

Internship Program Admissions

Date Program Tables are updated:

Briefly describe in narrative form important information to assist potential applicants in assessing their likely fit with your program. This description must be consistent with the program's policies on intern selection and practicum and academic preparation requirements:

Intern selection is based on a number of factors including as follows: (a) doctoral training in clinical psychology from an APA-accredited program; (b) completion of all doctoral-level coursework prior to the internship application deadline, including successful defense of dissertation proposal; (c) demonstration of a strong academic background and fit with the clinical scientist model of training, as demonstrated by research ability/productivity (e.g., peer-reviewed manuscript(s), professional presentations) and a scientific mindedness in the delivery of psychological services (e.g., use of evidence-based treatment, openness to outcome monitoring, knowledge of clinical research as pertains to most common clinical problems); (d) knowledge of and experience in delivering Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy models; (e) breadth of practicum experiences in regard to client populations, assessment skills, modalities of treatment, types of presenting problems, and settings, as well as experience in and desire to follow the clinical scientist model; (f) depth of practicum experiences, namely, a minimum of 600 total face-to-face hours of service delivery (including a minimum of 100 assessment contact hours and a minimum of 450 treatment contact hours); and (g) fit between the intern's professional interests/career goals and the mission of the SBU-CIP, as well as the goals and philosophy of the training program.

Does the program require that applicants have received a minimum number of hours of the following at time of application? If Yes, indicate how many:

Total Direct Contact Intervention Hours	N	<u>Y</u>	Amount: 450
Total Direct Contact Assessment Hours	N	<u>Y</u>	Amount: 100

Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:

Not applicable