

# Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center College of Health and Human Services School of Intervention and Wellness School Psychology Program



## Mid-Ohio School Psychology Development Program

Collaboration between the Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center (MOESC) and the University of Toledo (UToledo) to identify, recruit, and retain qualified candidates for School Psychology program completion and commitment to working in the Mid-Ohio area for 5 years beyond graduation from the UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program

- 1. MOESC with UToledo will identify and select candidates
  - a. Advertising program word of mouth and through UToledo and ESC media avenues:
    - i. Individual would apply and be accepted to UT's program
    - ii. Individual would then apply and be accepted into Mid-Ohio School Psychology Development Program
      - 1. Face-to-face interview would be conducted by MOESC Special Education Department to ensure good fit
- 2. Support student throughout graduation from the UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program
  - a. Grad Student Y1
    - i. Student enrolled full time in the UToledo School Psychology Graduate Program
    - ii. MOESC covers the cost of tuition for program semester hours (Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters; 30 semester hours; equates to \$16,500.00 given current tuition rates as of AY19-20)
    - iii. Student receives no graduate stipend
    - iv. Student is responsible for fees
  - b. Grad Student Y2
    - i. Student enrolled full time in the UTOLEDO School Psychology Graduate Program.
    - ii. Student participates in the externship program through UToledo College of Graduate Studies (COGs) and be assigned to work with MOESC 20 hours per week (specific work to be determined)
      - 1. Tuition is paid for by UToledo COGs
      - 2. ESC pays UTOLEDO to be a placement site for the externship program, which the University uses to provide a stipend to the student as part of the externship program work (equates to \$12,000.00 \$13,000.00 per year for MOESC and \$11,250 across Fall, Spring, Summer Semesters for graduate student)
    - iii. Student is responsible for fees
  - c. Grad Student Y3
    - i. Student is assigned to complete their required Internship at MOESC
    - ii. MOESC covers the cost of tuition for program semester hours (Fall, Spring, Summer; 16 semester hours; equates to \$8800.00 given current tuition rates as of AY19-20)
    - iii. MOESC receives grant money from ODE to offset the salary provided to the intern (as has been past practice). The grant amount was \$29,900.00 for FY19.
    - iv. Student is responsible for fees
- 3. For a student who begins the **Mid-Ohio School Psychology Development Program** in year 1 upon successful graduation from the UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program, the student commits to employment with MOESC for a 5-year period. A legal agreement between the student and the MOESC would be drawn up outlining program details, including potential payback for not meeting the full terms.
  - a. If the graduate student leaves, he/she is responsible for payback of the cost of tuition up to present:

- i. Not successfully graduating from UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Programs Pay back 100% of actual costs
- ii. Not accepting offer of employment at MOESC pay back 100% of tuition investment
- iii. Leaves after completing Employment:
  - 1. Year 1 pay back 90% of tuition investment
  - 2. Year 2 pay back 70% of tuition investment
  - 3. Year 3 pay back 50% of tuition investment
  - 4. Year 4 pay back 30% of tuition investment

#### 4. Other Notes:

- a. Total ESC monetary investment is estimated to be \$38,300 per student and is an 8-year commitment
- b. The investment spread over 5 years (term of employment commitment) equates to approximately \$7,660.00/year

### 5. Program Phase in for 2019-20 school year:

- a. Student Entering Y1 Full program as outlined above with 5 Year Commitment
  - i. Upon successful graduation from the UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program, the practitioner (former student) commits to employment with MOESC for a 5-year period. A legal agreement would be drawn up outlining program details, including potential payback for not meeting the full terms.
  - ii. If the graduate student leaves, or fails to graduate from UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program Pay back 100% of actual tuition investment
  - iii. If the practitioner (former student) does the following, he/she is responsible for payback of the cost of tuition up to present:
    - 1. Not accepting offer of employment at MOESC pay back 100% of tuition investment
    - 2. Leaves after completing Employment:
      - a. Year 1 pay back 90% of tuition investment
      - b. Year 2 pay back 70% of tuition investment
      - c. Year 3 pay back 50% of tuition investment
      - d. Year 4 pay back 30% of tuition investment

#### b. Student entering Year 2 - 3 Year Commitment

- i. Upon successful graduation from the UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program, the student commits to employment with MOESC for a 3-year period. A legal agreement would be drawn up outlining program details, including potential payback for not meeting the full terms.
- ii. If the graduate student leaves, or fails to graduate from UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program Pay back 100% of actual tuition investment
- iii. If the practitioner (former student) does the following, he/she is responsible for payback of the cost of tuition up to present:
  - 1. Not accepting offer of employment at MOESC pay back 100% of tuition investment
  - 2. Leaves after completing employment:
    - a. Year 1 pay back 80% of tuition investment
    - b. Year 2 pay back 50% of tuition investment

## c. Student entering Year 3 – 2 Year Commitment

- i. Upon successful graduation from the UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program, the student commits to employment with MOESC for a 2-year period. A legal agreement would be drawn up outlining program details, including potential payback for not meeting the full terms.
- ii. If the graduate student leaves, or fails to graduate from UToledo School Psychology Educational Specialist Program Pay back 100% of actual tuition investment
- iii. If the practitioner (former student) does the following, he/she is responsible for payback of the cost of tuition up to present:

- 1. Not accepting offer of employment at MOESC pay back 100% of tuition investment
- 2. Leaves after completing employment:
  - a. Year 1 pay back 70% of tuition investment