

## Gaining Relevant Clinical Experience

*Experience in a clinical setting is often required by clinical graduate programs. Having valuable clinical experience not only helps you get into the graduate school you'd like to attend, but also offers intangible rewards such as personal growth and increased clinical knowledge. Below you will find a course listing for a clinical internship as listed in the Catalog, a list of types and locations of clinical internships, and a few helpful links.*

### ***From the Undergraduate Catalog:***

**PSYC 395 Clinical Internship in Psychology 12 semester hours**

Provides practical observation and experiences for the student in an approved human service agency or faculty where psychological principles and techniques are used; for example, a rehabilitation center, health center or hospital, or drug-abuse treatment center. *Prerequisite: PSYC 385 and permission of the instructor.*

### Helpful links:

- [Internships in Psychology](#) – A book listed by the APA, which includes tips for writing autobiographical essays and personal statements, sample interview questions, and additional resources for obtaining internships in psychology.

### Sites for Clinical Experience:

<b>GENERAL AREA</b>	<b>SITE TYPE</b>	<b>SITE NAME</b>
Albion, PA	prison	State Correctional Institution-Albion
Beachwood, OH	aging	Menorah Park Center for the Aging
Beaver, PA	dom. violence	Women's Center of Beaver County
Bradford, PA	hospital	Bradford Recovery Systems/Bradford Reg. Med. Ctr.
Bradford, PA	prison	Federal Correctional Institute-McKean
Butler, PA	child/youth	Butler County Children & Youth Services
Brockway, PA	aging	Highland View Health Care
Camb. Springs, PA	prison	State Correctional Institution at Cambridge Springs
Clarion, PA	hospital	Clarion Psychiatric Center
Clarion, PA	shelter	S.A.F.E. (Stop Abuse for Everyone)
Cleveland, OH	drug/alc rehab	Glenbeigh Health Sources
DuBois, PA	MH clinic	Clearfield Jefferson CMHC/Gateway Institute & Clinic
Edinboro, PA	group home	Hermitage House Youth Services
Edinboro, PA	school psych	Northwest Tri-county I.U. (Academic Year Only)
Erie, PA	day camp	Achievement Center- Pelham ADHD/STP camps
Erie, PA	clinical/school	Barber National Institute
Erie, PA	child outreach	Big Brothers/Big Sisters
Erie, PA	MH crisis	Safe Harbor Behavioral Health
Erie, PA	group home	Cornell Abraxas/Erie Behavioral Health
Erie, PA	counsel/courts	Crime Victim Center of Erie County

