



Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in clinical training in Psychology at Hines VA. We believe our APA-Accredited program is one of the finest at the internship level.

We are proud of our reputation as a program that produces highly competent graduates ready for entry-level practice in clinical and counseling psychology. Most of our interns move on to one of their highest ranked postdoctoral or employment positions immediately following completion of their doctoral studies and internship.

Training occurs within a very warm and nurturing environment that is conducive to interns' professional growth and to their development of an identity as a clinical or counseling psychologist. Our program is learning- and training-based, as opposed to production-based. Service delivery is subsumed under the interns' training needs and interests. Interns determine, to good measure, their rotations, focusing on their training needs and interests. Intensive and extensive supervision and education are program priorities, and our staff is dedicated to training and mentoring interns.

We currently have seven interns per class and anticipate having seven for our 2024-2025 class. We attempt to form a class each year that is characterized by geographic and individual diversity, and we have been successful in this endeavor. We strongly believe that a mix of students from various universities and demographic backgrounds makes for a rich internship training experience.

Our brochure is available on our webpage and provides comprehensive information about our program.

Applicants will be notified by December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 regarding whether or not they are invited for an interview.

The complete application package must be available on or before November 1, 2023. Please refer to the link on our home page titled "Application Information" for details.

We look forward to your application and to the possibility of meeting you this winter. Please reach out with any questions at [katherine.meyers@va.gov](mailto:katherine.meyers@va.gov).

Sincerely,

Katherine Meyers, Ph.D.  
Psychology Training Director

Questions related to the program's accredited status should be directed to the Commission on Accreditation:

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