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Netherlands Institute of Forensic Psychiatry and Psychology

# Psychiatrist at the Pieter Baan Centre

The Pieter Baan Centre is looking for psychiatrists to join our examination teams.

We are a psychiatric observation clinic of the Dutch Ministry of Justice and Security. The clinic forms part of the Netherlands Institute of Forensic Psychiatry and Psychology (NIFP).

The persons we examine are accused of having committed serious (violent) offences. They often suffer from complex psychiatric issues. Public interest in the associated criminal cases is often high.

## **Multidisciplinary team**

As a psychiatrist, you will be part of a multidisciplinary examination team. Over the course of six weeks, you will examine the accused in collaboration with a psychologist, environmental researcher, supervisory staff, legal expert, and process psychiatrist or psychologist. Upon completion of this term, you will draw up a behavioural expert report, rendering advice to the court about the disorder, criminal responsibility, likelihood of reoffending, and possible treatment of the accused.

## **Scientific research**

Multiple colleagues within the PBC perform scientific research in the field of forensic psychiatry, which is conducted within the NIFP. Are you interested in joining them? We are happy to discuss the options available to you.

## Part-time possible

The PBC is looking for committed, motivated psychiatrists. Many of our psychiatrists work part-time for us and work elsewhere in addition to their employment with the PBC, such as in their own medical practice, for a mental healthcare institution, or for other sections of the NIFP.

## More information

Should you have questions or would like to receive more information about working for the NIFP as a psychiatrist, please contact Margot van Berkel (psychiatry department head) via [m.v.berkel@dji.minjus.nl](mailto:m.v.berkel@dji.minjus.nl) or via 088 071 0700.

For more information, please check [www.nifp.nl](http://www.nifp.nl).



## About the NIFP

The Netherlands Institute of Forensic Psychiatry and Psychology (NIFP) is a national agency of the Custodial Institutions Agency, which forms part of the Dutch Ministry of Justice and Security.

The NIFP provides expertise and knowledge in the field of forensic psychiatry and psychology and physical care to detainees.

The NIFP's mission statement is: *'Providing advice and care for a safe and humane society'*.

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