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(Bay Area Practicum Information Collaborative)

Practicum Information Form: (rev 12.18.08)

Our agency will accept applicants from the following psychology doctoral graduate programs (mark with an X in box next to school name below):

Caminar

X	Alliant International University California School of Professional Psychology, S.F. One Beach St., San Francisco, CA.94133 (415) 955-2076 Director of Training: Randall Wyatt
X	Argosy University American School of Professional Psychology 1005 Atlantic Ave, Alameda CA. 94501 Director of Training: Jenifer Persing (510) 217-4753 Associate Director of Training: Zoe Collins (510) 217-4709
X	California Institute of Integral Studies 1453 Mission St. San Francisco, CA. 94103 Director of Training: Andrew Harlem (415) 575-6134 Assistant Director of Training: Mera Altis (415) 575-6218
X	Institute of Transpersonal Psychology 1069 East Meadow Circle, Palo Alto, CA 94303 (650) 493-4430 X 254 Director of Training: Jan Fisher
X	J.F.K. University 100 Ellinwood Way, Pleasant Hill, CA. 94523 (925) 969-3419 Director of Training: Haydee Montenegro
X	Pacific Graduate School of Psychology 405 Broadway, Redwood City, CA. 94063 Office of Professional Development: Luli Emmons, Vice-President (650) 421-4845 <i>Ph.D.</i> Program: contact Nico Peruzzi, Practicum Coordinator (408) 202-1521
X	Pacific Graduate School of Psychology 405 Broadway, Redwood City, CA. 94063 Office of Professional Development: Luli Emmons, Vice-President (650) 421-4845 <i>Psy.D.</i> Program: contact Kristine Luce, Practicum Coordinator (650) 498-4315
X	The Wright Institute 2728 Durant Avenue, Berkeley, CA. 94704 (510) 841-9230 x 106 Director of Field Placement: Becky Pizer

I. AGENCY INFORMATION	<i>Date Completed:</i>	1/27/09
Agency Name:	Caminar	
Address:	1720 S. Amphlett Blvd. Suite 123	
City, State, Zip:	San Mateo, CA 94402	
Phone:	(650) 578-8691	
Fax :	(650) 578- 8697	
Agency Website address:	www.caminar.org	
List multiple agency programs/sites:	Redwood House, Hawthorne House, Eucalyptus House, YAIL, REACH, New Ventures	
Director of Training:	Abbie Endres, MFT, CPRP	
Director Degree and CA License #:	Marriage and Family Therapist lic. #43308	
Director Phone:	(650) 655-2481	
Director email:	abbigaile@caminar.org	
Other contact person information:	works on Tuesday, Wednesdays, Thursday afternoons, Fridays by appointment	

II. PRACTICUM TRAINING PROGRAM BASICS	
A. <u>Openings</u>	Estimated
-Total Practicum Openings	6
-Total Pre-Doc Internship Level Openings	0
B. <u>Students at Agency</u>	
Number of Practicum Applicants last year	25
Number of Current Doctoral Practicum Students	3
Number of All Current Students in Training	3
Number of Current Pre-Doc Interns	0
C. <u>Practicum Dates and Times</u>	
Beginning Date	9/7/09
Ending Date	6/30/10
Number of weeks for practicum	40
Hours per week for practicum	16-20
Required days and times at agency	Wednesday ams training, other times vary by program
D. <u>Stipend:</u> Is there Stipend? If yes, amount per year?	no

***Note:** Practicum is 16- 20 hours per week. Any other arrangements must be negotiated between agency, program director of training and the individual student contracted. Minimum of 38 weeks required with maximum of 52 weeks.

III. A. AGENCY DESCRIPTION: Please describe below.
Caminar is a non-profit agency providing a continuum of psychosocial rehabilitation services to adults with acute and/or persistent mental illness in San Mateo County. Facilities include one acute crisis residential center, two long-term transitional residential facilities (halfway houses) and case management services for over 300 clients in a variety of assisted and independent living situations. Theoretical orientation is firmly rooted in psychosocial rehabilitation principles, with additional focus on eclectic models ranging from cognitive behavioral, family systems, humanist, and psychodynamic approaches.
B. Staff Cultural & Language Diversity Please Describe: Staff include members of Euro-American, African-American, African, Latino, Asian-American, Indian and Phillipino descent.
C. Languages Desired: English, Spanish, Tagalog
Will supervision be available in those languages? English

D. Specialty Areas: Mark an X next to all specialties that apply at agency.

x	Behavioral Medicine		Hospital		Psychology of Women
	Health Psychology	x	Community Mental Health Clinic	x	Disabilities
x	Psychopharmacology		Forensics		Gay/Lesbian
	Pediatrics		Management/Administration	x	Multicultural Therapy
	Infant/Parent	x	Substance Abuse Treatment		Spirituality/Psychology Integration
	Family	x	Vocational/Career Development		Death/Dying/Bereavement
	Geropsychology		Psychological Assessment		Domestic Violence
	School Based		Neuropsychological Assessment	x	PTSD/Trauma
	College Based		Psychology of Men	x	Serious Mental Illness
	Bilingual in treatment		Others (specify): harm reduction approach to co-occurring disorders		

