

# Volunteer Position Available!



#### **About the SUN Lab**

SUN lab focuses primarily on the impact of cannabis use, which accounts for the highest percentage of primary substance use treatment admissions in Miami-Dade County and is experiencing increasing use among adolescents and adults nationwide.

See <a href="https://sunlab.fiu.edu/">https://sunlab.fiu.edu/</a> for more details.

## **Position Description:**

The goal of the volunteer research assistant for SUN lab is to provide students substantial research training and experience.

Volunteer responsibilities:

- Help parents complete questionnaires
- Interact with families in-person and on the phone
- Office related tasks
- Prepare materials for appointments



### **Qualifications:**

- Dependable
- Responsible
- Self-directed
- Friendly
- Good communication skills
- Major: Psychology or Neuroscience
- GPA: At least a 3.0 (cumulative)
- Language: Bilingual fluent in Spanish
- Availability:
  - o 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m., twice a week
  - Saturdays are preferred
  - About 10 hours per week

## **Ongoing research:**

#### Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD)

This study is a National longitudinal study that uses cutting-edge technology to determine how childhood experiences (such as sports, videogames, social media, unhealthy sleep patterns, and smoking) interact with each other and with a child's changing biology to affect brain development and—ultimately—social, behavioral, academic, health, and other outcomes, over a period of ten years (located at MMC)

See <a href="https://abcdstudy.org/">https://abcdstudy.org/</a> for more details.

Please use the link or QR code to fill out an application:

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