

Internship Admissions, Support, and Initial Placement Data

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Internship Program Admissions

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:

This internship in health service psychology best fits with applicants who have a strong interest in collegiate mental health services within the context of a comprehensive counseling center and are also interested in completing a summer specialization in a counseling center focus area or in an external rotation in a healthcare setting.

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	No	Yes	Amount: 400 hours by Nov 1 st
Total Direct Contact Assessment Hours	No	Yes	Amount: N/A

Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:

To be considered for the USF Counseling Center Internship in Health Service Psychology, applicants must fulfill the following criteria:

- Current enrollment in an APA-accredited (or CPA-accredited) doctoral program in counseling, clinical, or school psychology.
- A minimum of 400 intervention hours from practica by November 1 as stated above, and a minimum of 1000 total practicum hours. Refer to the AAPI for what are included under "Intervention Experience." These hours may also include practicum training accrued during a terminal master’s program.
- Successful completion of doctoral comprehensive exams.
- Dissertation proposal defended and accepted by academic training program.
- Completion of all required coursework and practica prior to internship start date.
- Approval by the academic training program verifying readiness for internship.