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Data Collection Methods

The information presented in this directory was obtained from a survey of all prospective employers of psychiatrists. Surveys were sent to all medical practice entities with at least one psychiatrist. Surveys were also sent to all hospitals, including VA hospitals, mental health clinics, state institutions, and other agencies known to provide mental health services.

Respondents were asked to report all full-time (35+ hours/week) and half-time (20 hours/week) positions for which there were opportunities available. The results of the survey represent a 100% response rate.

Physician Consultation Services
Medical Practice Development Program

The Office of Statewide Clinical Education Programs provides consultative services to physicians interested in Iowa medical practice opportunities. The services include:

- Advice on practice site selection criteria based on provider preferences
- Confidential inquiries regarding specific practice opportunities
- Identification of important considerations concerning specific opportunities
- Practice management consultations;
- Negotiation assistance with established providers, hospital representatives and community recruitment groups
- Substantive reviews of contracts
- Assistance for providers after they begin a new practice

Access this Directory and periodic updates at: http://www.medicine.uiowa.edu/oscep/opportunities/
How to Use the Directory

The *2019-2020 Directory of Iowa Psychiatry Practice Opportunities* lists all opportunities for psychiatrists by community. To interpret the listings within each section, please note that each community listing includes the following:

- Community population (2010 US Census Bureau data)
- Total number of physicians in the community (with the number of psychiatrists in parentheses)
- Total number of acute care hospital beds in the community designated for psychiatry admissions
- Location of the opportunity by region of Iowa as indicated by the initials below the city name, i.e., Northwest (NW), North Central (NC), Northeast (NE), Southwest (SW), South Central (SC), and Southeast (SE)

In the “Contact” section, further detail regarding the specific position(s) is provided. E-mail addresses are listed when available.

The individual listings indicate whether the position is for adult or child psychiatrists, and whether the opportunity is full-time or half-time. “Other” professional opportunities listed in this directory are identified in **bold**, and include behavioral health hospitalist, Federal/VA and student health.
Psychiatry
Opportunities
Summary of Psychiatry Practice Opportunities

63 opportunities in 27 communities

FTEs are indicated in () next to the number of opportunities.

**Adult Psychiatry**

34 Opportunities in 20 Communities

- Ames: 2 (2)
- Bettendorf: 1 (1)
- Cedar Falls: 2 (2)
- Cedar Rapids: 5 (4.5)
- Davenport: 2 (2)
- Hiawatha: 1 (1)
- Hull: 1 (1)
- Independence: 1 (1)
- Iowa City: 3 (3)
- Knoxville: 1 (1)
- Mason City: 2 (2)
- North Liberty: 1 (1)
- Ottumwa: 1 (1)
- Shenandoah: 1 (1)
- Sioux City: 2 (2)
- Spencer: 1 (1)
- Spirit Lake: 1 (1)
- Waterloo: 3 (3)
- West Burlington: 2 (2)
- West Des Moines: 1 (1)

**Total** 34 (33.5)

**Child Psychiatry**

19 Opportunities in 12 Communities

- Cedar Rapids: 3 (3)
- Des Moines: 1 (1)
- Hiawatha: 1 (1)
- Independence: 1 (1)
- Iowa City: 2 (2)
- Mason City: 1 (1)
- North Liberty: 1 (1)
- Ottumwa: 1 (1)
- Pella: 1 (1)
- Sioux City: 3 (3)
- Waterloo: 2 (2)
- West Des Moines: 2 (2)

**Total** 19 (19)

**Other Opportunities**

9 Opportunities in 6 Communities

- Community: Cedar Rapids
  - Opportunity Type: Rehab Hospital
  - #: 1 (.5)
- Community: Independence
  - Opportunity Type: State Institution
  - #: 2 (2)
- Community: Iowa City
  - Opportunity Type: Clinical Faculty
  - #: 2 (2)
- Community: Knoxville
  - Opportunity Type: Federal / VA
  - #: 1 (1)
- Community: Ottumwa
  - Opportunity Type: Community Health
  - #: 2 (2)
- Community: West Burlington
  - Opportunity Type: Community Health
  - #: 1 (1)

