

Requirements:

Our lab is seeking an individual with a relevant background and strong interpersonal, organizational, and written and oral communication skills. Minimum requirements are a bachelor's degree (preferred fields include biology, neuroscience, or psychology) and prior research and/or clinical experience. A two-year commitment is strongly preferred.

A research assistant is responsible for the following duties, which largely focus on tasks associated with propagation, management, recruitment, and administrative coordination for several studies on adolescent depression and Tourette's Disorder. Specific responsibilities are listed below.

Responsibilities:

- Managing the day-to-day activities of the research studies
- Creating and organizing study binders
- Scheduling visits and maintaining study schedules for each patient
- Administering assessments
- Collecting data including parent, teacher and clinician forms
- Collecting vital signs from study patients
- Taking the patients for blood draws and scans
- Data entry
- Ordering study supplies
- Grant writing and management
- Recruiting participants
- Submitting annual protocol summary forms and consent forms to the NYU Institutional Review Board (IRB)
- Drafting research articles and preparing poster presentations

Additional Information:

The Lab's PI is Dr. Vilma Gabbay. Our primary research focus is to collect neurobiological data on adolescent depression and Tourette's in order to foster better diagnostic and therapeutic strategies. Recent publications are available through pubmed or medline (search "Gabbay V").