

**Pediatric/Adolescent
Graduate Research Assistant Openings
Center for Children's Healthy Lifestyles & Nutrition**
The University of Kansas Medical Center & Children's Mercy Hospitals & Clinics

1-year Graduate Research Assistantships: The Center for Children's Healthy Lifestyles & Nutrition (www.chlnkc.org), a joint partnership between the University of Kansas Medical Center (www.kumc.edu) and Children's Mercy Hospitals- Kansas City (www.childrensmc.org), invites applications for up to eleven full time (20 hours per week) graduate research assistantships (GRAs) to begin summer/fall 2018. Positions will cover the topics of physical activity, nutrition, diabetes, obesity, neuroscience, and public health. Specific faculty hiring GRAs include: Patton, Davis, Shook, Carlson, Bruce, and Dreyer Gillette (see website for more information on PIs and their work). Preference will be given to those who can complement our existing strengths and have demonstrated the ability for independent work through projects, posters, papers or presentations. Desirable qualifications include experience as part of a collaborative research team, experience with SPSS, excellent writing skills, independent-level data analysis skills, and the desire to be part of an active research team. The review of applications will begin on March 1, 2018 and will continue until the positions are filled. Required materials include a cover letter expressing specific areas of interest (must list ≥ 1 faculty member with whom you want to work), a CV, and the names and contact information for 3 academic references who are willing to be contacted by the search committee. For questions please contact any faculty member at the Center for Children's Healthy Lifestyles & Nutrition. We strongly encourage applications from minority and women candidates, and are an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.