PSYCHOLOGY POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP
IN INTELLECTUAL/DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES and LEADERSHIP
(September 2023 – August 2024)

SETTING - The Carolina Institute for Developmental Disabilities at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (www.cidd.unc.edu) invites applications for postdoctoral psychology leadership training in intellectual/developmental disabilities. The CIDD is home to three core federal training initiatives which offer numerous clinical and research opportunities: University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Education, Research and Service (UCEDD); Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND); and the Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center (IDDRC).

ACTIVITIES - The CIDD offers interdisciplinary clinical and research training designed to promote advanced competencies in intellectual/developmental disabilities (I/DD). The postdoctoral fellowship allows specialization in I/DD, including autism spectrum disorders, early childhood, genetic conditions, co-occurring psychiatric/behavioral disorders, community consultations, and pediatric neuropsychology. The postdoctoral training experience will emphasize specialized ASD/DD assessment, intervention, research, and interdisciplinary collaboration. There will be additional opportunities for manuscript writing, conference presentations and support for pilot studies/grant writing. Other responsibilities may include supervision of graduate-level trainees and community outreach and education. The CIDD post-doctoral fellow is expected to participate in the NC LEND program.

TIMELINE - The fellowship is a minimum of twelve months in duration, beginning on or around September 1, 2023. Salary determination and benefits follow university and NIH guidelines.

REQUIREMENTS – The preferred candidate will have
- a doctoral degree in an applied area of psychology
- successfully completed a clinically based psychology internship
- a demonstrated interest and experience in intellectual/developmental disabilities

APPLICATION PROCESS – To apply, please email a cover letter detailing professional interests and goals, your CV, and 3 letters of recommendation to Dr. Rebecca Pretzel (becky.edmondson@cidd.unc.edu). Application deadline is December 15, 2022 and interviews will be held as applications are received. UNC is an Equal Opportunity/ADA employer.