



## School of Social Work

A one-year postdoctoral fellowship is available as a Research Associate on a National Science Foundation (NSF) funded study led by MSU College of Social Science faculty members Drs. Sheryl Kubiak, Rebecca Campbell, and Deborah Bybee, as well as Law College faculty member Hannah Brenner. All investigators on this project are members of the [MSU Consortium on Gender-based Violence](#).

The study, *Using an Ecological Framework to Examine Reporting of Abuse during Incarceration*, is an interdisciplinary 2-year project that combines prospective and retrospective methods, including surveys and archival data retrieval. We are primarily interested in assessing reporting behaviors, with an emphasis on variables that predict the reporting of sexual assault during incarceration.

Applicants must have defended their dissertation prior to beginning the postdoctoral fellowship. A doctoral degree in social work, psychology, nursing or other related field is required. The successful candidate will have:

- strong quantitative analyses skills
- experience in database management and manipulation
- a track record in manuscript production/publishing.

Content expertise in sexual assault and/or issues of confinement/incarceration is extremely helpful. It will also be helpful for the candidate to have transportation and the ability to travel within the state.

**Appointment:** The position is considered full time for 12-months, beginning summer 2015. Salary will be commensurate with skills and experience with a maximum of \$40,000. Benefits will also be provided. Office space is available.

**Application Procedure:** Applicants are asked to submit:

- Cover letter describing training, skills, research interests and how they fit with those described in the position advertisement; why are you interested in the position.
- Name and contact information for three references
- An up-to-date curriculum vitae

**Electronic submission is required.** Materials should be submitted via the MSU online system. The application process can be started here. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until a suitable candidate is selected.

Please reference MSU Job Posting #0221

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