Nebraska Internship Consortium in Professional Psychology

The Nebraska Internship Consortium in Professional Psychology (NICPP) is a group of outpatient, inpatient, and university agencies in both rural and urban settings in southeastern Nebraska. The mission of NICPP is to provide an integrated, individually tailored and coordinated series of learning experiences that will serve interns with opportunities to: (a) practice and expand on previously held knowledge and learned skills, (b) develop new skills and knowledge, and (c) experience professional growth and development, thus contributing to the emergence of competent, ethical, scientist-practitioner professional psychologists. Each year, approximately 30 interns and 10 postdoctoral fellows complete their training at one of the six training sites. Each site hosts a seminar in a monthly series during which interns present and discuss cases and receive didactic training across a broad array of topics in professional psychology. To facilitate diversity training, all interns complete two site visits where they spend at least half of a day at one of the other sites within NICPP. In addition, all interns in NICPP create professional goals and monitor their attainment over the course of the internship experience.

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This internship site agrees to abide by the APPIC policy that no person at this training facility will solicit, accept, or use any ranking-related information from any intern applicant.

Address questions regarding APA accreditation to:
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**Munroe-Meyer Institute**  
Omaha, NE  
The Munroe-Meyer Institute specializes in clinical services for children with behavioral, emotional, physical, health, cognitive, genetic, and developmental disabilities. Clinical services are provided in an interdisciplinary and collaborative environment. Training is decidedly behavioral in orientation and focuses on data-driven decision making and the implementation of evidence-based practice. Interns are matched to one of 3 programs: Behavioral Pediatrics and Integrated Care (outpatient services for common developmental and behavioral problems in center-based clinics and primary care settings), Rural Integrated Care (interns live in rural communities, providing outpatient services in primary care settings), or Center for Autism Spectrum Disorders (rotations focusing on severe behavior disorders, feeding disorders, or early intensive intervention). MMI accepts 15-18 interns and 5 post-doctoral fellows yearly.

**Boys Town**  
Omaha, NE  
Boys Town provides support for at-risk children and families through its integrated continuum of care. Several tracks are available, providing mental health services to children and adolescents across the continuum of care. Trainees match with a single track lasting the duration of the internship year. All tracks include provision of therapy and consultation, with setting and population served varying by track. Tracks: Residential Program: provide outpatient therapy to children/adolescents in residential placement, facilitate groups; Academic: provide direct services in an alternative school setting and evaluate/implement academic interventions to outpatient community clients; Adult: provide outpatient therapy to adults in the community, facilitate groups; RTC Inpatient: provide mental health services to clients in an inpatient hospital-based treatment facility; Behavioral Health Clinic – East: provide outpatient therapy to children/adolescents in the community. Boys Town accepts 6-10 interns and 2-4 postdoctoral fellows yearly.

**Nebraska Medicine**  
**Psychology Department**  
Omaha, NE  
Nebraska Medicine is an academic health science center and the largest healthcare facility in Nebraska, housing Centers of Excellence in Cancer, Bariatric Surgery, Transplant, Neurological Sciences, and Women's Health. The Nebraska Medicine Psychology Department provides interns with intensive training and experience in screening, assessment, psychotherapy, and interdisciplinary collaboration for individuals with a full range of psychiatric disorders, as well as those coping with acute and chronic medical illnesses, in both hospital outpatient and inpatient settings. Training is grounded in a biopsychosocial and inter-professional approach to understanding and treating behavioral health disorders and helping patients manage the psychological aspects of acute and chronic illness and trauma. Two core experiences are provided throughout the internship year: outpatient psychotherapy and inpatient consultation. In addition, interns select 3 4-month rotations from the following: Chronic pain management (required), Transplantation, Psycho-oncology, and Bariatrics. Additional specialty training in diabetes management, functional disorders, and non-epileptic seizures is also available. NMPD accepts 1 psychology intern and 1 health psychology postdoctoral fellow yearly.

**Center for Health and Counseling, Creighton University**  
Omaha, NE  
Creighton University is a comprehensive Jesuit institution with more than 8,000 undergraduate, graduate, and professional students. The Center for Health and Counseling (CHC) is an integrative health services center that provides for the medical and psychological needs of all enrolled students. Our individualized comprehensive training program addresses all aspects of work in a university counseling center. Training opportunities are offered in individual psychotherapy using brief and intermediate models; learning disability evaluations and ADHD assessments; psychological evaluations of personality; eating disorder assessment and treatment; group therapy; supervision; consultation with faculty, staff, administration and medical providers; and outreach programming. CHC accepts 1-2 interns yearly.

**Nebraska Department of Health And Human Services**  
Beatrice, NE  
The Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services is a group of 5 Intermediate Care Facilities providing a very high level of support for adults with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. Professional staff provide specialized behavioral, psychological, psychiatric, medical, nursing, dental, OT/PT, SLP, nutritional, recreation therapy, and direct supports. Interns at DHHS have the opportunity to provide behavioral/psychological consultation to home teams, behavior program development and implementation consistent with the principles of Applied Behavior Analysis, direct support staff training, psychotherapy, and psychological evaluation. DHHS interns participate in a variety of interdisciplinary team meetings throughout the year. DHHS accepts 3 interns yearly.

**QLI**  
Omaha NE  
QLI is a post-hospital inpatient rehabilitation facility for people with brain injuries, spinal cord injuries, and other central nervous system dysfunction. Our Tri-Dimensional model of rehabilitation divides the process into three service dimensions involving (1) excellent basic health care and traditional restorative therapies, (2) an active training program focused on the acquisition of applied and functional skills, and (3) systematically addressing the individual’s quality of life, including acceptance of reality and enthusiasm for the future. The program is an internship in rehabilitation psychology and neuropsychology, with a strong emphasis on developing skills in neuropsychological assessment and interpretation. Opportunities exist in individual and family psychotherapeutic and psycho-educational services, applied and functional neuropsychological and psychological evaluation, collaborative consultation, and staff development. We commonly treat anxiety and depression related to adjustment following injury, and routinely serve individuals presenting with a variety of co-morbid diagnoses, such as eating disorder, psychosis, chronic pain disorder, diabetes, substance abuse, impulse control disorder, personality disorders, and others. QLI accepts 1 intern yearly.