

Clearing House for Postgraduate Courses in Clinical Psychology

Equal Opportunities data - 2017 Entry

The National Health Service (NHS) provided the funding for most of the places for the 2017 entry for clinical psychology courses. For information about current funding arrangements please see the Funding page of our website:

<https://www.clearing-house.org.uk/applications/funding>

The data in this file covers applicants for NHS clinical psychology training places. The tables include data from applicants who gave their authorisation for it to be made public. Some applicants who gave their authorisation preferred not to give details for particular questions. Some categories with small numbers are grouped together to maintain anonymity.

To monitor the socio-economic background of applicants we ask you for your home UK postcode when you were age 17. We compare this with the POLAR data produced by the Office for Students about the participation of young people in higher education. Please see the Office for Students website if you need more information about POLAR.

<https://www.officeforstudents.org.uk/data-and-analysis/young-participation-by-area/>

"Prefer not to say" includes people who do not have an appropriate postcode eg from outside the UK.

	All Applicants		All Acceptances		% success applicants to accepted
	Numbers	% of applicants	Numbers	% of accepted	
TOTALS	3780	100%	581	100%	15%
AGE					
20-24 years	1045	28%	132	23%	13%
Prefer not to say	12	0%	339	58%	19%
25-29 years	1806	48%			
30-34 years	522	14%	73	13%	14%
35-39 years	209	6%	24	4%	11%
40-44 years	109	3%	7	1%	6%
45-49 years	60	2%	6	1%	8%
50-54 years, 55 and over	17	0%			
GENDER					

Prefer not to say	14	0%	498	86%	16%
Female	3088	82%			
Male	678	18%	83	14%	12%
MARITAL STATUS					
Prefer not to say	59	2%	9	2%	8%
Divorced/Separated, Widowed	52	1%			
Married/civil partnership/co-habiting	1202	32%	208	36%	17%
Single	2467	65%	364	63%	15%
SEXUAL ORIENTATION					
Prefer not to say	139	4%	20	3%	14%
Bisexual	124	3%	24	4%	19%
Gay man	94	2%	12	2%	13%
Gay woman/lesbian	58	2%	6	1%	9%
Other sexual orientation	7	0%			
Heterosexual/straight	3358	89%	519	89%	15%
DEPENDANTS					
Prefer not to say	22	1%	547	94%	16%
No dependants	3396	90%			
Has dependants	362	10%	34	6%	9%
RESIDENT					
Prefer not to say	6	0%	0	0%	0%
UK	3542	94%	564	97%	16%
Other EU/EEA	200	5%	17	3%	7%
Other residence	32	1%			
SOCIO-ECONOMIC BACKGROUND					
Prefer not to say or Not applicable	808	21%	84	14%	10%
Quintile 1 (lowest participation rate in HE)	272	7%	43	7%	16%
Quintile 2	424	11%	68	12%	16%
Quintile 3	552	15%	72	12%	13%
Quintile 4	725	19%	128	22%	18%
Quintile 5 (highest participation rate in HE)	999	26%	186	32%	19%

DISABILITY					
Prefer not to say	52	1%	522	90%	15%
No disability	3365	89%			
Total with a disability	363	10%	59	10%	16%
Blind/partially sighted, Deaf/hearing impairment	14	0%	7	1%	10%
Wheelchair user/mobility difficulties	9	0%			
Mental health difficulties	44	1%			
Dyslexia	159	4%	24	4%	15%
Personal care support	0	0%	0	0%	0%
Unseen disability eg diabetes, epilepsy, asthma	66	2%	14	2%	21%
Two or more disabilities	34	1%	9	2%	26%
Other disability	31	1%	5	1%	14%
Disabled (not specified)	6	0%			
RELIGION					
Prefer not to say	238	6%	35	6%	15%
No religion	2341	62%	421	72%	18%
Total with a religion	1201	32%	125	22%	10%
Christian - Protestant	263	7%	41	7%	16%
Christian - Roman Catholic	326	9%	40	7%	12%
Christian - Other	220	6%	13	2%	6%
Muslim	151	4%	10	2%	7%
Buddhist	47	1%	7	1%	15%
Hindu	53	1%	6	1%	5%
Jewish	24	1%			
Sikh	37	1%			
Baha'i, Jain, Religion (not specified)	38	1%	8	1%	10%
Other religion	42	1%			
ETHNICITY					
Prefer not to say	45	1%	7	1%	16%
Indian	124	3%	5	1%	4%

Pakistani	72	2%	6	1%	8%
Bangladeshi	25	1%	8	1%	10%
Asian (not specified)	7	0%			
Other Asian background	50	1%			
Total in the Asian/Asian British/Asian English/Asian Scottish/Asian Welsh group	278	7%	19	3%	7%
British English	1874	50%	346	60%	18%
British Scottish	191	5%	38	7%	20%
British Welsh	130	3%	30	5%	23%
Other British (white)	78	2%	15	3%	19%
Irish	203	5%	25	4%	12%
White (not specified)	174	5%	21	4%	12%
Other White background	413	11%	37	6%	9%
Total in the White group	3063	81%	512	88%	17%
White & Black African	9	0%	6	1%	19%
White & Black Caribbean	23	1%			
White & Asian	46	1%	5	1%	10%
Mixed (not specified)	6	0%			
Other Mixed background	70	2%	15	3%	21%
Total in the Mixed group	154	4%	26	4%	17%
African	87	2%	10	2%	7%
Caribbean	60	2%			
Black (not specified), Other Black background	5	0%	0	0%	0%
Total in the Black/Black British/Black English/Black Scottish/Black Welsh group	152	4%	10	2%	7%
Middle Eastern/North African	25	1%	7	1%	8%
Chinese	37	1%			
Other ethnicity (not specified)	7	0%			
Other ethnic background	19	1%			
Total in the Other group	88	2%	7	1%	8%