**Total** 9 (8.5)
## Psychiatry Practice Opportunities

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<td>Jane Eagan**&lt;br&gt;Phys. Recruitment Coordinator&lt;br&gt;Mcfarland Clinic - Duff Ave&lt;br&gt;1215 Duff Ave&lt;br&gt;Ames, IA 50010&lt;br&gt;515/663-8678&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:jeagan@mcfarlandclinic.com">jeagan@mcfarlandclinic.com</a></td>
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<td>Jesse Bode&lt;br&gt;Administrator&lt;br&gt;ManorCare Health Services&lt;br&gt;1940 1st Ave NE&lt;br&gt;Cedar Rapids, IA 52402&lt;br&gt;319/364-5151&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:jesse.bode@hcr-manorcare.com">jesse.bode@hcr-manorcare.com</a></td>
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| CEDAR RAPIDS NE | 126,326 | 414 (18) | 88 | Angie Allison*  
Office Manager  
Cedar Centre Psych Group LLP  
1730 1st Ave NE  
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402  
319/365-3993  
cccpgongie@qwestoffice.net  
-Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
-Full-Time Child Psychiatrist  
Andrea Sims  
Physician Recruiter  
UnityPoint Clinic Administration  
800 1st Ave NE Ste A  
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402  
319/730-9513  
andrea.sims@unitypoint.org  
Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist |
| DAVENPORT SE | 99,685 | 235 (8) | 36 | Michelle Spranger - Recruiter  
Genesis Health Group  
865 Lincoln Rd Ste L10  
Bettendorf, IA 52722  
563/441-2732  
sprangerm@genesishealth.com  
Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
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Physician Recruiter  
Mercy Medical Center  
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Cedar Rapids, IA 52403  
319/221-8641  
mfergus@mercycare.org  
-Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
-Full-Time Child Psychiatrist  
Richard Whitaker* - CEO  
Vera French Comm Ment Hlth Ctr  
1441 W Central Park Ave  
Davenport, IA 52804  
563/383-1900  
whitakerr@verafrenchmhc.org  
Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist |
| DES MOINES SC | 203,433 | 821 (28) | 153 | Whitney Jacobson  
Physician Recruitment Manager  
UnityPoint Clinic - Administration  
8101 Birchwood Ct Ste N  
Johnston, IA 50131  
515/249-8896  
Whitney.Jacobson@unitypoint.org  
Full-Time Child Psychiatrist  
John Sondag* - Director  
Assoc/Behavioral Healthcare  
1510 Boyson Rd  
Hiawatha, IA 52233  
319/396-1066  
jsondag@abbehealth.org  
-Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
-Full-Time Child Psychiatrist  
Whitney.Jacobson@unitypoint.org  
Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist |
| HIAWATHA NE | 7,024 | 74 (5) | 0 | John Sondag* - Director  
Assoc/Behavioral Healthcare  
1510 Boyson Rd  
Hiawatha, IA 52233  
319/396-1066  
jsondag@abbehealth.org  
-Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
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| Hull, NE    | 2,175      | 3 (0)                  | 0                      | April Albertson  
Clinic Services Officer  
Hull Medical Clinic  
807 Main St  Ste D  
Hull, IA 51239  
712/722-8432  
april.albertson@siouxcenterhealth.org  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist* |
| Independence, NE | 5,966 | 7 (3)                  | 0                      | Bhasker Dave, MD  
Mental Health Institute  
2277 Iowa Ave  
Independence, IA 50644  
319/334-2583  
bdave@dhs.state.ia.us  
- *Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
- *Full-Time Child Psychiatrist*  
**State Institution** |
| Iowa City, SE | 67,862 | 1080 (69)              | 86                     | Lisa Steigleder  
HR Director  
Mercy Hospital - Iowa City  
500 E Market St  
Iowa City, IA 52245  
319/339-3942  
lisa.steigleder@mercyic.org  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
*Clinical Faculty*  
Kathy Johnson*  
Executive Director  
Abbe Center For Comm Ment Hlth  
1039 Arthur St  
Iowa City, IA 52240  
319/398-3652  
kjohnson@abbehealth.org  
- *Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
- *Full-Time Child Psychiatrist*  
Jeanie Cromer  
HR Specialist  
University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics  
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Iowa City, IA 52242  
319/384-7204  
jeanie-cromer@uiowa.edu  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist*  
*Clinical Faculty* |

