University of Kentucky

Department of Psychiatry

# We are looking for clinician-researchers!

The Department of Psychiatry at the University of Kentucky College of Medicine is seeking a faculty member to serve as a clinician and researcher in its Research Division. We employ physicians, psychologists, therapists and other mental health professionals to provide a wide variety of behavioral health and substance use treatment services at multiple locations. Our clinicians provide care at our UK Psychiatric & Behavioral Health Care Clinic at Fountain Court, Albert B. Chandler Hospital, Good Samaritan Hospital, Eastern State Hospital, and various other clinics and departments throughout the UK HealthCare system and other partner organizations throughout Kentucky. We strive to provide the highest level of patient care by utilizing innovative educational programs, conducting active research on mental illness, and championing advocacy throughout the state of Kentucky and beyond.

**Qualifications**

- Doctoral degree in a clinical field, such as social work, psychology, or counseling, or related field.
- Current licensure (LCSW, Ph.D., LPP, LPCC, or the equivalent), or eligibility to obtain licensure and/or industry-standard board certification in the field of psychotherapy, psychological testing or related services to practice in the state of Kentucky.
- Experience providing psychological services through evidence-based psychotherapy, psychological testing and/or related services.
- Demonstrated experience collaborating with physicians and other clinicians in diagnosing and treating patients with mental health conditions.
- Demonstrated ability in teaching students or trainees.
- Established track record in conducting independent research, publishing novel scientific findings, and obtaining extramural funding.
- Experience doing community and stakeholder-engaged research is preferred. This position will have significant research effort so that an extramurally funded research program can be established in the context of the Department's core research areas, which include substance use, trauma, HIV, mood disorders, and suicide prevention.
- Experience in working with children, adolescents, and young adults is preferred.

**Comprehensive Benefits Package:**

- Health, dental, and insurance benefits
- Relocation assistance
- A competitive 2:1 retirement match up to 5% of an employee's base salary
- Discounts to local, regional and national businesses
- Paid vacation, temporary disability leave (sick time), and 14 paid holidays each year
- Paid time and funding for professional development

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