

County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

Student Professional Development Program

Agency/Program Name

What discipline? (Social Work)

Internship/ Practicum

Specialization: Adult FSP

DMH Agency:	Antelope Valley MHC Full Service Partnership	
DMH Agency Address:	251 East Ave K-6, Suite H Lancaster CA 93535	Service Area # 1
DMH Agency Liaison:	Amber Anderson	
New or Returning:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Returning	
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Agency ADA accessible	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No" identify:	

Student Requirements:

How many positions will you have?	1
Beginning and ending dates:	Open

Student Schedule: Tuesday through Friday

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

Monday	
Tuesday	Group Supervision
Wednesday	Team Case Consolation
Thursday	
Friday	

Total hours expected to be worked per week:	16
Number of direct client hours per week anticipated:	8
Expected average consumer caseload:	10
What cultural groups typically received services at your site?	SPMI, Unhoused, Justice Involved

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

Antelope Valley Full Service Partnership (AVFSP) is dedicated to providing comprehensive intensive mental health services for adult/older adults and their families in their homes and the greater Antelope Valley community. The foundation of Full-Service Partnerships is doing “whatever it takes” to help individuals on their path to recovery and wellness. Full Service Partnerships embrace client-driven services and support with each client choosing services based on individual needs. Services are field-based and include; mental health assessments, medication supportive services, individual and group therapy, targeted case management, rehabilitation, and crisis intervention.

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

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

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

SPMI- Psychotic Disorders, PTSD, Major Depression, Anxiety, Borderline Personality

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

Intensive Field-Based Mental Health Services

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

Assertive Community Treatment and Dialectical Behavioral Therapy

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

Yes, our treatment teams are multidisciplinary, we meet weekly and provide weekly case consolation

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

Throughout the great Antelope Valley Community

Does your agency allow students to videotape and/or audiotape clients for the purpose of presenting cases in their academic classes? Yes No

With client written consent.

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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
Individual:	1	LCSW
Group:	2	LCSW

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

1:20

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/Field Instructor completing this form:

Amber Anderson Title: Program Manager II

Email: aanderson@dmh.lacounty.gov Date: 2/4/2025

Program Manager: Amber Anderson, LCSW

District Chief: James Coomes, LCSW

Both Program Manager and Chief agree to students accepted at this site.

Electronic Signature: _____ **Date:** _____