

## **Postdoctoral Program Admissions**

### **Date Program Tables are updated:**

#### **Briefly describe in narrative form important information to assist potential applicants in**

The University of Southern California University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (USC UCEDD), at Children's Hospital Los Angeles offers an advanced postdoctoral training program in Clinical Child Psychology. The program has been training psychology fellows since 1990, and provides unique training experiences in clearly defined emphasis areas.

Individuals are recruited specifically for each emphasis area and are offered training opportunities in a variety of departments and clinical services. The emphasis practice areas include Child and Family Psychology, Pediatric Psychology, Early Childhood Mental Health, Trauma Psychology, and Adolescent and Young Adult Medicine.

The postdoctoral training program at Children's Hospital Los Angeles is based on an integrated community mental health and health psychology model. It is designed to train psychologists to assume leadership roles as experts in clinical psychology in pediatric community and medical settings. Depending on the emphasis area, fellows may be gaining professional experiences in outpatient mental health clinics, community clinics, field based services, schools, primary care clinics or pediatric hospital units. Through intensive supervision, didactic lectures and seminars, research and program development activities, and ample direct patient contact and consultation opportunities, fellows enhance and develop advanced clinical skills in their emphasis area.

#### **Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:**

Prior to the beginning of fellowship, all applicants are expected to have completed an APA accredited doctoral program, and an APA accredited internship.

### Financial and Other Benefit Support for Upcoming Training Year\*

Annual Stipend/Salary for Full-time Residents	\$44,556	
Annual Stipend/Salary for Half-time Residents	N/A	
Program provides access to medical insurance for intern?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>If access to medical insurance is provided:</b>		
Trainee contribution to cost required?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Coverage of family member(s) available?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Coverage of legally married partner available?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Coverage of domestic partner available?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Hours of Annual Paid Personal Time Off (PTO and/or Vacation)	128	
Hours of Annual Paid Sick Leave	48	
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?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Other Benefits (please describe): Stipend for licensed fellows (state of CA) is \$50,752		

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

## Initial Post-Residency Positions

(Provide an Aggregated Tally for the Preceding 3 Cohorts)

	2013-2016	
Total # of residents who were in the 3 cohorts	32	
Total # of residents who remain in training in the residency program	10	
	<b>PD</b>	<b>EP</b>
Community mental health center		6
Federally qualified health center		
Independent primary care facility/clinic		
University counseling center		
Veterans Affairs medical center		
Military health center		
Academic health center		
Other medical center or hospital		13
Psychiatric hospital		1
Academic university/department		5
Community college or other teaching setting		
Independent research institution		
Correctional facility		
School district/system		1
Independent practice setting		4
Not currently employed		1
Changed to another field		
Other		2
Unknown		

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.