



Clinical Psychology Research Assistant Positions for Graduates

The **Behavioral Science Division of the National Center for PTSD** anticipates openings to work closely with clinical psychologists on a variety of research activities in the area of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder.

Responsibilities for these positions include:

- ◆ Collecting data from research subjects and testing clinical patients
- ◆ Compiling data and managing databases
- ◆ Performing statistical analyses
- ◆ Conducting library research
- ◆ Assisting in the preparation of grants, manuscripts, and professional presentations

This is an ideal opportunity for individuals who want to strengthen their research skills before applying to a graduate or professional program. Applicants should possess a keen interest in a career involving research and have completed a Bachelor's degree in Psychology or in a health science, allied scientific or social science field that includes college level courses in Psychology. Other important qualifications include strong computer skills, a background in research methodology and statistics, and the maturity and interpersonal sensitivity necessary for working in a clinical setting.

All positions will be located primarily at the VA Boston Healthcare System, with start dates that are expected to vary between June and September 2017. Salary and benefits are determined by the source of funding for each position, but all financial packages are highly competitive with similar positions in the Boston area. A two year commitment is typical.

Interest in a position of this type can be indicated prior to formal application by submitting the following materials:

- 1) A letter that outlines interest in a position and summarizes personal career goals,
- 2) A resume or curriculum vita,
- 3) A current transcript (unofficial copies are acceptable), and
- 4) The names of two individuals who can serve as professional references.

These materials can be sent electronically or by mail to:

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National Center for PTSD (116B-2)
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Information about formal application procedures will be communicated when it is available.

Telephone inquiries can be directed to (857) 364-4143.

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