DIVISION OF PSYCHOLOGY
Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

SUMMER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES
FOR UNDERGRADUATE WOMEN

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 3, 2003

The Division of Psychology at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center is pleased to offer the following research project(s) for the summer of 2003. Interested students are urged to contact the faculty member(s) directing the project(s) that most interest them. By contacting the faculty member, you can discover more about the project, learn what the responsibilities will be, and if possible, develop a timetable for the twelve-week research period.

Pediatric Psychology and Community Research Project
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This research experience will provide training on several projects related to sickle cell disease, social phobia, teen pregnancy, and premature birth. The student will also be involved in community research being conducted in collaboration with Head Start, FamiliesFORWARD, and United Way. The student will be trained and involved in database design, data management, and data analysis, and may have opportunities to assist with survey development and program evaluation assessments. There also may be opportunities to observe psychological assessment and clinical cases, and to learn about anthropometric measurement in chronically ill children. Because this research project is aimed at improving physical and behavioral health outcomes in children from ethnically and socioeconomically diverse backgrounds, the student should have interest in and be sensitive to the needs of this population. This project may be of interest to students in Psychology, Sociology, Public Health or related fields. Students who desire experience in psychological research, who plan to complete graduate work in the social science field, and who are interested in working with children and families of color are ideal candidates.