



**COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
MEDICAL CENTER**

*Student Health Service*

<b>Title</b>	Staff Psychiatrist, Part Time
<b>Department(s)</b>	Mental Health Services
<b>Reports to</b>	Director, Mental Health Services
<b>Salary Grade</b>	Commensurate with experience

As a member of the Mental Health Services, the Part Time Staff Psychiatrist provides psychiatric evaluation and treatment, participates in the on-call service, and provides crisis intervention, as needed. We serve the diverse population of Columbia University Irving Medical Center students who are enrolled in one of the graduate schools in the health sciences here on campus (medical, dental, nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, public health, nutrition, and lab-based science doctoral programs). As we serve only graduate students, the average student age 26 years and many students are themselves in training to become treatment providers.

**Summary of essential job functions**

- Provide psychiatric evaluation and psychopharmacological treatment as well as consultation and referral to community-based treatment providers when appropriate.
- Provide care in an interpersonally and culturally sensitive manner.
- Document care as prescribed by law and in accordance with best practices.
- Participate in continuous quality improvement.
- Participate in the after-hours emergency on-call service.
- Provide crisis intervention, as needed.

**Minimum requirements**

- Doctorate in Medicine. Completion of an ACGME-accredited residency program in Psychiatry. Candidate will possess a New York State medical license. Candidates will be Board Certified in adult psychiatry.
- Experience working with patients on a psychiatric inpatient unit, or the functional equivalent.
- Demonstrated competence in crisis intervention, assessing need for psychiatric hospitalization, handling psychiatric emergencies, and supervising referral for inpatient care.
- Demonstrated competence in use of best practices for diagnostic evaluation and psychopharmacological treatment.

**Abilities preferred**

- Prior experience working in a university mental health service or a comparable healthcare system.
- Prior experience in urgent care coordination and high risk psychological evaluations.
- Prior experience with, and/or additional training in, the psychiatric care of young adults with the following subspecialties: eating disorders, multicultural or cross-cultural treatment, and substance abuse/dependence.

**Additional information**

Please submit applications through HR at the below link:  
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