The Mount Sinai Epilepsy Program offers a one-year [July - June], 16-hour per week externship in clinical neuropsychology. Externs will be trained in administering, scoring, and interpreting neuropsychological tests batteries, and writing integrated neuropsychological reports with patient-specific recommendations. Patients are often undergoing pre-surgical evaluations for epilepsy, although externs will have the opportunity to see individuals with a variety of referral questions and neurological disorders in an inpatient and outpatient setting. Patients seen are mostly adults, with opportunities to work with pediatric patients as well. Externs will also be able to observe and assist in Wada procedures, and intra- and extra-operative language mappings. Spanish-speaking externs can be trained in administering Spanish evaluations, and all externs can have the opportunity to conduct evaluations with the assistance of an interpreter. In addition to weekly individual supervision (2+ hours) and didactics (1 hour), externs can observe multidisciplinary surgical planning conferences, grand rounds, brain cutting, and journal clubs.

Applicants must be currently enrolled as a doctoral student in clinical psychology. Graduate coursework in neuropsychology and prior testing experience is preferred.

Application should include: cover letter, curriculum vitae, two recommendation letters, and a de-identified report if available via the APA Externship portal; Letters should be uploaded or emailed directly to Dr. Sheldon (sloane.sheldon@mountsinai.org)

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