E. Population: Indicate *estimated* % of clients in each category.

%	<u>Gender</u>	%	<u>Life Cycle</u>
52	Male	0	Infants (0-4)
47	Female	0	Children (ages 5-12)
1	Transgender:	0	Adolescents (ages 13-17)
100%	<i>Total</i>	75	Adults (18-64)
		25	Seniors (ages 65+)
	<u>Ethnic/Cultural Identity</u>	100%	<i>Total</i>
10	African American		
10	Asian American		<u>Other Identified Groups</u>
50	Euro-American	30	Gay/Lesbian:
20	Hispanic/Latin American	99	Disabled Population:
5	Native American	10	International:
5	<i>Other:</i>		Other:
100%	<i>Total</i>		(Note, above will not total 100%)
	<u>Populations Treated</u>		
80	Individual		<u>Functioning Level of Clients</u>
5	Couples	50	Severe Dysfunction (i.e., psychotic, severe personality or substance abuse dx)
5	Families	25	Moderate Dysfunction (i.e., moderate personality dx, anxiety, depression)
10	Groups	25	Mild Dysfunction (i.e., adjustment dx, transitions, growth)
100%	<i>Total</i>	100%	<i>Total</i>

► **Others notes about populations:**

IV. PRACTICUM TRAINEE RESPONSIBILITIES AND FUNCTIONS			
A. Treatment Modalities performed by student: (Mark X in all that apply.)			
x	Individual Therapy	x	Crisis Intervention
x	Couples Therapy	x	Brief Therapy
x	Family Therapy		Long Term Therapy
x	Group Therapy		Psychological Assessment
x	Community Intervention		Neuropsychological Assessment
x	Consultation/Liaison	x	Advocacy/Case Management
	Others (specify):		
<p>► Describe practicum trainee duties and responsibilities: Responsibilities / functions of trainees and interns depend on the specific setting(s) to which student is assigned and the level of experience, training, and interests of the student. These functions can include individual and group counseling, case management services, crisis counseling, conducting or co-leading psycho-educational groups, milieu therapy, and supportive counseling. Most work is shorter-term, with some opportunities to work long-term with clients.</p>			

V. ASSESSMENT and PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING	
A. Assessment Overview	
Will trainee have opportunity for assessment/testing experiences?	no
Is there additional supervision/training for assessment/testing?	no
Percentage of practicum time allotted for providing assessment services:	0
Estimate of average # of Test Batteries completed per year:	0

B. Assessment Modalities performed by student: (Mark X next to all that apply.)			
	Projective		Intelligence
	Personality		Neuropsychological
	Academic		Vocational
	Other:		
Describe the Assessment Program:			

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VI. TRAINING/SUPERVISION PHILOSOPHY and OBJECTIVES

Please describe and/or outline below:

Training includes annual new staff orientation with exposure to San Mateo County system of care, and basic PsychoSocial Rehab principles and practices. All staff receive monthly training in core competencies with additional focus on Best Practices (08/09 focus on Harm Reduction and Motivational Enhancement, 09/10 focus on Trauma and PTSD). All trainings are approached through a cultural competence lens. Individual and group supervision assists students in skill development, support, treatment team integration, and self-care.

B. Supervisor Licenses: Please note the number of supervisors with the following licenses.

1	*Licensed Psychologists (PsyD/PhD/EdD)	5	MFT
2	*Psychiatrists	1	LCSW
	Other: 3 supervisory staff in Post-Doc process		

***Note:** Primary Supervisor must be a licensed provider at the doctoral level of training. Primary Supervisor may be individual or group supervisor & must sign or co-sign evaluation forms for students.

C. Supervision and Training	Hours per week
Individual Supervision	1 with Psychologist, 1 with on-site supervisor
Group Case Consultation	2
Didactic Training	average of 2-4
Other:	
Total hours Training/Supervision	6-8

D. Methods of Supervision: (Mark X next to all that apply.)

x	Live Observation	x	Process Notes
	One Way Mirror	x	Case Reviews and Discussion
	Videotapes Review		Audiotape Review
	Other:		

E. Theoretical Orientations of the Supervising Staff (check all that apply)			
x	Biopsychosocial		Jungian
x	Cognitive Behavioral	x	Narrative
x	Family Systems	x	Psychosocial Rehabilitation
x	Feminist	x	Psychodynamic/analytic
x	Humanistic/Existential	x	Transpersonal
x	Integrative	x	Recovery Based Model
x	Social Justice		Others(specify):
▶ Comments on theoretical orientation:			

F. Training Emphasis Areas: Please fill out the following classifications below to assist us in differentiating practicum placements. Indicate with “X” areas where <i>substantial</i> training program and experience exists such that it would qualify for graduate program practicum in these training emphasis areas.			
x	Community/Multicultural	x	Cognitive Behavioral
	Health Psychology		Assessment
	Forensic Psychology		Geriatric
	Family/Child		Gender
	Psychodynamic		Not Applicable
	Others (specify): psychosocial rehabilitation, co-occurring disorders		
▶ Please add specific information regarding all Emphasis Area(s) you checked:			

G. Evidenced Based Treatment	Yes	No
Are evidence-based treatments utilized?	x	
Please provide a brief description: Psychosocial Rehabilitation, Motivational interviewing, some DBT orientation, Wellness Recovery Action Plans, all best practices associated with Co-Occurring Disorders and Trauma		

VII. PRACTICUM APPLICATION PROCESS FOR STUDENTS

Application Deadline:	February 6, 2009
Selection Date Estimate:	April 14, 2009
Standard required materials	Vita, Letter of Intent, 3 Letters of Recommendation
Agency specific materials:	
Preferred Experience:	student interest in the field of community-based mental health and severe mental illness
Preferred Coursework:	Psychopathology
Interview Process: (keep those that apply, erase rest)	Individual Interview with Clinical Supervisor Allen Valcov PhD, Group Interview with Program Directors, Site Interview at various programs
Other application/interview information:	Inquiries may be made to Abbie Endres at abbigaile@caminar.org Applications sent to Allen Valcov, PhD at agency address above

VIII. Verifying Information: I verify that the above information is current and accurate.	
Date:	1/27/09
Directors Name:	Abbie Endres