

Here are some facts about the Cincinnati Children's:

Our vision: to be the leader in improving child health

Ranked 2nd nationally among all pediatric hospitals by *U.S.News & World Report* (2018-19).

Full-service, not-for-profit pediatric hospital and research center with over 629 registered beds, including 95 inpatient behavioral-health beds and 36 residential behavioral-health beds.

The music therapy team serves patients from infancy to young adult with exceptions going beyond due to the very specialized care offered at the medical center.

We provide services to all units with referrals, but concentrate services on: Psychiatry, Hospice, Rehabilitation, Transitional Care, Colorectal/Gastro-Intestinal (G.I.), Hematology /Oncology, Bone Marrow Transplant (BMT), Cardiology, Cystic Fibrosis (C.F.), Neurology, Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU), Cardiac Intensive Care Unit (CICU) and Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU).

Internship Structure and Experience

The Music Therapy internship is offered once per year starting in August/September. The application deadline is December 1st. After receiving a completed application, the music therapy internship director will contact you about setting up a Skype interview.

The intern should expect to accumulate professional clinical experience through a diverse spectrum of multi-disciplinary and multi-cultural patient and family care. Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center incorporates the philosophy of family-centered care into every aspect of its clinical research and practice.

As an intern, you can expect a wide array of experiences including individual, family, and group sessions. You will experience working with a variety of populations and have the opportunity to focus on your population of interest. This internship also places an emphasis on the use of modern technology and instruments.









Description of Professional Staff

The intern will be working with a tremendous array of medical professionals throughout the internship. They will interact daily with our six music therapists: Jennifer Seley, Elizabeth Harman, Alexa Economos, Brittney Knapp, Nathan Mensah, and Anthony Borzi. Other professionals include: Child Life staff, Social Work, Chaplains, Physicians, Surgeons, Nurses, PCA's and PCF's, Administrative Consultants, Physical, Occupational, Recreational, and Respiratory Therapists, Psychologists, Psychiatrists, Volunteers, and all other medical center staff.

Intern Housing, Meals and Transportation Information

Housing is not currently offered by this facility, but there is a variety of short term lease options available to interns in the area. Cincinnati Children's does not currently offer a stipend or meals for interns. For transportation needs, Cincinnati has an extensive bus system that provides services through greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky. More information will be provided upon the acceptance to the internship.

Liability Insurance: If the student is affiliated with University/College/Academic Institution, liability insurance is usually covered by the educational institution. —If not, liability insurance must be purchased by intern. If this is the case, the music therapy intern will be assisted and guided to regularly used liability insurers for interns.

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