CORRECTIONAL HEALTH SERVICES

MAGUIRE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY
300 BRADFORD STREET
REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063
(650) 599-1762

PLACEMENT OPENINGS: Three (3) slots available for 2nd or 3rd year Practicum Students, Pre-doctoral and Post-doctoral psychology interns

REQUIREMENTS:

- 24-40 Hours per week
- Monday-Friday 7am-3pm. Required days Tuesdays & Wednesdays.
- Placement from September 1st through June 30th. Other placement schedules considered.
- Values cultural competency.
- Can work effectively in a multi-disciplinary team as well as with law enforcement.
- This placement only accepts advanced students with at least one year experience working in a correctional or inpatient setting or two years working in a multi-disciplinary team with seriously & persistently mentally ill patients.

TRAINING SETTING: Work with a multidisciplinary team providing services to incarcerated seriously mentally ill adults with co-occurring substance abuse concerns. Opportunity to work in the Behavior Health Program which is a housing unit focusing in providing specialized treatment to mentally ill inmates. Maguire Correctional Facility & Maple Street Correctional Center are the San Mateo County’s Jails. About 15% of the population is mentally ill. We provide individual and group therapy. We also provide intake assessments, crisis interventions, suicide assessments, creating and managing behavioral management plans, psychiatric medication referrals, supportive counseling, coordinating with medical and custody staff treatment of inmates with history of mental illness or requesting mental health intervention. San Mateo County Jail has two Behavioral Health Pods (men & women). Interns will work in this program to provide mental health treatment to inmates on a voluntary to stabilize and plan for discharge off the pod.

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PLACEMENT OPENINGS: Six (6) PsyD/PhD, MFT, MSW Interns and trainees

Hours:
- 20 – 24 hours per week
- July through May
- Hours distributed Monday – Friday, 8:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
- Must be available Wednesdays 8:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. (trainings and meetings)
- Spanish speakers encouraged to apply

Program Description:
The Youth Services Center offers an excellent opportunity to develop psychological assessment and report writing skills, while also serving adolescents and their families in multidisciplinary forensic settings. All Practicum students are expected to conduct a series of court ordered psychological evaluations and prepare written reports to the court. Therefore, students must have completed coursework in psychological testing prior to this placement. Students devote at least half of their time to one of 3 direct, clinical assignments alongside their testing and report writing:

1. The **Forensic Team** provides the following to youth detained in the County of San Mateo’s Juvenile Hall: crisis response, assessment, brief and longer-term individual and family therapy, group therapy, and case management.
2. The Clinical team at the **Margaret J. Kemp Girls’ Camp** engages in gender-responsive, culturally competent, and trauma-informed group, individual, and family therapy to address mental health needs and co-occurring disorders. Demands of this team may limit availability for psychological assessment and report writing.
3. Clinicians at **Camp Glenwood** collaboratively deliver individual, group, and family therapy, as well as crisis response and case management to adolescent boys who have been committed for several months to an intensive therapeutic program location near La Honda.

Application Process: Please e-mail a curriculum vitae, cover letter, and mail, send or bring 2 letters of recommendation.

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CENTRAL COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH – ADULT TEAM
San Mateo County Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
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PLACEMENT OPENINGS: Second year and advanced practicum placements available for M.S.W., M.F.T., & Ph.D/Psy.D practicum trainees.

First year internships may be considered for students with prior experience.

- Minimum 24 hours per week.
- Flexible schedule available Monday – Friday, with Thursday mornings required.
- Placement from September through June (M.S.W. & M.F.T.) and July to June (Ph.D./Psy.D.). Other placement schedules will be considered.
- Provide clinical services to seriously mentally ill adults in an outpatient mental health clinic.
- Bi-lingual and/or bicultural interns are encouraged to apply.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:
Our outpatient behavioral health clinic serves over 900 clients who reside in the Central region of San Mateo County. The program offers individual, group, family therapy, medication support, & clinical case management services within a multi-ethnic, multidisciplinary team environment. Our team is committed to providing integrated treatment to clients with psychiatric problems, substance abuse, developmental and/or medical conditions. The emphasis of treatment is culturally congruent, evidenced based with wellness & recovery focused in order to maintain hope & support the clients’ goals of healthy interdependence & self-sufficiency with family & peer support.

INTERN TRAINING AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:
In addition to weekly individual supervision, team meetings, staff meetings & group supervision, interns are provided a weekly Master’s Seminar & Grand Rounds lectures. San Mateo County offers multiple trainings & students are required to take on-line training (Avatar, HIPPA, Locus) & attend didactic trainings. Trainees are also encouraged to participate in Health Equity Initiatives that specifically targets cultural groups.

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