

# County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

## Student Professional Development Program

**2018-2019 Academic Year**

*Complete this form for each discipline to be placed at this agency:*

Service  
Area  
**5**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology<br><input type="checkbox"/> Practicum<br><input type="checkbox"/> Externship<br><input type="checkbox"/> Internship<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Social Work<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specialization <u>Mental Health</u><br><input type="checkbox"/> Macro/Admin | <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Marriage Family Therapist<br><input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Therapy<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____ |
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<b>DMH Agency:</b>	Edelman Westside Mental Health Center
<b>DMH Agency Address:</b>	11080 West Olympic Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90064
<b>DMH Agency Liaison:</b>	Abby Chappell, LCSW / Amy Byrne, LCSW
<b>New or Returning:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Returning
<b>Liaison Email Address:</b>	<a href="mailto:achappell@dmh.lacounty.gov">achappell@dmh.lacounty.gov</a> / abyryne@dmh.lacounty.gov
<b>Liaison Phone Number:</b>	310-966-6539 / 310-966-6567
<b>Liaison Fax Number:</b>	310-473-0831
<b>Agency ADA accessible</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No" identify:

### Student Requirements:

<b>How many positions will you have?</b>	3 - 5
<b>Beginning and ending dates:</b>	According to school calendars

**Student Schedule:** *Please indicate days and times students should be available to provide services, including mandatory staff meetings (SM), training seminars (TR), supervision (SUP), etc.*

<b>Monday</b>	Clinic is open 8-6, M-F
<b>Tuesday</b>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	Students must be here on Wednesday
<b>Thursday</b>	
<b>Friday</b>	
<b>Total hours expected to be worked per week:</b>	20 hours/2nd year, 16/1 <sup>st</sup> year
<b>Number of direct client hours per week anticipated:</b>	
<b>Expected average consumer caseload:</b>	8-10 / 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, 6/ 1 <sup>st</sup> year
<b>What cultural groups typically received services at your site?</b>	Latino, African American, Middle Eastern, Caucasian, Asian, Canadian, European

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## Description of Site: *(Please describe the type of Agency setting and services offered)*

Edelman Westside Mental Health Center Adult Clinic is a directly operated clinic of County of Los Angeles' Department of Mental Health. We provide mental health services including triage and intake assessments, case management, psychiatric services, individual psychotherapy, group therapy, occupational services, peer support, etc. We strive to promote hope, healing, and empowerment to consumers and their families. In partnership with the community, we provide services and linkage to resources that enable individuals to forge full and meaningful lives.

## Target population and types of services provided: *(please check all that apply)*

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Individuals</b>              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Psychoeducational groups (e.g. Parenting) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Groups</b>                   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach                        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Families</b>                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brief treatment                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children & Adolescents                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Evidence Based Practices                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Adults</b>                   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Crisis Intervention</b>                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Older Adults</b>             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Screening and Assessment                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Court/Probation referred</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Testing                                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Consultation/Liaison</b>     | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):                                     |

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

Schizophrenia, Schizoaffective, Bipolar, Major Depression, Severe Anxiety, Personality disorders, and Dual Diagnosis.

What specific (perhaps unique) training opportunities do students have at your agency?

Weekly In-House Clinical Training Program, Multi-disciplinary Team Meetings

What evidence based practices or theoretical orientations will students be exposed to at this site?

Psychosocial Rehab, CBT, Psychodynamic, Family Systems, DBT, Seeking Safety, IPT

Do students have the opportunity to work in a multidisciplinary team environment that includes those with lived experience?

Each student will be part of a multidisciplinary team including, MD, RN, LCSW, MSW, BA, Peer Advocate, PhD., N.P., MFT, OT

List locations where students will be providing services **other than agency?**

Typically most services are provided in the clinic. Interns at times have provided limited services at Daybreak Drop In Center, OPCC/Clare/Community Outreach, EXODUS MH Urgent Care Center.

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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

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**Supervision:**

*What types of supervision will be provided for the students and what is the licensure/discipline of the supervisor? Please specify below.*

Type	Hours Per Week	On Site Supervisor Degree/Discipline
<b>Individual:</b>	1.5	MSW/LCSW
<b>Group:</b>	2-3/month	MSW/LCSW

What is the minimum ratio of supervision to client contact hours? \_\_\_\_\_

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

This is a clinically intensive placement, we prefer 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Students, but will consider a 1<sup>st</sup> Year Student based on their level of experience, and referral from school liaison.

**Agency Application Process**

**Mandatory requirements:** *Only students from academic institutions who have a current affiliation agreement with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health may be extended a placement opportunity. All students are processed through Human Resources Bureau. All prospective interns must obtain live scan clearance. All interns are required to complete a mandatory HIPAA Compliance and Sexual Harassment Prevention Training (for line staff) as part as the terms of their internship.*

**DMH Staff completing this form:** Abby Chappell, LCSW      **Title:** MHCS

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Program Head:** Nilsa Gallarado, Psy.D.      **Phone #:** 310-966-6538

**District Chief:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Electronic Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_