSU College of Medicine is a community based medical school with mission to develop healthcare providers who practice patient-centered health care, discover and advance knowledge, and are responsive to community needs, especially the underserved populations of Florida. The Fellowship consists of 6 Fellows. Located in southwest Florida, the Consortium encompasses training in Ft. Myers and Immokalee. The area is well-known for its beautiful beaches (Sanibel Island, Captiva, Ft. Myers Beach) and the Everglades. Weather allows for year-round outdoor activities (boating, bike trails, sports) and cultural events. Florida State University is designated a preeminent research university in the state and all institutional support is available to the fellows.

Primary Care - Healthcare Network - Fellows train at The Healthcare Network – a Federally Qualified Health Center (HCN) with a culturally and linguistically diverse population. HCN serves as a training site for medical students, psychology postdoctoral fellows and other health professions trainees. Fellows provide their clinical work in Immokalee. Immokalee is a small rural community adjacent to and in commuting distance from Ft. Myers, in a designated Health Professions Shortage Area. The patient population is made up primarily of Latinx migrant farm workers as well as Haitian and a rural Caucasian population. The site is the home of the FSU Programs in Cross Cultural Medicine and Immigrant Health. Fellows applying for this site must be bilingual with fluency in either Spanish or Haitian Creole. The late breaking opening is at this site.

Primary Care - Lee – Fellows train at the outpatient clinics of Lee Health System http://www.leehealth.org in Ft. Myers. The Lee System is the major health system in Lee County. With both outpatient clinics and hospitals throughout the county. Lee Health is a clinical training site for a variety of health professions and serves as home to the FSU College of Medicine Family Medicine Residency Program. Fellows provide their clinical work in primary care outpatient clinics including the Family Residency Program, a community health clinic and a primary care clinic. The patient population is reflective of the overall population of Ft. Myers.

Eligibility: Completion of an APA accredited doctoral program in Clinical or Counseling Psychology (PhD/PsyD) as well as an APA accredited internship. Candidates should be committed to serving an underserved population and training in culturally appropriate care consistent with the mission of the Florida State University College of Medicine.

Benefits: Stipend of $47,658.60 plus benefits package that includes health insurance, vacation and sick time as well as annual professional development leave and stipend.
How to Apply: Applications are being accepted for Fall 2022 via the APPA CAS Application System. Materials can also be submitted directly to the Program Manager - Ashley Butler at ashley.butler@med.fsu.edu. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. To access the CAS Application System, copy and paste the following URL onto your web browser: https://appicpostdoc.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login. Application consists of a cover letter stating why you are interested in our program, a CV, transcripts, and three letters of recommendation including one from an internship supervisor and one from your graduate program. The Program follows APPIC guidance on notification of acceptance.

*Given the late breaking nature of the position, there is some flexibility for start date. Applicants are encouraged to reach out to the DCT for more information.*

**INTERVIEWS FOR WILL BE CONDUCTED VIRTUALLY.**

Additional information can be obtained from the program website: https://med.fsu.edu/immokalee/about-our-program

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