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| KNOXVILLE, SC | 7,313 | 12(0) | 0 | Stacy Jensen  
Physician Recruiter  
VA Central Iowa Healthcare  
3600 30th St  
Des Moines, IA 50310  
515/699-5999 ext 25605  
stacy.jensen@va.gov  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
Veterans Affairs |
| MASON CITY, NC | 28,079 | 164 (2) | 28 | Cindy Weber  
Physician Recruitment Leader  
Mercy Medical Center - North IA  
1000 4th St SW  
Mason City, IA 50401  
641/428-5551  
cindy.weber@mercyhealth.com  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist |
| NORTH LIBERTY, SE | 13,374 | 19 (6) | 0 | Christopher Okiishi, MD*  
Meadowlark Psychiatric Services PC  
320 W Cherry St  
North Liberty, IA 52317  
319/626-3300  
cokiishi@meadowlarkpsych.com  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist |
| OTTUMWA, SE | 25,023 | 45 (3) | 14 | Steve Haigh  
HR Director  
River Hills Community Health Ctr  
216 S Market St  
Ottumwa, IA 52501  
641/954-9971 ext. 1206  
shaigh@riverhillshealth.org  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist  
Community Health |

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| PELLA SC    | 10,352     | 35 (1)                   | 0                      | Jean Holthaus*  
Clinic Administrator  
Pine Rest - Pella  
2611 Washington St  
Pella, IA 50219  
641/628-9599  
jean.holthaus@pinerest.com  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist |
| SHENANDOAH SW | 5,150     | 14 (0)                   | 0                      | Matt Sells - CEO  
Shenandoah Medical Center  
300 Pershing Ave  
Shenandoah, IA 51601  
712/246-1230  
msealls@smchospital.com  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist |
| SIOUX CITY NW | 82,684   | 166 (7)                  | 28                     | Rodney Dean, MD*  
Dean & Associates  
3549 Southern Hills Dr  
Sioux City, IA 51106  
712/274-6729  
beth@rdeanmd.com  
- *Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist  
- *Full-Time Child Psychiatrist |
| SPENCER NW   | 11,233     | 48 (4)                   | 15                     | Bill Bumgarner  
President  
Spencer Municipal Hospital  
1200 1st Ave E  
Spencer, IA 51301  
712/264-6198  
bbumgarner@spencerhospital.org  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist |
| SPIRIT LAKE NW | 11,233   | 11 (0)                   | 0                      | Betsy Geiver  
Human Resources Officer  
Sioux Falls VA Health Care System  
2501 W. 22nd Street  
Sioux Falls, SD 57105  
605/336-3230  
Betsy.Geiver@va.gov  
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| WATERLOO NE | 68,406     | 268 (9)                | 41                     | Tom Eachus  
Executive Director  
Black Hawk Grundy Mental Health Center  
3251 W 9th St  
Waterloo, IA 50703  
319/234-2893 ext 225  
thomas.eachus@unitypoint.org  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist*  
Jeff Halverson, VP  
Covenant Clinic  
2710 St. Francis Dr Ste 311  
Waterloo, IA 50702  
319/272-5616  
jeffrey.halverson@mercyhealth.com  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist* |
|             | 3          |                        |                        | Tina Dalton  
Physician Recruiter  
UnityPoint Health  
1825 Logan Ave  
Waterloo, IA 50702  
tina.dalton@unitypoint.org  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
Beth White  
Human Resource Administrator  
Peoples Comm Health Clinic  
905 Franklin St  
Waterloo, IA 50703  
319/874-3429  
bwhite@peoples-clinic.com  
*Full-Time Child Psychiatrist*  
*Community Health* |
| WEST BURLINGTON SE | 2,968 | 93 (5) | 8 | KC Fleming  
Medical Staff Recruiter  
Great River Medical Center  
1221 S Gear Ave  
PO Box 640  
West Burlington, IA 52655  
319/768-3265  
kfleming@grhs.net  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
Ron Kemp  
CEO  
Community Health Centers - West Burlington  
1706 W Agency Rd  
West Burlington, IA 52655  
319 743 2300 ext 100  
rkemp@chcsia.com  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
*Community Health* |
| WEST DES MOINES SC | 56,609 | 298 (9) | 0 | Jason Kavalier*  
Practice Administrator  
Kavalier & Associates PC  
1003 Grand Ave  
West Des Moines, IA 50265  
515/267-1003  
jason@kavalierandassociates.com  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
James Gallagher, MD*  
1000 73rd St  
Ste 5  
West Des Moines, IA 50265  
515/222-1175  
nicole@mentalhealthdm.com  
*Full-Time Adult Psychiatrist*  
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