

Internship Admissions, Support, and Initial Placement Data

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Internship Program Admissions

Pine Rest's pre-doctoral internship in professional psychology seeks to provide broad training in a practitioner-scholar program. The internship is housed in a large, comprehensive behavioral health services system in beautiful Western Michigan. Interns will provide services across the continuum of services, including inpatient, outpatient, residential, and consultation with local agencies. Interns completing the program will be well-prepared for any number of psychology positions; our graduates have joined hospital systems, taught at the university level, and opened private practices—to name a few. Finally, interns are treated as colleagues during the year, receiving excellent training from supervisors and staff who genuinely care for their professional and personal development.

Does the program require that applicants have received a minimum number of hours of the following at the time of application? If Yes, indicate how many:			
Total Direct Contact Intervention Hours		Y	200
Total Direct Contact Assessment Hours	N		N/A

Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passed comprehensive exams • Proposed dissertation

Financial and Other Benefit Support for Upcoming Training Year

Annual Stipend/Salary for Full-time interns	\$25,000
Annual Stipend/Salary for Half-time interns	N/A
Program provides access to medical insurance for intern?	Yes
Trainee contribution to cost required	Yes
Coverage of family member(s) available?	Yes
Coverage of domestic partner available?	Yes
Hours of Annual Paid Personal Time off (PTO and/or Vacation)	160
Hours of Annual Paid Sick Leave	Included above
In the event of medical conditions and/or family needs that require extended leave, does the program allow reasonable unpaid leave to interns/residents in excess of personal time off and sick leave?	Yes
Other benefits (Please describe)	Dental, Vision, 403b

Initial Post-Internship Positions

Cohorts Completing Internship 2014-2017

(Total graduates of program = 16)

	Post-doctoral residency position	Employed position
Community mental health center		4*
Federally qualified health center	1	
Independent primary care facility/clinic	2	
University counseling center		
Veterans Affairs medical center		
Military health center		
Academic health center	3	
Other medical center or hospital	1	
Psychiatric hospital		
Academic university/department		1
Community college or other teaching setting		
Independent research institution		
Correctional facility		
School district/system		
Independent practice setting		4
Not currently employed		
Changed to another field		
Other		
Unknown		

*All four of these persons are employed by Pine Rest, which provides behavioral health services across a broad continuum of care. As they are all employed primarily in the outpatient network, "Community Mental Health Center" is the best fitting category, although they also have opportunity for work in other parts of our system.