



University of California
San Francisco

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS –
CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY TRAINING PROGRAM DIRECTOR
UCSF DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
UCSF SCHOOL OF MEDICINE**

Overview

The UCSF Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences is announcing a leadership position effective September 1, 2022. The position is for **Director of the CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY TRAINING PROGRAM DIRECTOR at 40% effort**. The expected term is four years, which is renewable.

The Clinical Psychology Training Program (CPTP) in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at UCSF is dedicated primarily to the recruitment and preparation of doctoral students in clinical psychology who are committed to pursuing an academic and research career. The CPTP is a two-year program that includes a doctoral internship (APA-accredited) in the first year, and a postdoctoral fellowship involving both advanced clinical and research aspects. The program adheres to the scientist-practitioner model of professional psychology and aims to contribute to the training of individuals who will become independent practitioners (i.e., licensed psychologists who can practice on their own) and clinical scientists who are principal investigators.

The CPTP is organized into two clusters, (1) the Public Service and Minority (PS&M) Cluster based at Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital (ZSFG) and (2) the Clinical Assessment and Interventions (CAI) Cluster based primarily at the Pritzker Psychiatry Building, with rotations at Langley Porter Psychiatric Hospital and Clinics – Moffit Long Hospital (Consultation/Liaison Psychiatry) and the Memory and Aging Center (neuropsychology).

Position Requirements

The position is open to any current full-time paid (or affiliate paid) DPBS faculty member at any geographic site. Applicants must demonstrate clinical, educational, research, and administrative excellence.

Position Description

Oversee trainee selection, professional development, curriculum, program planning, program evaluation, maintain internship program accreditation with the American Psychological Association (APA) and postdoctoral fellowship membership with the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers (APPIC). Represent the program to internal and external communities and agencies.

Examples of duties:

- Select and supervise clinical psychology interns and postdoctoral fellows.
- Promote diversity in trainees, supervisors, and training experiences.
- Coordinate involvement of psychology and clinical faculty and staff in the training program.
- Arrange for program didactics.



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- Determine needs of program, track trainee progress, communicate with university training directors, oversee the quality and quantity of training, establish program and direction.
- Maintain comprehensive evaluation system of the trainees that is consistent with APA guidelines.
- Prepare progress reports and other communications with the American Psychological Association (APA) and the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers (APPIC). Develop program self-studies and coordinate site visits as needed to maintain accreditation.
- Participate in program development.

Qualifications

Minimum

Possession of a valid California Psychologist license.

At least three years of post-license professional experience in the practice of clinical psychology (e.g., assessment and treatment).

Experience administering a training program for clinical psychologists at the internship or postdoctoral level.

Preferred

Maintain active clinical research program, including peer-reviewed publications, presentations, grants, etc.

Experience training clinical psychology interns and postdoctoral fellows in both health service delivery and clinical research.

Application

Please submit your application to Sabrina Ahmad at Sabrina.Ahmad@ucsf.edu. Include a **cover letter** and **CV**. Applications are due on **Friday, July 22, 2022**, at 5pm.

We are looking for candidates who will be able to meaningfully collaborate with colleagues internally and externally and who can provide innovative and strategic approaches on issues before the department. We strongly encourage applicants from all backgrounds to apply, particularly those of you who identify as underrepresented in medicine. Please note that this position is open to any current full-time paid (or affiliate paid) DPBS faculty member at any geographic site.