

Internship Admissions, Support, and Initial Placement Data

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As articulated in Standard I.B.2, programs may have “admission and employment policies that directly relate to affiliation or purpose” that may be faith-based or secular in nature. However, such policies and practices must be disclosed to the public. Therefore, programs are asked to respond to the following question.

Program Disclosures	
Does the program or institution require students, trainees, and/or staff (faculty) to comply with specific policies or practices related to the institution’s affiliation or purpose? Such policies or practices may include, but are not limited to, admissions, hiring, retention policies, and/or requirements for completion that express mission and values?	<u> </u> Yes
	<u> </u> X <u> </u> No
If yes, provide website link (or content from brochure) where this specific information is presented:	

Internship Program Admissions

Briefly describe in narrative form important information to assist potential applicants in assessing their likely fit with your program. This description must be consistent with the program’s policies on intern selection and practicum and academic preparation requirements:
The APA-accredited internship program at The University of Memphis Student Health and Counseling Services is a 2000-hour, 12-month training program. We use the APPIC Internship Matching Program for selection. Candidates must be enrolled in counseling or clinical psychology doctoral programs and have completed a minimum of 1000 supervised practicum hours, with 400 minimum direct clinical intervention hours. All relevant program course work must be completed. Preference will be given to candidates from APA accredited programs. It is required that candidates have completed their comprehensive exams prior to the application deadline. Dissertation proposals are required to have been approved by the start of internship.

Does the program require that applicants have received a minimum number of hours of the following at time of application? If Yes, indicate how many:		
Total Direct Contact Intervention Hours	Yes	Amount: 400
Total Direct Contact Assessment Hours	No	Amount: N/A

Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:
Due to impacts from the COVID-19 pandemic and understanding the potential challenge trainees may have encountered when accruing direct contact intervention hours at the practicum level, we will keep our requirement of 400 direct contact intervention hours. We will also be flexible in our application review process as we take these circumstances into consideration.

Financial and Other Benefit Support for Upcoming Training Year*

Annual Stipend/Salary for Full-time Interns	43,888	
Annual Stipend/Salary for Half-time Interns	N/A	
Program provides access to medical insurance for intern?	Yes	
If access to medical insurance is provided:		
Trainee contribution to cost required?	Yes	
Coverage of family member(s) available?	Yes	
Coverage of legally married partner available?	Yes	
Coverage of domestic partner available?		No
Hours of Annual Paid Personal Time Off (PTO and/or Vacation)	24 Days	
Hours of Annual Paid Sick Leave	12 Days	
In the event of medical conditions and/or family needs that require extended leave, does the program allow reasonable unpaid leave to interns/residents in excess of personal time off and sick leave?	Yes	
Other Benefits (please describe): :24 vacation days, 12 sick days, 13 holidays, Employee Assistance Program, retirement benefits, medical/dental insurance available, tuition waver, health services		

*Note. Programs are not required by the Commission on Accreditation to provide all benefits listed in this table

Initial Post-Internship Positions

(Provide an Aggregated Tally for the Preceding 3 Cohorts)

	2020-2023	
Total # of interns who were in the 3 cohorts	12	
Total # of interns who did not seek employment because they returned to their doctoral program/are completing doctoral degree	0	
	PD	EP
Academic teaching	PD =	EP =
Community mental health center	PD =	EP =
Consortium	PD =	EP =
University Counseling Center	PD =3	EP =3
Hospital/Medical Center	PD =	EP =
Veterans Affairs Health Care System	PD =	EP =
Psychiatric facility	PD =	EP =
Correctional facility	PD =	EP =
Health maintenance organization	PD =	EP =
School district/system	PD =	EP =
Independent practice setting	PD =	EP = 6
Other	PD =	EP =

Note: "PD" = Post-doctoral residency position; "EP" = Employed Position. Each individual represented in this table should be counted only one time. For former trainees working in more than one setting, select the setting that represents their primary position.