



UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

## Medical School

DULUTH CAMPUS

**Job Title: Post-Doctoral Associate**

**Job Code: 9546**

**Job Posting ID: 318636**

### *Required Qualifications:*

Applicants must have completed all requirements for a Ph.D. except for the dissertation (and if applicable, clinical internship), prior to applying. A Ph.D. in the Social Sciences or related disciplines (e.g., sociology, social psychology, psychology, public health) is required at the time of hire.

### *Preferred Qualifications:*

- Demonstrable experience with statistics software (e.g., R, SAS, SPSS, Mplus, STATA)
- Demonstrable experience with quantitative methodologies and analyses for longitudinal data (e.g., growth curve modeling, latent trajectory/growth mixture modeling, SEM, etc.).
- Demonstrated commitment/experience in health equity research (preferred experience with American Indian/First Nations/Indigenous communities)
- Scholarly training and experience (e.g., scientific writing, publishing, presenting) in one or more of the following content areas: gender and health, substance use/abuse, American Indian/First Nations/Indigenous health
- Strong scientific writing skills, as evidenced by publication experience
- Training and/or experience in community-based participatory research (CBPR)
- Demonstrated ability to be personable, flexible, and well-organized
- Ability to work well with diverse populations

### *Description:*

The Healing Pathways project at the University of Minnesota Medical School, Duluth campus is seeking a post-doctoral associate to conduct research under the scope of community-based participatory research with American Indian and First Nations communities. The candidate will be working on the NIDA funded Healing Pathways study examining trajectories of substance use, mental health, and wellbeing among Indigenous young adults. Dr. Melissa Walls (PhD, Sociology; Bois Forte & Couchiching First Nation Ojibwe) serves as the PI to the Healing Pathways study and is an Associate Professor in the Department of Biobehavioral Health and Population Sciences.

- Data Analysis & Interpretation (60%)
- Communications (20%)
- Project Management Assistance (10%)
- Didactic Activities (10%)

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- <https://humanresources.umn.edu/jobs>
  - 'External Faculty and Staff Applicants'
  - Search by Job Code "318636" or by Duluth location
  - Applications must be submitted online. You will be given the opportunity to complete an online application for the position and attach your curriculum vitae, cover letter, statement of research, and letters of support from two references.
  - Additional documents may be attached after application by accessing your "My Activities" page and uploading documents there.
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