

# Argosy University: San Francisco Bay

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## Practicum Information Form

<b>I. AGENCY INFORMATION</b>	<b>Family Service Agency of Marin</b>
Date Completed:	8/15/05
Address:	555 Northgate Drive
City, State, Zip:	San Rafael, CA 94903
Phone:	415-491-5700
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Agency Website address:	<a href="http://www.fsamarin.org">www.fsamarin.org</a>
List multiple agency programs/sites:	
Director of Training:	<b>Diane Suffridge</b>
Director Degree and CA License #:	Ph.D. PSY 10707
Director Phone:	415-491-5708
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Other contact person information:	

<b>II. PRACTICUM TRAINING PROGRAM BASICS</b>	
<b>A. <u>Year Level Openings</u></b>	<b>Estimated</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year (Grad School) Practicum Openings	N/A
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year (Grad School) Practicum Openings	1-2
<b>-Total Practicum Openings</b>	<b>1-2</b>
<b>-Total Pre-Doc Internship Level Openings</b>	
<b>B. <u>Students at Agency</u></b>	
Number of Practicum Applicants last year	10
Number of Current Argosy Practicum Students	0
Number of All Current Practicum Students	0
Number of Current Argosy Pre-Doc Interns	
Number of All Current Pre-Doc Intern Students	
<b>C. <u>Practicum Dates and Times</u></b>	
Beginning Date	9/1
Ending Date	8/31
Number of weeks for practicum	48
Hours per week for practicum	20
<b>Required days and times</b> at agency	T 10-2, Th 9-11, F 11-3
<b>D. <u>Stipend</u></b> : Is there Stipend? If yes, amount per year?	no

**\*Note:** 2<sup>nd</sup> year practicum is 16 hours and 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.**

Family Service Agency of Marin offers a comprehensive continuum of community-based mental health and related service for children and adults of all ages. FSA of Marin provides child and family focused therapy and case management, adult therapy, child abuse prevention and treatment programs, alcohol and drug abuse treatment, parent education, and crisis prevention and intervention. The agency has a psychodynamic theoretical orientation, using techniques and interventions from a variety of perspectives based on the needs of the specific client.

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

<b>%</b>	<b><u>Gender</u></b>	<b>%</b>	<b><u>Life Cycle</u></b>
37	Male	2	Infants (0-4)
63	Female	17	Children (ages 5-12)
0	Transgender:	6	Adolescents (ages 13-17)
100%	<i>Total</i>	73	Adults (18-64)
		2	Seniors (ages 65+)
	<b><u>Ethnic/Cultural Identity</u></b>	100%	<i>Total</i>
8	African American		
1	Asian American		<b><u>Other Identified Groups</u></b>
60	Euro-American		Gay/Lesbian:
23	Hispanic/Latin American		Disabled Population:
0	Native American		International:
8	<i>Other:</i>		Other:
100%	<i>Total</i>		(Note, above will not total 100%)
	<b><u>Populations Treated</u></b>		
	Individual		<b><u>Functioning Level of Clients</u></b>
	Couples	10	Severe Dysfunction (i.e., psychotic, severe personality or substance abuse dx)
	Families	60	Moderate Dysfunction (i.e., moderate personality dx, anxiety, depression)
	Groups	30	Mild Dysfunction (i.e., adjustment dx, transitions, growth)
100%	<i>Total</i>	100%	<i>Total</i>

► **Others notes about populations:**

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

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

<b>IV. PRACTICUM TRAINEE RESPONSIBILITIES AND FUNCTIONS</b>			
<b>A. Treatment Modalities performed by student: (Mark X in all that apply.)</b>			
X	Individual Therapy	X	Crisis Intervention
X	Couples Therapy	X	Brief Therapy
X	Family Therapy	X	Long Term Therapy
X	Group Therapy	X	Psychological Assessment
	Community Intervention		Neuropsychological Assessment
	Consultation/Liaison	X	Case Management
X	Others (specify): Charting Progress		
<p>► <b>Describe practicum trainee duties and responsibilities:</b> Psychotherapy with individual adults and children, couples and family; psychoeducational groups; psychological testing with children.</p>			

<b>V. ASSESSMENT and PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING</b>	
<b>A. Assessment Overview</b>	
Will trainee have opportunity for assessment/testing experiences?	Yes
Is there additional supervision/training for assessment/testing?	Yes
Percentage of practicum time allotted for providing assessment services:	5
Estimate of average # of Test Batteries completed per year:	2-4

<b>B. Assessment Modalities performed by student: (Mark X next to all that apply.)</b>			
X	Projective	X	Intelligence
X	Personality		Neuropsychological
X	Academic	X	Vocational
	Other:		
<p>► <b>Describe the Assessment Program:</b> Psychological testing with children; 2 hours group supervision for testing.</p>			

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

Our objective in training predoctoral interns is to prepare them to work with a diverse population of children and adults. We emphasize in-depth assessment and clinical formulation, while using a variety of treatment techniques suited to the particular case at hand. Our agency has a wide ranging continuum of services, which provides interns with the opportunity to work collaboratively with other service providers on some of their cases. In addition, there are multiple opportunities to present cases in supervision, training, and consultation in order to receive a variety of perspectives on a particular case.

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

1	*Licensed Psychologists (PsyD/PhD/EdD)	15	MFT
	*Psychiatrists	5	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.

<b>C. Supervision and Training</b>	<b>Hours per week</b>
Individual Supervision	1
Group Case Consultation	4
Didactic Training	3
Other: Team meeting	1
<b>Total hours Training/Supervision</b>	<b>9</b>

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

	Live Observation	X	Process Notes
	Two Way Mirror		Case Reviews and Discussion
	Videotapes Review	X	Audiotape Review
	Other:		

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

X	Biopsychosocial		Jungian
X	Cognitive Behavioral		Narrative
	Family Systems		Psychosocial Rehabilitation
	Feminist	X	Psychodynamic/analytic
	Humanistic/Existential		Transpersonal
X	Integrative		Recovery Based Model
	Others (specify):		

► **Comments on theoretical orientation:** Primarily psychodynamic with use of techniques from other orientations as appropriate.

**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.

	Community/Multicultural		Cognitive Behavioral
	Health Psychology	X	Assessment
	Forensic Psychology		Geriatric
	Family/Child		Gender
X	Psychodynamic		Not Applicable
	Others (specify):		
▶ Please add specific information regarding all Emphasis Area(s) you checked:			

**VII. PRACTICUM APPLICATION PROCESS FOR STUDENTS**

Application Deadline:	3/7/06
Selection Date Estimate:	4/4/06
Standard required materials	<b>Vita, Letter of Intent, 3 Letters of Recommendation</b>
Agency specific materials:	Graduate transcripts
Preferred Experience:	Long-term psychotherapy 1-2 years; psychological testing
Preferred Coursework:	Psychological testing, child development
Interview Process: (keep those that apply, erase rest)	Individual Interview
Other application/interview information:	

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

Date:	8/15/05
Directors Name:	Diane Suffridge, Ph.D.
*Directors Signature:	DS

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