SIU School of Medicine with Division of Psycho-Oncology
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How should students contact this agency? E-Mail
How should students submit cover letters and resume? E-Mail
Responsibilities of Internship: 60% Research 40% Clinical Experiences

Job Description:
The intern will work closely with Chad Noggle to assist with varied research projects in the Division of Psycho-Oncology at Southern Illinois University School of Medicine. Additionally, the intern will gain clinical knowledge by shadowing various health psychology professionals in the medical oncology clinics and observing activities in the Side-by-Side Wellness Center.

An ideal intern will have:
- A social science or science undergraduate major
- A strong desire to participate in empirical research
- A strong desire to increase clinical knowledge/experiences in the behavioral health field
- Excellent writing and communication skills
- The ability to utilize Microsoft Word and Excel
- A positive attitude, attention to detail, and desire to grow personally and professionally

Specific tasks will include:
- Searching for, obtaining, and reviewing journal articles
- Organizing, entering, and cleaning data for statistical analysis
- Writing research reports.
- Recruits clinical study participants, interviews, and evaluates potential participants.
- Assists in writing research proposals and prepares documents for Institutional Review Board approval.
- Shadows health psychology professionals in various medical clinics.
- Participates and observes activities in the wellness center.
- Observes personality and neuro-psychology testing.
- Other duties as assigned.

Basic student learning anticipated:
The intern will leave the internship with an enhanced understanding of the day-to-day process of conducting social science research. In addition, the intern will gain a better understanding of the relationship between psychological wellbeing and cancer. This internship will be especially helpful for an undergraduate considering post-graduate education in the social sciences, as
they will likely leave the internship with a strong experience working on numerous research projects as well as a better understanding of the behavioral health field.

Application Requirements:
Interested students should email their resume and cover letter directly to Chad Noggle. A letter of reference from the student’s academic advisor or program chair should also be emailed directly to Chad Noggle. 3.0 GPA minimum.

Hours per week: Up to 40
Number of weeks: 8 to 16
Position Available: Fall, Spring, Summer

Unpaid

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