

**County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health
Student Professional Development Program**

San Fernando Mental Health Center

What discipline? (Social Work)

Internship/ Practicum

Specialization: (List services or populations)

DMH Agency:	San Fernando Mental Health Center, Directly Operated	
DMH Agency Address:	10605 Balboa Blvd, Ste 100 Granada Hills, CA 91344	Service Area # 2
DMH Agency Liaison:	Ani Harutyunyan, LCSW, Mental Health Clinical Supervisor	
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?	3
Beginning and ending dates:	Academic year

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

Student Schedule: Tuesday through Friday

Monday	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Tuesday	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Wednesday	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Thursday	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM

Total hours expected to be worked per week:	16-20
Number of direct client hours per week anticipated:	10
Expected average consumer caseload:	10

What cultural groups typically received services at your site?	Caucasian, White, Latin, Armenian, Russian, African-American
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Description of Site: *(Please describe the type of Agency setting and services offered)*

Our site provides the opportunity for second year students in an MSW Program to conduct the Adult Intake Assessment (Biopsychosocial Evaluation), establish diagnoses, develop treatment plans, provide mental health services and target case management needs, provide linkage for medication support and other referrals/resources, develop effective treatment modalities as dictated by the need of client (individual/group psychotherapies, COD), learn to provide emergency assessment through OD phone/in person contact, learn to assess for safety, participate in group/individual supervision and an interdisciplinary clinical team. In addition, MSW Interns will have an opportunity to co-facilitate a current group at our clinic or create a new group of their choosing that meets the needs of our clients.

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

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Psychoeducational groups (e.g. Parenting)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Groups	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Families	<input checked="" 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 checked="" 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?

Generalized Anxiety, Major Depression, Bipolar Disorder, Schizophrenia.

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

Crisis Intervention, DBT, Diagnostic Interviewing, working with a Ketamine clinic as well as TMS services with diverse client population.

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

CBT, Seeking Safety, Strengths-based, Supportive, Motivational Interviewing

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

Yes, during weekly team meetings on Tuesdays.

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

