Childhood Trauma and Grief Postdoctoral Fellowship

The Trauma and Grief Center for Youth at the University of Texas Health Science Center, Department of Psychiatry, Houston, is accepting applications for a two-year postdoctoral fellowship. We seek applicants with strong research potential who are highly motivated to develop their own program of systematic research in the domains of childhood trauma and grief and prepare for a productive career as a scientist-practitioner.

Opportunities are available to pursue mentored research in the following areas:

1. Longitudinal studies of bereaved youth
2. Biopsychosocial risk and protective factors associated with maladaptive grief and youth PTSD
3. Grief screening and assessment
4. Development and evaluation of interventions for traumatized and/or grieving youth

The postdoctoral research fellow will also have opportunities to assist with trainings focusing on trauma- and grief-informed assessments and interventions provided through the Trauma and Grief Center for Youth.

Applicants must have evidence that a doctoral degree in Clinical Psychology from an APA accredited academic program to be completed by August, 2014. The start date of the fellowship is flexible, but no later than September 1st, 2014. Benefits include vacation, sick and, and health care coverage. Salary is commensurate with experience. For further information, please forward your Curriculum Vitae and Letter of Interest to: Joyce Collins, Administrative Services Officer, UT Health, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences (Julie.B.Kaplow@uth.tmc.edu). Your application will be forwarded to the Director, Trauma and Grief Center for Youth, Department of Psychiatry.

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