



Thank you so much for your interest in interning with Jacob's Ladder! Internships with us involve direct and consistent contact with our students and clients who have special needs in a therapeutic environment. Our internships are hands-on; therefore, experience with the special needs population and/or children of any age is beneficial to those seeking internship placement with us. We have our own unique and individualized methodology which focuses on a whole-brain, holistic and functional-neurodevelopmental approach.

Due to the overwhelming interest in our program, we have a limited number of internship opportunities available. To maintain consistency for our students and uphold the standards of our organization, we ask that you meet the following **minimum requirements**:

- Must be 18 years of age unless you are participating in a sanctioned program through a local high school
- Must be able to pass a criminal background check
- Agree to intern for a minimum of 1 semester (August-December, January-May, or June-July)

Please note we are unable, at this time, to provide supervision hours signed off by a licensed professional (such as LPC, PT, OT, ST). Internships could involve placements in one of our classroom environments or 1:1 settings.

If you meet the above requirements, please visit our website. We ask that you pay close attention to the content regarding our methodology and how we accomplish our unique programming approach. Of the utmost importance is to view the "Jacob's Ladder: A Love Story" video to get a better understanding of the atmosphere and environments that flourish at Jacob's Ladder. This video also reflects the abundant love and positive demeanor needed to be a successful intern on our campus. The "Jacob's Ladder: A Love Story" video can be found on our website at [www.jacobsladdercenter.com](http://www.jacobsladdercenter.com).

**As a recap, here is a checklist of action items needed if you would like to proceed in the internship interview process:**

- Meet the minimum requirements listed above
- Complete the volunteer/intern inquiry form on the website
- Visit our website and view "Jacob's Ladder: A Love Story" video

Internship positions are limited and are scheduled on a first come, first serve basis. Selections are made by matching current internship opportunities with the interests and availability of potential interns like yourself. If you are selected from this initial step in our interview process, you will be contacted by the volunteer/internship coordinator.

Thank you for your interest in Jacob's Ladder thus far and we look forward to hearing from you!