

Martinsburg Veterans Affairs Medical Center Psychology Internship Program

INTERNSHIP OVERVIEW

This is a Psychology Internship Program based at the Martinsburg Veterans Affairs Medical Center (VAMC) in Martinsburg, WV. The Martinsburg VAMC is a level 1C multi-mission tertiary care facility, which includes a medical center, seven Community Based Outpatient Clinics, and long-term care.

The Martinsburg VAMC Psychology Internship Program is not accredited by the American Psychological Association. The Martinsburg VA Medical Center is a full member of APPIC.

The Scientist-Practitioner model guides our psychology training program. Our ideal is that of a psychologist who is skilled in the understanding and application of clinical research and scientific methods to his/her practice.

It is the aim of the Psychology Internship Program to prepare students for a wide variety of psychology positions. Our expectations for internship are that the interns develop core competencies that will translate well into research, clinical, teaching, administrative, or a combined position and that the interns have time and experience to thoughtfully consider a plan for a career path that most fits their interests. This development has the end goal of a well-rounded psychologist who can function in an autonomous manner and serves as a positive representative for the field of psychology.

LEARNING EXPERIENCES

- Primary Care Mental Health Integration
- Outpatient Mental Health
- PTSD Clinic
- Community Living Center/Tranquility House (Geriatric)
- Neuropsychology
- VISN-5 Training (Administration)
- Telemental Health
- Home Based Primary Care
- Pain Management

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INTERN QUALIFICATIONS

- Applicant in good standing in an APA-accredited clinical/counseling psychology doctoral program
- Approved for internship status by program's graduate training coordinator
- U.S. citizenship
- Registration and participation in the AAPI Match
- Dissertation proposal approved
- Comprehensive exams passed

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should submit the following materials through AAPI:

- Curriculum Vitae
- Transcript
- Letter of Intent
- Three References, including at least one from the following
 - A Faculty Member
 - Supervisor from Practicum
 - References should complete the reference section in AAPI. Traditional letters of reference are not required.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 3

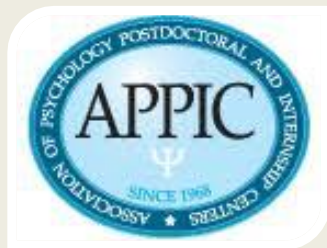
MATCH Number: 2349



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TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES & ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Yearlong didactics
- Capacity evaluations
- Training in EBP's primarily used in VA settings including *CPT, CBT-I, CBT-CP, PE, & Motivational Interviewing*
- Mental Health Team Meetings
- Training and certification in Primary Care Mental Health Integration
- Weekly journal club with focus on ethical and multi-cultural issues
- Participation and leadership within facility committees

STIPEND, LEAVE & BENEFITS

- \$29,080 annually (2019)
- 13 days paid vacation, 13 days sick leave, paid government holidays, up to 5 days to attend conferences, graduation, and/or dissertation defense
- Health care benefits package

ABOUT THE MARTINSBURG VA MEDICAL CENTER

The Martinsburg VA Medical Center provides general medical, surgical, psychiatric, primary, and specialty care services to 119,000 + Veterans in 22 counties in West Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Virginia. The Martinsburg VAMC campus consists of 71 acute care hospital beds, 133 long term care beds, and 273 rehabilitation domiciliary beds. The system also provides primary care and clinical pharmacy services at six community based outpatient clinics (CBOCs).

MARTINSBURG PSYCHOLOGY INTERNSHIP PROGRAM WEBSITE

For more information on our Psychology Predoctoral Internship Program and the Martinsburg VA Medical Center, please visit our website,

www.martinsburg.va.gov/services/Psychology_Internship_Program.asp



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