

Position available for a Research Assistant interested in work related to identifying promotive factors among African American youth in contact with the child welfare and juvenile justice systems. Work will involve analyzing quantitative longitudinal secondary data from the Northwestern Juvenile Project. The study aims to analyze data from multiple sources and look at promotive factors for youth with previous contact with the juvenile justice system. Examining youth experiences with foster care, trauma, and identifying mechanisms for reducing racial disparities in the juvenile justice system are the primary focus of the study. Students will also have administrative responsibilities, as well as engage in literature reviews, data analysis, and other data related activities.

Students must be available to work 20 hours a week. Pay is \$15 an hour. Previous experience with Excel, and a statistical software (e.g. SPSS, STATA, etc.) is a must. Please send an email of interest, along with a resume and writing sample to Dr. Abigail Williams-Butler at [aw643@ssw.rutgers.edu](mailto:aw643@ssw.rutgers.edu)

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