

Graduate Counseling Program Practicum/Internship Site Information

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MAC Approved Practicum Only Site Approved Internship Only Site Approved Practicum & Internship Site (both required)
MFT Approved MFT Internship (Regis approved MFT supervisor) Approved MFT Certificate (LMFT or AAMFT Approved Supervisor req.)
Name of Site: Rape Assistance and Awareness Program Address: PO Box 18951 Denver CO, 80218 Application/Interview Timeline (subject to change): Feb- March 2011
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Site Supervisor(s): Scott Sorensen, Psy.D.
Description of Placement and Population Served: The Rape Assistance and Awareness Program is Colorado's largest rape crisis center. RAAP sees on average 350 therapy clients per year and answers 3000 hotline calls. As the only rape crisis center in metro-Denver since 1983, RAAP's services are aimed at assisting survivors of sexual assault and educating the public about preventing sexual violence. Therefore, this internship position is designed to integrate both RAAP's mission and the student's career goals and interests as they pertain to working primarily with women's issues and trauma. RAAP also receives referrals from HealthRight International (former Doctors of the World) for survivors of sexual assaults and torture.
Clients served at RAAP include adult and adolescent (13-18YO) survivors of sexual assault and abuse and friends, families and partners of survivors of sexual assault and abuse. Our Prevention Services Program includes school age children, teens and young adults, their parents and educators and other individuals in the community.
Placement Requirements: Practicum/Internship Placement Hours:x daysx evenings weekends Placement begins: Spring _x Summer orx Fall (Semesters) Length of Practicum: 1semester other: Length of Internship:2 semesters 3 semesters (1 full year) other: 9-12 months Stipend reimbursement to student yesx no Mileage reimbursement yesx no
Group supervision provided per week:yes _x _no- every other week

Placement Experiences:	
Child Play Therapy	<u>x</u> Crisis Intervention
x Adolescent Therapy	Psychological Testing
X Individual Psychotherapy	<u>x</u> Psychodiagnostic Intake
Couples Therapy	Case Management
Family Therapy	<u>x</u> Case Conferences
x Group Therapy	Special Services
Alcohol/Drug Program	x In-Service/Staff Development

Additional Placement Information:

Services Provided: Victim Services Program: 24 hour hotline, advocacy in hospital and criminal justice settings, case management, crisis intervention, individual, and group counseling. Prevention Services Program: sexual abuse/assault prevention education programs for students ages 4-20; personal safety skills courses offered in community.

Culturally diverse populations served (%): African American 10%; Native American 2%; Asian American .5%; Euro-American 59%; Hispanic American 25%; Mid-Eastern American .5%; Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual 15%.

Supervisor's experience in training students to work with culturally diverse groups:

Which group(s)?: As an organization, RAAP is committed to on-going training and community collaboration towards the goal of cultural proficiency. The training philosophy does not focus specifically on individual groups although staff and community agencies with whom we work, are extremely diverse. RAAP's minority client populations are largely Hispanic, African American and Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual. We offer most services in Spanish and English. Additionally, we strive to have a culturally diverse staff.

Duties of psychology trainee: rape crisis line; 1:1 crisis intervention, hospital/ court advocacy; intake and assessment; co-facilitation of sexual assault/abuse groups. Students who have time and interest may also choose to be involved with the prevention programs or part of community task forces, coalitions, etc.

Approximately 20-25 hrs from a 40 hour Hotline training offered in June, October, and Februrary is mandatory. Supervision and weekly Victim Service case conferences are mandatory: Scheduled (daytimes) as per student's schedule. Thursday client services/ group supervision meetings from 12-2pm are mandatory.