

Mary Rose Tully Training Initiative

Application Questions 2024

These essays are a part of the application process and must be answered in the online application. All essays are required. 500 words max.

Essay 1:

How have your previous work, volunteer work, and lived experiences led you to apply to MRT-TI?

Essay 2:

Please describe why you would like to become an International Board-Certified Lactation Consultant (IBCLC). Your response must include the following information: 1. What personal goals do you have for becoming an IBCLC? 2. What steps have you taken to ensure you understand the expectation of the profession? 3. How do you plan to prepare yourself for the demands of an 8-10 hour clinical day and a graduate-level course? 4. How do you plan to use your IBCLC credential in the future?

Essay 3:

Describe ANY additional clinical experience or volunteer experience (e.g. doula work, nursing, dietetics, etc.) you have had, including location, duties, length of experience, etc.

Essay 4:

Economic, political, and social factors contribute to health outcome differences within and between countries. How will you apply your lactation training to address these factors to reduce human milk feeding disparities and related health outcomes?