Postdoctoral Fellowship in School Mental Health

The National Center for School Mental Health in the Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry at the University of Maryland School of Medicine (Baltimore, MD) invites applications for a full-time, 1-2 year(s) postdoctoral fellowship in child and adolescent mental health starting in Summer 2022.

Fellows will work with faculty and a multidisciplinary team to advance skills in research, training, policy, and practice related to child and adolescent mental health services with an emphasis on school-based services. This fellowship is supported by federal and state grants and contracts, including two grants focused on building school, district, and state capacity for high-quality, trauma-responsive Comprehensive School Mental Health Systems (CSMHSs). In addition to collaborating on school mental health research and training activities, the fellowship may include the opportunity for clinical practice in schools, depending on candidates’ interests and experiences. Competitive salary and benefits are provided.

Candidates should have:

- interest in collaborating on research pertaining to local, state, and national school mental health systems for children and adolescents.
- evidence of research and academic productivity (peer-reviewed publications) and desire to participate in and to lead manuscript development.
- strong research and analytical skills, including experience with SPSS.
- excellent communication skills and the ability and desire to present the National Center for School Mental Health and the University of Maryland School of Medicine.
- desire to be involved in the writing of grant submissions.
- interest in developing an independent and compatible research agenda.

Applications must have completed all requirements for the PhD/PsyD program from an APA-accredited clinical, school, or counseling psychology program or provide documentation that they are on track to complete all doctoral requirements for the PhD/PsyD prior to the start of the fellowship date. Applications can be initiated by sending a CV and a statement of interest to Jill Bohnenkamp, PhD at jbohnenk@som.umaryland.edu as soon as possible. Interviews will occur on a rolling basis.