Job Summary
Psychology majors, Biology/Pre-Med majors, Education/Special Education majors, Social Work/Counseling majors, Para-professionals and others ... Are you looking for meaningful work that's directly related to your field of study? Would you enjoy improving the lives of individuals with special needs and autism? Would you like to be part of a team that is helping children and adolescents achieve their maximum potential?

Responsibilities and Duties
Children Achieving Maximum Potential, Inc. is hiring special needs instructors to work with adolescents and young adults in their homes and communities. Our Special Needs Instructors provide individuals with autism and related disorders comprehensive science-based treatments through intensive individualized instruction. Our goal is for individuals with autism and related disorders to learn to communicate effectively, become increasingly independent, interact appropriately with others in the community and their home, enjoy their learning experiences, and to be treated with respect, courtesy and dignity.

Locations include: Anne Arundel County, Baltimore County, Carroll County, Frederick County, Harford County, Howard County, Montgomery County, P.G. County, and Washington County.

Qualifications and Skills
Requirements:
Must have a minimum of a high school diploma.
Must pass a criminal background check.
Must have a valid driver’s license, a clean driving record, and reliable transportation.
Must be energetic and maintain professional behavior/confidentiality.
Must be able to physically move quickly.
Must have an interest in working one-on-one with children/adolescents with special needs and their families.
Must be willing to take direction, training, and implement feedback as given by the trainer/supervisor.

Ideal Candidate:
The Autism Therapist works 1:1 with an individual under age 21 diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder in his/her home and community. Programs focus on teaching language, behavior, recreation, self-help and social skills.
Ideal candidate will have an interest in working with individuals with disabilities. Prior personal, volunteer or professional experience is preferred. The candidate must be able to take initiative yet also be comfortable being part of a team. An interest in learning more about effective teaching strategies, such as Applied Behavior Analysis, for children with autism is a must. Candidate should be reliable, energetic and fun.
This is an ideal job for students studying psychology, education, human services, social work, nursing or related fields to gain hands-on experience in the field. Flexible hours are available in the afternoon, evenings and weekends.

To apply:
Log in to Career Connector and search Job ID #6822

Note: Please indicate experience or interest in working with individuals with Autism or other disabilities.
Benefits
We offer flexible hours and schedules, competitive pay, training and ongoing feedback, and supportive environment for advancement.
This is a part-time position with primarily afternoon, evening and weekend hours. You must be able to pass a fingerprint-supported background check.

Location: Various Cities, Maryland United States
Position Type: Part Time, Internship & Co-op

Desired Major(s): Education, Psychology, Public Health Science, Social Work, Health Care Administration (M.S.), Industrial and Organizational Psychology (M.P.S.)
Desired Class Level(s): Junior, Senior, Alumnus, Graduate Student
Work Authorization: US Citizen or US National, Permanent Resident
Salary Level: $13.50 to $15.00 per hour
Approximate Hours Per Week: 8 to 30

Application Deadline: Sep 17, 2019