



Department of Clinical and Health Psychology Clinical Child – Pediatric Psychology Post-Doctoral Position

Position: The Clinical Child & Pediatric Psychology Area of the Department of Clinical and Health Psychology at the University of Florida is seeking applicants for a two-year appointment as a Clinical Child and Pediatric Psychology Postdoctoral Associate.

Training Opportunities: Our training philosophy is based on the scientist-practitioner model: we provide fellows with advanced skills in the practice of psychology, integration of research and practice, and supervision of junior trainees. Within the framework of the diverse training experiences available, we design individualized training plans for Fellows that reflect their clinical, academic and professional development goals. Fellows will carry an outpatient therapy caseload across the entire two year training program addressing both clinical child and pediatric psychology issues. In addition, Fellows will rotate through 4, six-month long specialized training experiences based on their individual goals. Rotational training opportunities in *Clinical Child Psychology* include treatment of depression, assessment and treatment of autism and related developmental disabilities, psychoeducational assessment, and delivery of school-linked mental health services. Rotational training opportunities in *Pediatric Psychology* include both psychology clinic and interdisciplinary team based settings (behavioral pediatrics, pulmonology, endocrinology, gastroenterology). Training opportunities in inpatient consultation are also available. An important goal for each trainee is to develop skills in clinical supervision. Thus, Fellows will have opportunity to provide mentored therapy supervision to varying levels of graduate and intern trainees. Opportunities to engage in research with NIH grant funded investigators are also available and encouraged.

Training Setting: Training will be within the UF Health Center which is the largest and most comprehensive academic Health Center in the Southeast. The UF Health Center encompasses six colleges, a statewide network of affiliated hospitals and clinics. The Clinical and Health Psychology's Service is housed in a free-standing clinic (<http://chp.phhp.ufl.edu/services/psychology-clinic/>) that has close programmatic interactions with the UF Department of Pediatrics and other medical departments as part of the UFHealth comprehensive care programs (<https://ufhealth.org/>). Supervising faculty: David Fedele, PhD, David Janicke, PhD, ABPP, Cynthia Johnson, PhD, & Brenda Wiens, PhD.

Available Didactic Experiences: Weekly Child Area Pediatric Psychology Seminar, weekly Department of Clinical and Health Psychology Colloquium, monthly Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds, monthly Child Area Research Round Table. Fellows will participate in a monthly *Post-Doctoral Associate Training Seminar* for post-doc associates in the Department of Clinical and Health Psychology; there will be at least 6 post-doctoral associates per year across 3 areas (child-pediatric psychology, adult health psychology, neuropsychology) in our overall post-doctoral training program.

Research Opportunities: The postdoctoral associate is a primary clinical position, but there will be opportunities for research and manuscript preparation with UF faculty.

Stipend and Benefits: \$47,476; health insurance, the post-doc is also eligible for up to 3 weeks of personal leave time per year.

Start Date: July - August, 2018 (two year appointment) – some flexibility in start date.

Gainesville Community: Gainesville, Florida, is a beautiful Central Florida town (<http://www.cityofgainesville.org/>) with excellent cost of living, affordable housing, schools, and numerous outside activities.

Application Materials: Interested applicants should have completed APA Accredited graduate and clinical internship programs by the start of the post-doctoral fellowship and have a background of course work and training in clinical child and/or pediatric psychology. The application requires submission of: (1) Cover letter which includes a section regarding professional goals; (2) CV; (3) Graduate transcript and; (4) 3 letters of recommendation

Deadline: Applications will be accepted starting November 1, 2017 and will be accepted until the position is filled. We expect to begin interviews in January 2018. Interviews will be conducted via skype and in person.

Send to: Direct questions, as well as cover letter, CV, and letters of recommendation to Luz Maria Escoto at lmescoto@phhp.ufl.edu. Please send transcripts and any other non-email documents to his care at PO Box 100165, Clinical and Health Psychology Department, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida 32610. Please send the transcript and any other non-email documents to his care at PO Box 100165, Clinical and Health Psychology Department, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida 32610.

For more information on the positions, please contact David M. Janicke, Ph.D., ABPP – djanicke@phhp.ufl.edu.

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