

**UF Center for Gender, Sexualities, and Women's Studies Research
Internship Information Form**

Organization Name: North Florida/South Georgia VA Women's Program

Website: <http://www.northflorida.va.gov/NORTHFLORIDA/services/women/index.asp>

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Brief description/mission:

We are committed to meeting the unique needs of Women Veterans by delivering the highest quality health care while offering privacy, dignity and sensitivity to gender-specific needs that are deserved. The goal is to ensure that timely, equitable, high-quality, comprehensive health care services are provided to women Veterans in a sensitive and safe environment. This is to include access to gender-specific health care as well as mental health care. The care provided should be comparable to the care provided to male Veterans.

The only qualifications required for our internship are knowledge about and interest in the issues our organization deals with; a good attitude and professional demeanor; and willingness to work.

Number of Hours/Credits:

We offer 1-3-credit, 45-135 hour/semester internship; We can only accommodate one intern per semester

Schedule Requirements:

Interns work at the site address given above. Interns will be able to work with the program manager to set their own schedule; however, they will be expected to follow the schedule once it is set.

Prerequisites/qualifications:

The only qualifications required for our internship are knowledge about and interest in the issues and concerns of our women Veterans; a good attitude and professional demeanor; and willingness to work. Computer skills such as word, excel, power point and publisher.

What activities will the intern take part in, and how do they relate to Women's/Gender studies?

Assist in education of our pregnant Veterans
Assist in screening patients via phone
Design programs for women Veterans
Designing educational programs for women Veterans and staff
Assists in planning, preparing and staffing of special events.
Some clerical duties