

Pediatric Psychologist
Rush University Children's Hospital
Chicago, IL

During a period of exciting strategic growth, Rush University Children's Hospital is recruiting a full-time pediatric psychologist. The position offers substantial opportunities for research support and collaborations with multiple clinical areas located in the vibrant city of Chicago.

Qualified candidates must have a doctoral degree (PhD) in clinical psychology with an APA-approved internship, completed a one-year fellowship in clinical child psychology or pediatric psychology, and be licensed or license eligible in the state of Illinois. Candidates should possess a strong commitment to clinical care, education and research.

Clinical responsibilities include: group-based behavioral parent training for parents of children with ADHD and/or autism spectrum disorder, individual outpatient psychotherapy for youth presenting with a variety of concerns, outpatient comprehensive cognitive and psychological evaluations of youth presenting with a variety of medical and psychological conditions, and psychological assessment in the Multidisciplinary Autism Diagnostic and Follow-up Clinic for children ages 0-3. Clients are referred by a number of sources, including the multidisciplinary developmental-behavioral pediatrics team. The multidisciplinary team includes a developmental-behavioral pediatrician, psychologist, speech-language pathologist, developmental therapist and social worker. Finally, possibilities for clinical work within a pediatric primary care practice are present.

Conducting cognitive and psychological assessment for funded clinical research aimed at assisting youth with fragile X and other neurodevelopmental conditions is expected. Independent clinically-relevant research will be strongly encouraged. There are opportunities for research/program development including, but not limited to, behavioral interventions and the evaluation and treatment of children with ADHD and ASD. We would be excited to discuss other research possibilities with interested candidates.

The Section of Pediatric Psychology supports an APA-approved pre-doctoral internship in child/adolescent & pediatric psychology and as such supervision of psychology trainees is anticipated.

The Section of Pediatric Psychology is embedded within the Department of Pediatrics in Rush University Children's Hospital and collaborates very closely with pediatric subspecialties to provide comprehensive care for infants to young adults. Located on Chicago's Near West Side, the section cares for racially and ethnically diverse youth and families from diverse socioeconomic backgrounds.

Competitive annual salary with excellent benefits. Start date is July 2018 with some consideration/flexibility. This recruitment is part of a key strategic growth initiative within the Department of Pediatrics. Rush is home to one of the first medical colleges in the Midwest and one of the nation's top-ranked nursing colleges, as well as graduate programs in allied health, health systems management and biomedical research. Rush is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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