

# ARTS *in* HEALING

## Art Therapy Internship



Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the Art Therapy Internship Program! The Creative Arts Therapy Department at MUSC offers a breadth of expertise in clinically creative interventions, substantiated by ongoing research. Throughout training, interns will gain experience in multiple areas of the health care environment within the context of individual, group, and family therapy. To assist in the transformation to becoming a skilled art therapy professional, on-site supervision will be provided by a board-certified clinical art therapist.

Applications for the MUSC Art Therapy Internship are accepted year-round from individuals enrolled in an Art Therapy graduate program or individuals needing post-graduate hours. Please be aware that we are unable to accept applications that are hand delivered. Upon receipt of completed application package, submissions will be reviewed and selected applicants will be contacted. Prospective interns must be currently enrolled or have graduated from an accredited art therapy master's level program. Candidates will be required to come for a final on-site interview so that he or she can tour the facility and make an informed decision regarding acceptance, if/when internship is offered. Applicants will be notified in writing regarding the status of their application following the on-site interview. Following approval, a legal affiliation will need to be documented with MUSC Health.

Should you have any further questions, please contact the Arts in Healing Clinical Team by email at [artsinhealing@musc.edu](mailto:artsinhealing@musc.edu) or by phone at 843-792-1168.

Sincerely,

MUSC Arts in Healing  
Creative Arts Therapy Clinical Team

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## Art Therapy Internship Application



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

College or University \_\_\_\_\_

College or University Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Masters Art Therapy Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Internship availability:     Part-time     Full-time

Do you require special accommodations to adequately fulfill internship responsibilities?     Yes     No

### Essay Questions

1. Have you worked with individuals in the medical setting? If so, what did you learn from this experience?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Why are you interested in interning at MUSC Health?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. What are your long-term professional goals?

## Resume

Please include a resume with application packet that notes your work, volunteer and clinical practicum experiences. Be sure to include location, dates, and responsibilities.

## Letters of Recommendation

Please submit **two** letters of recommendation from a previous supervisor(s) and/or graduate professor.

## Transcript

Please submit your transcript (official or unofficial) of master's art therapy coursework.

## Expectations of MUSC Art Therapy Interns

1. All applicants should have the desire to work in a large inpatient and outpatient medical setting, with varied populations.
2. Applicants must be prepared to complete assignments and special projects as outlined in the MUSC internship packet.
3. Accepted applicants must participate in all orientation requirements including, but not limited to, background checks, two-step PPD, drug screen, and vaccination records should be up to date.
4. Applicants are responsible to provide ongoing education about the Art Therapy Program to MUSC Health leaders, physicians, care team members, and the community.
5. Applicants are expected to document and maintain records, progress reports, and statistical information in appropriate formats while also fulfilling the Arts in Healing Program and facility-wide quality assurance/performance improvement standards.
6. Applicants are required to participate in weekly on-site supervision to ensure best practice and continuum of patient care.

## Application Packet Requirements:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Application Form (page 2) | <input type="checkbox"/> Letter of Recommendation (1) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Essay Questions           | <input type="checkbox"/> Letter of Recommendation (2) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resume                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Transcript                   |

Please submit application packet to the below email or address:

[artsinhealing@musc.edu](mailto:artsinhealing@musc.edu) - please include "Art Therapy Internship Application" and your name in the subject line

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Attn: Art Therapy Internship Program  
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Charleston, SC 29425