

Pediatric Psychology Fellowship



Nemours Children's Hospital – Orlando, FL

The **Pediatric Psychology** fellowship offers training in outpatient therapy to patients referred by medical subspecialty clinics, consultation services in multidisciplinary outpatient subspecialty clinics and inpatient consultation/liaison services to our 135 bed freestanding children's hospital. The fellow's time is split evenly between inpatient and outpatient opportunities throughout the training year. Between our inpatient and outpatient services, we support children and families facing a wide variety of medical challenges, including chronic pain, craniofacial differences, chronic illness, critical care, Rehabilitation, Hem/Onc, Epilepsy, Palliative Care, and others.

Core Experiences-

- Inpatient Consultation/Liaison
- Outpatient Medical Clinics
 - Chronic Pain
 - Sickle Cell
 - Craniofacial
 - Microtia
 - ...and more!
- Outpatient Therapy
 - Often medically complex

Possible Minor Experiences-

- Diagnostic Assessments
- Supervision of Psychology and Medical Trainees
- Research Opportunities

Expectations

We aim to train clinicians that are ready for independent licensure at the end of the training year. A second year may be possible, based on fit and interest.

We expect our fellows to aim for 30 patient contact hours per week, across roles.

Successful completion of the EPPP by the Spring of the training year.

Attendance at didactics, training seminars, and supervision.

Benefits

Competitive Salary - \$64,302
Generous Benefits Package
CE Funding and Educational Costs
25 Paid Days Off
Weekly Meals Stipend

How to Apply?

Send the following materials in an email to our Director of Training, Elie Hessel, PhD at elie.hessel@nemours.org

- Curriculum Vitae
- Letter of Interest
- 2 Letters of Recommendation
- Letter from DCT indicating status of degree requirements

Applications accepted until position is filled.

Interview Information

We can't wait to meet you and discuss your qualifications and training goals!

We anticipate we will offer in-person and virtual interviews.



Elie Hessel, PhD

Dr. Hessel is our director of training and a pediatric psychologist who splits her time among outpatient therapy, integrated care, and inpatient consults.

Need More Information?

Our Fellowship Coordinator, Michelle Pizarro, can be reached at Michelle.Pizarro@nemours.org



Primary Supervisors



Beth Long, PsyD

Dr. Long is the chief of Behavioral Health, and a Pediatric Psychologist. Dr. Long splits her time between outpatient therapy, outpatient integrated care, and inpatient consults. She will serve as one of your main supervisors, for both Inpatients and outpatients, including microtia and craniofacial clinics.



Danette Beitra, PhD, ABPP

Dr. Beitra is a pediatric psychologist who splits her time among the pain program, outpatients, inpatients, assessment cases, and group therapy programs. She will serve as one of your primary supervisors for pain clinic and the pain program, Inpatient and outpatient cases, and for any supervision in Spanish.



Elie Hessel, PhD

Dr. Hessel is a pediatric psychologist who splits her time among outpatient therapy, integrated specialty care, and inpatient consults. She will serve as a supervisor for your inpatient, outpatient, sickle cell, and pain family treatment.