**Assessment Research Technician**
***Physical Activity to Heal Back Pain (PATH)***
***UConn Storrs and UConn Health-Farmington***

The Physical Activity to Heal Back Pain (PATH) is seeking applicants for the position of part-time Assessment Research Technician. The weekly time commitment for this study is variable. We are looking for an individual with a high degree of flexibility in their schedule who can commit to up to 15 hours of work/week, including potentially evening and weekend time, during peak data collection periods. These periods are typically about 3 weeks in duration and occur every six weeks.

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

The successful candidate will have the opportunity to work on a multi-disciplinary bio-behavioral research project. Research activities include:

* Consenting participants into the study (training provided).
* Collecting human subject data (i.e., assessment, bio-specimen collection including blood draws).
* Entering data into research databases.
* Organizing and transporting samples on campus and between UConn Health and UConn Storrs, and processing bio-specimens. We will provide training in sample processing. Travel time will be compensated.
* Track data collection efforts and communicate with the administrative research team.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

* A Bachelor’s degree in health-related fields (i.e. Nursing, Pre-Medicine, Human Development and Family Sciences, Psychology, or others).
* Training in and experience with drawing blood.
* Excellent interpersonal, oral, and written communication skills.
* Detail-oriented and excellent at administrative tasks.
* Able to occasionally work nonstandard hours (e.g., evenings, weekends), depending on data collection needs.
* Has transportation and can travel if needed (e.g., traveling between UConn Health and UConn Storrs).

**APPOINTMENT TERMS**

This is a temporary, part-time opportunity (maximum 15 hours per week) on-site and in person at UConn Storrs and UConn Health-Farmington through Spring 2024. The position is initially for the Fall semester, but extension is expected for the Spring 2024 semester and will be based on funding and performance, with the possibility of future academic semester renewals.

**TO APPLY**

Please submit a **cover letter**, **resume**, and **three professional references** to **crystal.park@uconn.edu**. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Successful applicants will be contacted to schedule an interview.

Employment of the successful candidate is contingent upon the successful completion of a pre-employment criminal background check.

All employees are subject to adherence to the State Code of Ethics which may be found at [**http://www.ct.gov/ethics/site/default.asp**](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.ct.gov%2Fethics%2Fsite%2Fdefault.asp&data=05%7C01%7Cmelanie.skolnick%40uconn.edu%7C6ccb9c7a7d384f10e25d08dbe6d2f9da%7C17f1a87e2a254eaab9df9d439034b080%7C0%7C0%7C638357566030483201%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=GAqfe4GbOGAXs%2FJiGT8BHPlhD0JIOO7bvi1J06ywwPk%3D&reserved=0).