

# PRACTICUM AGENCY INFORMATION SHEET

(Please return along with any other application materials)

2019-2020 Academic Year

Agency Site Name Gateways Normandie Village/Satellite

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Satellite: 437 N Hoover Street, LA, CA 90004

## Student Requirements

How many positions will you have for the fall? 6

Beginning and ending dates of the practicum: 8/4/2020 To 8/3/2021

Specific days and times you prefer students to be available (also indicate hours that are available for students to provide services):

Monday \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday \_\_\_\_\_

Friday \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday \_\_\_\_\_

Specific days and times that it is **mandatory** that students be available for staff meetings, training seminars, supervision, etc.

Monday	
Tuesday	Normandie: 10:30 - 2:30; Satellite: 10:30 - 12pm
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	Satellite: 9am - 12pm
Saturday	
Total hours expected to be worked per week:	24 hours each week, at least 3 days each week
Number of direct client hours per week:	7-12
How many clients would the practicum student have at one time?	3-5 clients
What cultural groups typically receive services at your site?	This is a very diverse group of individuals
Please describe seasonal variations or vacation opportunities, if applicable:	n/a
What is the timeline that you expect a practicum student to commit to (e.g. a full year including holidays; academic year; semester)? Given this timeline, what exceptions will be allowable?	This practicum is for one year

## Description of Site

Type of Setting (please circle all that apply):

☒ Community Mental Health Center

☐ Private Psychiatric Hospital

☐ Health Maintenance Organization

☐ State/County Hospital

☐ Medical Center

☐ Correctional Facility

☐ Military Medical Center

☐ School District/System

☐ Private General Hospital

☐ University Counseling Center

☐ General Hospital

☐ Independent Practice

☐ Veteran Affairs Medical Center

☒ Other (please specify): Forensic Residential Facility (ERS)

Students will provide services for (please circle all that apply):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals	Children	Community outreach activities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consultation/Liaison
Couples	Adolescents	Psychoeducational groups (Example: Parenting groups)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Families	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adults	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Groups	Seniors/Elderly
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Court Referred	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probation Referred		

Students will provide (please circle all that apply):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brief therapy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Psychological testing	Art therapy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Long-term therapy	Neuro-psychological testing	
Educational therapy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Academic/Education/Cognitive testing	

What is the ratio of services students are expected to provide between assessment and treatment?

Psychological testing percentage	<u>10</u>	<u>%</u>
Treatment percentage	<u>90</u>	<u>%</u>

What are the most frequent diagnostic categories of your client population?

Psychotic disorders (Schizophrenia, Schizoaffective disorder, MDD with psychotic features, etc)

Mood Disorders (Bipolar disorder, MDD, etc)

Personality Disorders (Antisocial, Borderline, etc)

What specific (perhaps unique) training opportunities do students have as a practicum student at your agency?

Students have the opportunity to provide services to justice-involved individuals in a forensic setting. Students will also be trained in writing court reports, probation reports, and interacting with conservators.

What theoretical orientations or specific treatment modalities will students be exposed to at this site?

Although the program is mostly CBT-oriented, many different treatment modalities and orientations are utilized. Students are trained in a number of evidence-based practices: Seeking Safety, DBT, CBT for SMI, etc.

Do students have the opportunity to work in a multidisciplinary team environment? If so, please list the non-psychology professionals/paraprofessionals who work as a part of your staff.

Yes, the treatment team is very diverse. Students will work closely with other psychology disciplines as well as paraprofessional counselors, nurses, psychiatrists, and case managers. Students will also frequently consult with probation officers, guardians, and court employees.

List locations where students will be providing services.

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Does your agency allow students to videotape and/or audiotape clients for the purpose of presenting cases in their academic classes?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, what procedure must students follow in order to do this?

Only audio tapes are allowed to be shared in class

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## Supervision

What types of supervision will you provide for the students and what is the expected licensure and discipline status of the supervisor? Please specify.

Type	Hours Per Week	Supervisor Degree	Supervisor License #
Individual	1 hour	LMFT/Doctoral	LMFT96708/PSY26066
Group	2.5 hours	LMFT/Doctoral	LMFT96708/PSY26066

If providing group supervision, what is the maximum number of students in group supervision?

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Do you have one or more psychologists on staff (Contracted Site Affiliates or FT Site Employees), at least one of whom is licensed/certified by the State Board of Psychology?

Yes ☒ ]      No ☐ ]

Do you have a staff psychologist who is designated as the coordinator of training and is responsible for the training experiences of students?

Yes ☒ ]      No ☐ ]

**Does your agency provide the student with the following minimum training experiences?**

a.      At least one hour of direct individual experience with an on-site licensed psychologist per ten hours of direct service?

Yes ☒ ]      No ☒ ]

If yes, please specify: Supervision is provided by either a PsyD or LMFT, depending on the site  
Indicate days/times: \_\_\_\_\_

b.      In-service training experiences, e.g. reading, didactic training seminars, professional presentations and case conferences?

Yes ☒ ]      No ☐ ]

If yes, please specify: Didactics are offered weekly  
Indicate days/times: Tuesdays at 11am

Students will be evaluated through (please check all that apply):

Review of student's written clinical notes/assessments [ ☐ ]

Report of clinical work in supervision [ ☒ ]

Co-facilitation of groups/sessions with clinical staff [ ☐ ]

Review of audio or video recording of student's sessions [ ☒ ]

Direct observation by clinical staff of student's clinical work [ ☒ ]

## Selection of Students

Method for selection of students:

After Director of Clinical Training approval, are all students free to submit their application materials to you?

Yes [ ☒ ]      No [    ☐ ]

Do you require that the school's Director of Clinical Training select the candidate(s) your site will interview from our student body?

Yes [    ☐ ]      No [ ☒ ]

Do you require the school's Director of Clinical Training to select a designated number of practicum students for your agency from among our clinical program's student body?

Yes [    ☐ ]      No [ ☒ ]

Does your agency prefer the student to work from a particular theoretical orientation?

Yes [    ☐ ]      No [ ☒ ]      If yes, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

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Does your agency require a particular range of previous experience or specific prerequisite coursework? If so please explain.

We prefer more advanced students - this is not a good site for first therapy experience

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## Agency Application Process

Does your agency have any formal application process required of practicum students beyond what is listed above?

Yes [ ☐ ]

No [☒ ]

If yes, please specify:

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Does your agency have a formalized arrangement with this program to provide services for a particular number of their students (this is what is known as a captive relationship between program and site)?

Yes [ ☐ ]

No [☒ ]

If yes, please specify:

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If 'No', the site and program must abide by the procedures and dates of acceptance which have been determined by the *Southern California Association of Psychology Training Programs* (SCAPTP) available here: <http://www.scaptp.org/#!documents/cgoz>

For any of the questions on this form for which you wish to expand upon your response, please provide your comments:

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