The MA Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Fellowship

A Fellowship to recruit, educate, and retain PMHNPs at community health centers



Grant Opportunity

Funded through the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS), this is a fellowship opportunity for recent PMHNP graduates, recently hired PMHNPs, and student nurses enrolled in a PMHNP program.

Graduate Fellows will be under a 12-month service commitment and student Fellows will be under a semester-long placement with an option to stay for additional semesters, with approval as needed.

Award Amounts

PMHNP graduate	Up to \$140,250/year
salary and fringe	for each PMHNP
support	graduate
PMHNP Student	Up to \$2,500
Stipend	per semester

Important Dates

RFP Released	February 27, 2024
Webinar	March 5, 2024
CHC Application Due	April 1, 2024
Notice of Awards	Summer 2024

CHC Eligibility

All MA FQHCs, hospital-licensed, and FQHC lookalike health centers are eligible to apply. CHCs that serve diverse communities, or are in a federally designated Health Professional Shortage Area or a Mental Health Professional Shortage area are strongly encouraged to apply

Intent of the Fellowship

The PMHNP Fellowship Program aims to recruit and retain well-qualified and diverse practicing level (graduates) and student-level PMHNPs to care for the behavioral health needs of populations served by Massachusetts' CHCs.

Program Components

70% Clinical	CHC precepted clinics
10% Didactic	Provided by UMass Chan GSN
10% Specialty Clinics	UMass Chan GSN is available for guidance
10% Consultation	Integrated primary care will be addressed in the didactic sessions

Planning & Implementation Support

The MLCHC will support awarded CHCs during the planning, implementation, and retention stages of the funding period.