



Governors State UNIVERSITY

Behavioral Health Workforce Education and Training Grant Internship Stipends

The Health and Human Services Administration's (HRSA) Behavioral Workforce Education and Training (BHWET) at GSU is designed to prepare addictions counseling students and mental health counseling students to acquire competencies to work in integrated behavioral and primary care settings. The grant provides students with a \$10,000 stipend to complete their 600 clock hour internships (\$5,000 for ADDS 8800 and \$5,000 for ADDS 8810). Students also will receive: training materials on trauma and integrated behavioral / primary care; monthly seminars/training to enhance competencies in trauma-informed and integrated behavioral /primary care; and \$1,500 to attend a conference addressing integrated behavioral health care. Students must be starting their internships in the Spring, 2018. Students will receive half of the funds in their first internship and the other half in their second semester of internship.

Participants must agree to:

1. Learn about trauma across the lifespan and integrated behavioral/primary care.
2. Attend 3 workshops at GSU (grant will pay for the workshops—no cost to student) addressing trauma-informed care and integrating behavioral health into primary care.
3. Attend once-a-month seminars addressing integrated behavioral health (some will be online and some will be in-person)
4. Attend a conference in integrated behavioral health (each student will receive up to \$1,500 to cover the costs of the conference, travel, and food).
5. Agree to provide the program with information about your job post- graduation.
6. Complete an online trauma training (the cost will be covered by the grant—no cost to student).

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