# SPCR internship projects 2023- University of Southampton

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| **Length of internship and when it could take place:**  Flexible |
| **Host department:**  Primary Care, Population Sciences and Medical Education, University of Southampton |
| **How will the internship be conducted:**  In person at the university  Virtual/ from home  Both are possible, depending on preference of student |
| **Title internship project:**  **Interventions to improve mental health of orphans and vulnerable children in Low and Middle-Income Countries: A systematic review** |
| **Summary of the internship project:** *(max 250 words, can include hyperlinks to further information)*  This is a systematic review being led by Dr Eunice Aroyewun. The intern student’s role would be to be the second reviewer – screening titles and abstracts from the literature search, extracting data and performing critical appraisal. The student would have the opportunity to be a co-author of the published systematic review. |
| **Learning objectives:**   1. To learn the principles and gain experience of doing a systematic review 2. To learn how to use RAYYAN software for screening titles and abstracts 3. To learn how to critically appraise studies 4. To learn to extract data for a systematic review. |
| **Any further information:** |
| **How to apply:**  Applicants should email their application to Mark Lown by the 30th April 2023  [m.lown@soton.ac.uk](mailto:m.lown@soton.ac.uk)  The application should include:   * A copy of the applicants up to date CV * A supporting statement (no more than 1 side of A4 in length) providing information about: * The applicants background and experience to date * Why they want to gain experience in primary care-based research * Which project they would like to undertake and why |