Erie, PA	Christian couns.	Erie City Mission
Erie, PA	prison	Erie County Prison
Erie, PA	shelter/teen	Florence Crittenden Home
Erie, PA	group home	Gannondale Residential Center for Girls
Erie, PA	drug/alcohol	Gaudenza Crossroads
Erie, PA	multi agencies	GECAC
Erie (Harborcreek)	residential	Harborcreek Youth Services
Erie, PA	neuro-rehab	Health South Rehabilitation Hospital
Erie, PA	grief counseling	Hospice Of Metropolitan Erie
Erie, PA	aging-MR	Lakeside Geriatric Center (Barber National Institute)
Erie, PA	shelter	Mercy Center for Women
Erie, PA	group home	Perseus House (132 W. 26th)
Erie, PA	shelter/couns	SafeNet
Erie, PA	hospital	St. Vincent Hospital Behavioral Health Unit 3R
Erie, PA	hospital	St. Vincent Hospital - Needs Assessment Unit
Erie, PA	residential	Sarah A. Reed Children's Center-Main Campus
Erie, PA	partial	Sarah A. Reed Partial Hospitalization Program
Erie, PA	varied MH	Stairways Behavioral Health
Erie, PA	residential MH	Stairways Behavioral Health (residential unit)
Erie, PA	Christian couns.	Trinity Center
Erie, PA	I/O	Wal-Mart, Store #2561
Franklin, PA	MH clinic	Rural Mental Health Assoc., Inc.
Franklin, PA	children/youth	Venango County Children & Youth
Franklin, PA	shelter/crisis	Victim's Resource Center, Inc.
Greensburg, PA	group home	Presley Ridge RTF
Greensburg, PA	prison	Westmoreland County Prison
Greensburg, PA	hospital	Westmoreland Regional Hospital-Counseling Center
Greenville, PA	MH clinic	Greenville Human Services
Grove City, PA	residential	George Junior Republic
Harrisburg, PA	hospital	Pinnacle Health Inpatient Psychiatry
Hermitage, PA	behav therapy	Behavioral Health Services (Sharon Regional)
Jamestown, NY	mentally challenged	The Resource Center
Jamestown, NY	hospital	WCA Hospital-Jones Memorial Health Center
Johnstown, PA	rehab	Hiram Andrews Center
Lancaster, PA	rehab-neuro	Acadia, Inc.
Meadville, PA	partial	Bethesda Children's Home
Meadville, PA	residential	Bethesda Children's Home
Meadville, PA	MH reintegration	C.H.A.P.S.
Meadville, PA	wraparound	Community Alternatives, Inc.
Meadville, PA	drug & alcohol	Crawford County Drug & Alcohol
Meadville, PA	wraparound	Family Services of NW PA - Wraparound Program
Meadville, PA	hospital	Meadville Medical Center
Meadville, PA	mental health	Northwest Human Services - Creekside Center
Meadville, PA	drug rehab	Stepping Stones @ Meadville Medical Center
Mercer, PA	prison	State Correctional Institution-Mercer
Monessen, PA	hospital	Human Services Mon Valley CMH Center
Nashville, TN	genetics couns.	Vanderbilt Univ. Med. Ctr., Pediatrics - Genetics
New Castle, PA	juve. Probation	Lawrence Co. Juvenile Probation
Oil City, PA	aging	Beverly Healthcare - Oil City

Oil City, PA	child/youth	Family Foundations Program (Family Based)
Pittsburgh, PA	children & youth	Allegheny Co.Children,Youth & Family Services
Pittsburgh, PA	prison	Allegheny County Jail
Pittsburgh, PA	alzheimer	Ardens Courts Alzheimer's Assisted Living
Pittsburgh, PA	varied youth	Family Links (formerly called Whales Tail)
Pittsburgh, PA	adol. diversion	Hazelwood YouthPlaces
Pittsburgh, PA	rehab-head injury	Health South Harmarville Rehabilitation Hospital
Pittsburgh, PA	drug/alc rehab	Mercy Center/Drug & Alcohol
Pittsburgh, PA	day adolescent	Presley Ridge PRYDE
Pittsburgh, PA	hospital	Southwood Hospital
Pittsburgh, PA	outpatient	Southwest Human Services
Pittsburgh, PA	prison	State Correctional Institute at Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA	hospital	Western Psychiatric Clinic Volunteer & Student Services
Pittsburgh, PA	Research unit	Western Psychiatric Clinic (REACH Program)
Pittsburgh, PA	partial/adolesc	WPIC Adolescent Acute Partial Hospitalization Program
Saegertown, PA	prison	Crawford County Correctional Facility
St. Mary's, PA	aging	Andrew Kaul Memorial Hospital
Titusville, PA	womens shelter	YWCA Women's Center
Towanda, PA	mixed	Bradford County Children & Youth Services
Towanda, PA	partial	Northern Tier Counseling
Warren, PA	partial	Deerfield Behavioral Health
Warren, PA	hospital	Warren State Hospital- Psychology Department
Washington, PA	partial	Washington Hospital - Volunteer Services
W. Mifflin, PA	I/O	Wal-Mart, Store #2281
Wheeling, WV	shelter/crisis	YWCA-Family Violence Prevention Program
Wilkesbarre, PA	children & youth	The Family Service Assoc. of Wyoming Valley
Willoughby, OH	hospital/youth	Laurelwood Hospital & Counseling Ctr.
Yeagertown, PA	children	NHS of PA/ Juniata River Center
Zelienople, PA	group home	Glade Run Lutheran Services