The Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral of Sciences at the Dell Medical School is hiring a mental health services post-doctoral research fellow to support their projects focused on increasing access to and improving mental health care for 10-25-year-olds in the community. The Department is actively implementing and studying innovative approaches to care delivery specifically focused on applying the Collaborative Care model within pediatric and federal qualified health centers, and the efficacy of their new Amplify Center, an innovative young adult mental health center focused on early intervention for individuals in the early stages of serious mental illness.

The position will provide an opportunity to learn about and develop skills in implementation science, mixed-methods research methods, research-community collaboration, measurement-based care, public health/prevention, and alternative payment models/value-based care. The incumbent will support the principal investigator’s projects during the course of the fellowship, collaborate with community sites and key stakeholders, support data collection efforts, conduct literature reviews, analyze and summarize quantitative and qualitative data, co-author journal articles and conference presentations, and apply for at least one early career award grant before the end of the fellowship.

Desired qualifications: Doctoral degree or ABD in Psychology, Social Work, or related field. If ABD, must graduate within the first year of position. Significant experience with community-based participatory research. Significant clinical or research experience in the field of mental health. Experience conducting multi-site research studies.

The position is located in Austin, Texas at the University of Texas at Austin. Position will allow for hybrid flexibility.

Please contact Deborah Cohen, Ph.D, MSW dacohen@austin.utexas.edu with questions or to apply. To apply, please send a CV, cover letter, references, and a writing sample.