

Colorado



A Great Place for School Psychologists

Colorado Offers:

- Three University training programs for school psychology (UNC, UCD & DU) with paid internships
- Strong state organization, CSSP, with more than 400 members
- Many ongoing professional development opportunities in the areas of behavior, academics & mental health
- Positive Behavior Supports (PBS) Initiative in 3rd year with 270 PBS school sites
- School Psychology Consultant at the Department of Education providing resources & assistance
- Response to Intervention (RTI) and Evidenced Based Practices projects statewide
- Statewide System of Care Collaborative to better serve children with complex needs
- Many school psychologists in district and state leadership positions
- “Futures” Grants awarded in 2004 & 2005 to support expanded roles for school psychologists
- National conferences such as the National Dyslexia Conference hosted in Denver
- 178 School Districts with 17 in the metro area
- 48 projected openings for the 2006-2007 school year
- Over 720 School Psychology positions, a number that continues to grow
- Cultural diversity
- Over 300 days of sunshine yearly, making Colorado an outdoor playground with biking, hiking, skiing, rafting, snowboarding, fly fishing, snowshoeing and kayaking
- A haven for fine arts with theatres, symphonies, operas, and various museums
- Great skiing and riding located only an hour from the Denver metro area!
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