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Department of Employment & Labour: Psychology Internships 2026 Apply Here

Description

The Department of Employment & Labour is a government institution committed to promoting employment, decent work, and improved working conditions for all South Africans. As part of our mission, we offer internship opportunities for aspiring psychologists to gain valuable experience and contribute to the well-being of our workforce.

We are seeking passionate and dedicated psychology interns to join our team at the Department of Employment & Labour in South Africa. As a psychology intern, you will have the opportunity to work closely with experienced professionals in various aspects of psychology, including counseling, research, and psychological assessments.

Responsibilities

- Assist in conducting psychological assessments for individuals seeking employment services.
- Provide counseling and support to employees dealing with workplace-related issues.
- Collaborate with senior psychologists to develop and implement interventions to improve workplace well-being.
- Conduct research on topics related to employment, labor, and mental health.
- Assist in the development of training programs aimed at enhancing employee mental health and well-being.
- Maintain accurate and confidential records of client interactions and assessments.

Qualifications

- Currently enrolled in or recently completed a Bachelor's or Master's degree in Psychology.
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills.
- Ability to work effectively both independently and as part of a team.
- Empathy and sensitivity to the needs of individuals from diverse backgrounds.
- Knowledge of psychological assessment tools and counseling techniques is an advantage.
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite and other relevant software applications.
- Fluency in English (proficiency in other South African languages is desirable).

Job Benefits

- Hands-on experience in a government setting, contributing to the betterment of society.

Hiring organization

Department of Employment & Labour

Employment Type

Intern

Duration of employment

3 Months

Industry

Government

Job Location

Pretoria, Gauteng, South Africa, 0001, Pretoria, Gauteng, South Africa

Working Hours

09

Date posted

November 7, 2025

Valid through

04.06.2028

- Mentorship and guidance from experienced psychologists and professionals.
- Networking opportunities with industry experts and stakeholders.
- Exposure to a diverse range of psychological issues and interventions.
- Potential for career advancement within the Department of Employment & Labour.

Contacts

Interested candidates should submit their CV, a cover letter outlining their interest in the internship, and academic transcripts. Please indicate "Psychology Internship Application" in the subject line.

Join us in making a positive impact on the lives of South Africans through psychology and employment initiatives. We look forward to welcoming passionate individuals to our team!