

Project Coordinator Position in the Department of Psychology at the University of Pittsburgh

The [Families, Emotions, Neuroscience, and Development \(FEND\)](#) Lab at the [University of Pittsburgh](#), directed by Dr. Jennifer Silk, is seeking a Project Coordinator to contribute to a newly funded NIMH study, the Teen SCREEN Study, co-directed by Dr. Silk and Dr. Cecile Ladouceur. The purpose of this study is to better understand how adolescent girls' social media experiences, other social interactions, and the brain influence daily fluctuations in mood, suicidal thoughts and behaviors, and symptoms of depression.

Responsibilities:

- Recruit participants by serving as a clinical liaison for local inpatient, partial and outpatient clinics and conduct phone screens
- Conduct neuroimaging, parent-adolescent interaction, and eyetracking/psychophysiology assessments
- Orient participants to ecological momentary assessment (EMA) and passive data collection and monitor compliance/troubleshoot issues
- Process data and supervise undergraduate processing and coding teams
- General project tasks including data tracking, preparing study materials, report preparation, routine IRB correspondence

Preferred Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Psychology, Neuroscience, or related field
- Minimum of 1 year of research experience
- Evidence of excellent organizational, interpersonal, communication, and leadership skills
- Demonstrated interest in adolescent mental health.

This is an excellent opportunity for individuals interested in pursuing graduate school in child clinical psychology and/or developmental/social affective neuroscience. The selected applicant will receive training in suicide safety assessment and multi-method research approaches. Opportunities for mentored independent research are available.

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis and a **June 1 start date** is preferred. A **two-year commitment is preferred**. To apply please visit: https://cfopitt.taleo.net/careersection/pitt_staff_external/jobdetail.ftl?job=22002771&tz=GMT-04%3A00&tzname=America%2FNew_York

Individuals from groups underrepresented in clinical psychological science are highly encouraged to apply.