



## **Behavioral Health Doctoral Externship Program**

Chase Brexton Health Care is a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) with locations throughout the Baltimore region. We offer a range of services, including medical, dental, pharmacy, case management, and behavioral health services to a diverse population of clients and patients. Our Behavioral Health department has provided training opportunities for many professionals through the years

The Behavioral Health Doctoral Internship is a 600-hour training experience that provides for advanced doctoral students in clinical and counseling psychology, social work, rehabilitation counseling, and alcohol and drug counseling. Our externship provides students the opportunity to enhance their outpatient clinical skills in a community mental health setting that honors diversity, encourages an interdisciplinary approach to care, and takes a whole-person perspective on mental health.

This externship is designed for students who have already completed at least one term (semester or year) conducting psychotherapy (e.g, Practicum or Field Placement I), preferably within a community mental health setting. Interns make a 24-hour per week commitment for an entire academic year (i.e., beginning fall and ending spring), spending three days on site. Hours will be determined according to placement site (Columbia, Mount Vernon, Glen Burnie or Randallstown). Externs will spend time co-facilitating groups as well as seeing individual clients. Externs will receive at least one hour of individual supervision, attend staff meetings, as well as participate in our training seminars and staff development workshops. Externs will also participate in didactic trainings, case conferences and consultations, and group supervision that is designed to augment their individual supervision.

Externs will have the option to have a focused experience working with the LGBTQ+ community or option to work within the Center for LGBTQ Health Equity. We also have opportunities for interns to work with Pediatric and adolescent populations and to rotate in Behavioral medicine.

All Doctoral students will be supervised by a Doctoral level provider.

If you are interested in participating in the Behavioral Health Doctoral Externship Program, please send a cover letter, professional reference, and curriculum vitae by March 2nd, 2022 to:

Chase Brexton HR

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Or

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We will invite applicants to interview in March, and we anticipate making offers by the end of May