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Practicum Information Form (rev 8.18.2005)

I. AGENCY INFORMATION	South of Market Mental Health Services
Date completed:	12/7/2005
Address:	760 Harrison Street
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Agency Website address:	
List multiple agency programs/sites:	
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Other contact person information:	

II. PRACTICUM TRAINING PROGRAM BASICS	
A. <u>Year Level Openings</u>	Estimated
2 nd Year (Grad School) Practicum Openings	1-2
3 rd Year (Grad School) Practicum Openings	1-2
-Total Practicum Openings	2-4
-Total Pre-Doc Internship Level Openings	2-4
B. <u>Students at Agency</u>	
Number of Practicum Applicants last year	30
Number of Current Argosy Practicum Students	2
Number of All Current Practicum Students	4
Number of Current Argosy Pre-Doc Interns	0
Number of All Current Pre-Doc Intern Students	0
C. <u>Practicum Dates and Times</u>	
Beginning Date	8/21/2006
Ending Date	6/22/2007
Number of weeks for practicum	40
Hours per week for practicum	19
Required days and times at agency	Thursday 9-12
D. <u>Stipend</u>: Is there Stipend? If yes, amount per year?	No

***Note:** 2nd year practicum is 16 hours and 3rd year is 16 up to 20 hours per week. Minimum of 38 weeks required with maximum of 52 weeks.

III. AGENCY DESCRIPTION: Please describe below.

SOMMHS is a San Francisco County Mental Health outpatient clinic that serves low income adults. Our client population is culturally diverse and most of the clients have severe mental illness. Predominant diagnoses include major depression, bipolar, schizophrenia, and personality disorders. Frequently, our clients have co-morbid substance abuse/dependence. Almost all the clients receive psychiatric medication from our staff psychiatrists.

A. Population: Indicate estimated % of clients in each category.

<u>%</u>	<u>Gender</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Life Cycle</u>
59	Male	0	Infants (0-4)
40	Female	0	Children (ages 5-12)
1	Transgender:	0	Adolescents (ages 13-17)
100%	Total	100	Adults (18-64)
		0	Seniors (ages 65+)
	<u>Ethnic/Cultural Identity</u>	100%	Total
28	African American		
16	Asian American		<u>Other Identified Groups</u>
41	Euro-American	30	Gay/Lesbian
10	Hispanic/Latin American	40	Disabled Population:
1	Native American	8	International:
4	Other: Biracial		Other:
100%	Total		(Note, above will not total 100%)
	<u>Populations Treated</u>		
84	Individual		<u>Functioning Level of Clients</u>
6	Couples	65	Severe Dysfunction (i.e., psychotic, severe personality or substance abuse dx)
0	Families	25	Moderate Dysfunction (i.e., moderate personality dx, anxiety, depression)
10	Groups	10	Mild Dysfunction (i.e., adjustment dx, transitions, growth)
100%	Total	100%	Total
► Others notes about populations:			

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

	Behavioral Medicine		Hospital	X	Psychology of Women
	Health Psychology	X	Community Mental Health Clinic	X	Disabilities
X	Psychopharmacology		Forensics	X	Gay/Lesbian
	Pediatrics		Management/Administration	X	Multicultural Therapy
	Infant/Parent		Program Evaluation	X	Spirituality/Psychology Integration
	Family		Vocational/Career Development	X	Death/Dying/Bereavement
	Geropsychology	X	Psychological Assessment	X	Domestic Violence
	School Based		Neuropsychological Assessment	X	PTSD/Trauma
	College Based	X	Psychology of Men	X	Serious Mental Illness
X	Bilingual in treatment		Others (specify):		

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
	Family Therapy	X	Long Term Therapy
X	Group Therapy	X	Psychological Assessment
	Community Intervention		Neuropsychological Assessment
X	Consultation/Liaison	X	Case Management
	Others (specify):		
<p>► Describe practicum trainee duties and responsibilities: The major responsibilities of trainees are the provision of weekly individual psychotherapy and periodic case management for their clients. Students also perform intake interview assessments and confer with the psychiatrists who prescribe medications for their clients. There are limited opportunities for couples therapy and co-leading group therapy.</p>			

V. ASSESSMENT and PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING	
A. Assessment Overview	
Will trainee have opportunity for assessment/testing experiences?	Yes
Is there additional supervision/training for assessment/testing?	No
Percentage of practicum time allotted for providing assessment services:	Depends on student interest
Estimate of average # of Test Batteries completed per year:	1-4

B. Assessment Modalities performed by student: (Mark X next to all that apply.)			
X	Projective	X	Intelligence
X	Personality	X	Neuropsychological
	Academic		Vocational
	Other:		
<p>•Describe the Assessment Program: Testing is not required. Students who choose to test can complete 1-5 test batteries depending on their level of interest.</p>			

VI. TRAINING/SUPERVISION PHILOSOPHY and OBJECTIVES: A. Please describe below.

Our goal is to assist students in the development of their skills with respect to individual psychotherapy, intake assessment, diagnosis, and case formulation. We aspire towards the provision of an open, safe, and supportive learning environment for students in supervision and training seminars. We support the individual expression of each student and strive to facilitate the individual course of their professional development.

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

1	*Licensed Psychologists (PsyD/PhD/EdD)	3	MFT
7	*Psychiatrists	3	LCSW
	Other:		

***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
Group Case Consultation	1
Didactic Training	2
Other:	
Total hours Training/Supervision	4

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

X	Live Observation (<u>for intakes only</u>)	X	Process Notes
	Two Way Mirror	X	Case Reviews and Discussion
	Videotapes Review	X	Audiotape Review
	Other:		

E. Theoretical Orientations of the Supervising Staff (check all that apply)

X	Biopsychosocial	X	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
	Primary supervisors have a psychodynamic 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 *substantial* training program and experience exists such that it would qualify for graduate program practicum in these training emphasis areas.

X	Community/Multicultural		Cognitive Behavioral
	Health Psychology		Assessment
	Forensic Psychology		Geriatric
	Family/Child		Gender
X	Psychodynamic		Not Applicable
	Others (specify):		
<p>► Please add specific information regarding all Emphasis Area(s) you checked: Both our client population and our staff are culturally diverse. The language capacity of our staff includes Tagalog, Cantonese, Spanish, and Russian. The primary supervisors have a psychodynamic theoretical orientation.</p>			

VII. PRACTICUM APPLICATION PROCESS FOR STUDENTS

Application Deadline:	3/27/06
Selection Date Estimate:	4/10/06
Standard required materials	Vita, Letter of Intent, 3 Letters of Recommendation
Agency specific materials:	
Preferred Experience:	
Preferred Coursework:	
Interview Process: (keep those that apply, erase rest)	Individual Interview and Brief Case Presentation
Other application/interview information:	

VIII. Verifying Information: I verify that the above information is current and accurate.

Date:	12/7/05
Directors Name:	Myrna Stone, Ph.D.
*Directors Signature:	M.S.

*If emailing, you may add signature through copy and paste or just put in your initials.