Researchers in the Laboratories of Cognitive Neuroscience (LCN) are dedicated to furthering our understanding of brain and cognitive development in typically developing infants and children, as well as children diagnosed with or at risk for various developmental disorders. Our multidisciplinary team of researchers brings together experts from a wide range of fields, including neuroscience, psychology, and education. In collaboration with clinical experts in fields such as developmental pediatrics and child neurology, we are working to expand our knowledge of child development and developmental disorders. In gaining a better understanding of these processes, our goal is to contribute to the healthy growth and development of our children.

The Labs of Cognitive Neuroscience are currently seeking 1-2 part-time (< 5-10 hours/week) Clinical Research Assistants to join the Nelson Lab team (www.bostonchildrens.org/nelsonlab). The Clinical Research Assistants will assist with conducting clinical interviews for a longitudinal study investigating the neural bases of emotion processing in typically developing young children. Responsibilities will include interviewing mother’s regarding their child's lifetime history of DSM 5-based symptoms and disorders and the mothers' own history of DSM 5-based disorders. Semi-structured clinical interviews are utilized (DIPA and SCID) via in-person and remote (e.g., via video platform) meetings.

Eligible candidates have the following qualifications:

- Bachelor's Degree in psychology, child development, cognitive science, neuroscience, or related field required
- Experience/training in conducting clinical interviews either in a research or clinical setting
- Evening and weekend availability is required
- Possess excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Possess excellent organizational and interpersonal skills
- Self-motivated and able to work in a fast-paced, changing environment
- 18-month+ commitment preferred, start date January 2018

Please apply for the position 1) online (http://www.childrenshospital.org/career-opportunities/search-career-opportunities). Click ‘Search Openings’, and enter AutoReqId $45302; and 2) send a cover letter and CV to Alissa Westerlund, LCN Program Manager, Alissa.Westerlund@childrens.harvard.edu