### Course Description
The Acting Internship (AI) in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry is a comprehensive clinical experience designed to provide the student with increased responsibilities for the assessment and management of patients. Students are integrated into the health care team and will have primary responsibility for the patient's care under close supervision. The Acting Intern will experience the roles and responsibilities of an intern on the team. The purpose of this AI is to provide an in-depth child and adolescent psychiatric inpatient experience at Cherry Hospital.

### Course Objectives
- Interview children and adolescents and their families
- Diagnose psychopathological entities in children and adolescents
- Develop treatment plans for psychopathological entities in children and adolescents
- Describe and discuss the multiple therapeutic modalities used with these patients
- Describe and discuss different concepts and techniques of psychological testing and behavior modification

### Course Activities
The student will participate in the evaluation, diagnosis and treatment of disturbed children and adolescents on the inpatient unit at Cherry Hospital. The student will meet with supervisors and staff as an active member of the treatment team. Specific reading will be assigned appropriate to the patients.

### Course Schedule Requirements
No on-call requirement. Student is present during usual clinical hours (8:00am – 5:00pm, Monday – Friday, excluding holidays as determined by the ECU calendar).

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