

# County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

## Student Professional Development Program

### Edelman Mental Health Center

#### Social Work

Internship

Specialization: Adult Mental Health Outpatient

<b>DMH Agency:</b>	<b>Edelman MHC</b>	
<b>DMH Agency Address:</b>	11080 W. Olympic Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90064	<b>Service Area</b> <b>5</b>
<b>DMH Agency Liaison:</b>	Amy Byrne	
<b>New or Returning:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Returning	
<b>Liaison Email Address:</b>	<a href="mailto:abyrne@dmh.lacounty.gov">abyrne@dmh.lacounty.gov</a>	
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<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>	3-4
<b>Beginning and ending dates:</b>	August – End of Spring semester/quarter

#### Student Schedule:

<b>Monday</b>	Preferred 8:00-4:30
<b>Tuesday</b>	Available 8-4:30
<b>Wednesday</b>	Mandatory 8:00-4:30
<b>Thursday</b>	Available 8-4:30
<b>Friday</b>	Preferred 8:00-4:30

<b>Total hours expected to be worked per week:</b>	20 preferred 16 possible
<b>Number of direct client hours per week anticipated:</b>	10
<b>Expected average consumer caseload:</b>	5 therapy, 5 case management
<b>What cultural groups typically received services at your site?</b>	Varied

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

Adult outpatient community mental health  
 Case management services, rehab, linkage  
 Individual therapy including EBPs – DBT, CBT, CORS, IPT, Seeking Safety, PE  
 Group therapy – Process, skills based, EBPs, CBT, DBT  
 Psychiatry Services – medication  
 Assessment and Referral  
 Co-Occurring disorders treatment

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

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Individuals</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Psychoeducational groups (e.g. Parenting</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Groups</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Community Outreach</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Families</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Brief treatment to mid-term treatment</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Children &amp; Adolescents</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Long term treatment</b>
<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"/> <b>Screening and Assessment</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Court/Probation referred</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Psych Testing (For psychology students only</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Consultation/Liaison</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other (specify):</b>

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

Depression, Anxiety, PTSD Psychosis, Borderline Personality Disorder

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

DBT – county certification, bi-weekly brief trainings, Seeking Safety – county certification

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

DBT, CBT, Seeking Safety

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

Yes, to interdisciplinary team experience, which may or may not involve individuals with lived experience.

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

None

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	LCSW
<b>Group:</b>	1 ½	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.*

No

### 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: Amy Byrne

Title: PSWII

Program Head or District Chief: Dr. Nilsa Gallardo Phone #: (310) 966-6538

Program Manager attests to accepting student placements at this site. Date: 1/20/2023