

Student Research Assistant Positions Available

The Obesity Prevention Center at Boston Children's Hospital, in partnership with Framingham State University and Sodexo is conducting a major clinical trial, The Framingham State Food Study or (FS)², to investigate how diet composition affects metabolism and risk for obesity-related disease.

The Framingham State Food Study seeks **Student Research Assistants (SRAs)** to provide administrative and operations support for the study during <u>Academic Year 2015-2016</u>. Under general supervision by the Study Coordinator and following established research policies and procedures, SRAs will be responsible for assisting with protocol assessment activities on the FSU campus.

SRAs working on (FS)² protocol assessments will perform the following tasks:

- 1. Data coordination, data entry, and data review services.
- 2. Administrative (research chart preparation and filing of study records) and technical support (electronic file management of research data).
- 3. Assists in collecting study data and completing study assessments.
- 4. Completes hard copy case report forms (CRFs).
- 5. Coordinates sample collections and may log-in other study samples as needed.
- 6. Sanitizes study equipment after use and restocks study supplies at the end of each shift.
- 7. Maintains a clean, orderly, and serviceable work station that is properly decontaminated at all times.
- 8. Assists with quality control procedures as required.
- 9. Checks-in and checks-out study participants at visits.
- 10. Other duties as assigned.

During the study period, Student Research Assistant - Assessments will be needed in 4-hour shifts from 6:30 AM to 6:30 PM, Sunday through Saturday, during each of the four assessment periods listed below. The four participant assessments will take place on the FSU campus over the following dates:

- August 9 September 12, 2015
- November 8 December 12, 2015
- January 17 February 20, 2016
- March 27 April 30, 2016

Hourly rate is \$12.00. Paid training is available.

Interested student applicants should email a cover letter and resume to: <u>FS2@childrens.harvard.edu</u>. Please include days and hours you are available for work beginning the week of August 9, 2015 and continuing to the end of the Fall semester.

DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2015

Telephone interviews will be conducted over the summer.

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