

**Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Clinical
Psychology
2021-2022**

Child and Family Psychological Services PLLC is a multi-disciplinary behavioral health care group dedicated to providing the highest quality services to children, adolescents, adults, and families in a caring, patient- friendly environment. Our team of psychiatrists, psychologists, neuropsychologists, psychiatric nurse practitioners, social workers, and mental health counselors work collaboratively to provide top-notch care. In providing behavioral health services, we strive to integrate research evidence, clinical expertise, and client values into our practice. We have outpatient offices in multiple locations north, south, and west of Boston. We also provide embedded services at primary care and specialty medical care locations throughout eastern Massachusetts.

The postdoctoral fellowship focuses on training competent clinical psychologists to provide evidence-based therapeutic interventions and state of the art assessment. The fellowship is oriented to psychologists with solid clinical training and experience, who are seeking a career providing psychotherapy and assessment in an outpatient setting. Applicants must be post-masters from an APA-approved graduate program in Clinical, Counseling or School Psychology. The ideal candidate would have a strong interest in a permanent staff position following the completion of a one year postdoctoral fellowship. Fellows will have the opportunity to participate in one of two training tracks: **Child, Adolescent, and Family Psychotherapy** or **Adult Psychotherapy**. Fellows will receive broad training in providing evidence-based clinical interventions to a diverse patient population. Fellows will also participate in didactics, clinical supervision with staff, and group consultation meetings.

Training Opportunities

- Providing evidence-based treatment for a variety of disorders, including brief-treatment models, individual and family modalities, and group therapy interventions
- Utilizing assessment batteries to inform case conceptualization and formulation of treatment plan
- Didactics
- Individual supervision (typically at least 2 hours a week)
- Weekly group supervision



Didactics

CFPS is an APA-Approved continuing education provider. Fellows will attend many seminars throughout the fellowship on topics that are likely to include the following:

- Ethics and Professional Issues
- Psychopharmacology
- Assessment
- Psychopathology
- Psychotherapy
- Cultural Diversity

Supervision

Fellows will receive a minimum of two face-to-face hours of individual supervision weekly, as well as participate in weekly group case consultation meetings. Risk management consultation will be provided as needed throughout one's employment.

Clinical Staff

Clinical staff at CFPS/IBA includes a clinical staff of over 200, including psychologists, neuropsychologists, psychiatrists, nurse practitioners, social workers, and multiple master's-level clinicians. For a list of clinical staff and their areas of specialty, please visit our website at www.cfpsych.org.

Pre-requisites

The successful applicant will have earned a doctorate in psychology from an appropriate health service provider training program in a properly accredited institution of higher learning and completed an APA accredited internship. All doctoral degree requirements must be expected to be completed prior to the starting date of the fellowship.

Expectations

The fellowship begins August 30, 2021.



Psychology fellows typically work Monday through Friday and have no on-call or overnight duties besides providing emergency coverage for patients for whom they are providing ongoing treatment. Fellows typically work a 40-50 hour work week dependent on clinical and paperwork demands. The specific start and end times will vary day to day, but may include up to 2 evenings a week until 8:00pm. Fellows are expected to average 25 patient contact hours per week. Fellows will be expected to apply for licensure and take exams (EPPP and MA state exam) as soon as eligible in Massachusetts.

Salary and Benefits

There is a stipend of \$42,000 for the fellowship year with the opportunity to earn additional compensation of approximately \$5,000-\$6,000.

Benefits include:

- Health, Dental, and Vision
- 401k retirement plan with employer contributions
- Paid sick, vacation, and personal time
- Dependent Care Account

Application Materials

Please forward the following application materials to Lisa DeGrass, PhD - Director of Clinical Training in Psychology at ldegrass@cfpsych.org.

- Application cover sheet (located on our website – www.cfpsych.org)
- Letter of interest (No more than 2 pages, stating which track you are applying for and why; a brief summary of relevant educational, clinical, and research training and experience; and a statement about why the fellowship at CFPS is a good fit for you based on your prior training and future career goals.)
- Curriculum Vitae
- Certified transcript of all doctoral work
- Three letters of reference



Applications are requested before December 14, 2020. However, applications may be considered after that date. Interviews will be held remotely in January 2021. Offers will typically be made on or before February 25, 2021.

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Application Cover Sheet

Last name:

First name:

Email:

Mailing Address:

Street:

City:

State:

Zip:

Home Phone:

Cell phone:

U.S. Citizenship: Yes No

Doctoral Program

Was your Doctoral Program APA Approved? Yes No

Date Doctoral degree was completed:



Degree earned:

If doctoral degree is not yet complete, please specify the following:

Describe in detail the status of your dissertation and the date on which you expect to complete all requirements for the doctoral degree. All requirements **MUST** be complete before the start of your post-doctoral fellowship:

Predoctoral Internship site:

Predoctoral Internship Completed (date):

Was your internship APA approved? Yes No

Postdoctoral experiences (if any, please list):



Which track are you applying for?

Child, Adolescent, and Family Psychotherapy

Adult Psychotherapy

Please identify which location(s) you would prefer. You may select multiple locations or if you do not have a preference, please select “Open to any location” :

Open to any location

Arlington	Northborough
Canton	North Andover
Chelmsford	Norwood
Concord	Quincy
Framingham	Stoneham
Lexington	Weymouth
Lynnfield	Woburn

Please indicate if you have interest in a 2 year commitment, with the second year functioning as a staff psychologist.

Yes, I have interest in a 2 year commitment

I am only interested in a 1 year commitment at this time



Please describe your short-term and long-term professional goals.

