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Practicum Information Form

I. AGENCY INFORMATION	UCSF-AIDS Health Project
Date Completed:	11/16/05
Address:	1930 Market Street
City, State, Zip:	San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone:	415-476-3902
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Agency Website address:	www.ucsf-ahp.org
List multiple agency programs/sites:	N/A
Director of Training:	Mary Pacheco, PhD
Director Degree and CA License #:	PhD; Psy 17195
Director Phone:	415-502-7235
Director email:	mary.pacheco@ucsf.edu
Other contact person information:	

II. PRACTICUM TRAINING PROGRAM BASICS	
A. <u>Year Level Openings</u>	Estimated
2 nd Year (Grad School) Practicum Openings	--
3 rd Year (Grad School) Practicum Openings	5-7
-Total Practicum Openings	5-7
-Total Pre-Doc Internship Level Openings	0-1
B. <u>Students at Agency</u>	
Number of Practicum Applicants last year	40
Number of Current Argosy Practicum Students	0
Number of All Current Practicum Students	7
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	July 6, 2006
Ending Date	June 29, 2006
Number of weeks for practicum	52
Hours per week for practicum	20 hrs.
Required days and times at agency	Fridays: 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
D. <u>Stipend</u>: Is there Stipend? If yes, amount per year?	
	\$100/mo.

***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.

The AIDS Health Project is a large, non-profit, multi-disciplinary mental health organization within UCSF offering services to the HIV-affected population of San Francisco. Services include psychotherapy, support groups, substance abuse interventions, prevention services, mental health crisis, HIV testing and counseling, psychiatric consultation, and case management. Indirect services include providing training to programs to inform the public about HIV and prevention strategies. Recently services have been expanded to include mobile HIV testing to underserved communities.

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

%	<u>Gender</u>	%	<u>Life Cycle</u>
85%	Male	0	Infants (0-4)
10%	Female	0	Children (ages 5-12)
5%	Transgender:	0	Adolescents (ages 13-17)
100%	<i>Total</i>	95%	Adults (18-64)
		5%	Seniors (ages 65+)
	<u>Ethnic/Cultural Identity</u>	100%	<i>Total</i>
15%	African American		
7%	Asian American		<u>Other Identified Groups</u>
65%	Euro-American	90%	Gay/Lesbian:
10%	Hispanic/Latin American	70%	Disabled Population:
3%	Native American		International:
	<i>Other:</i>		Other:
100%	<i>Total</i>		(Note, above will not total 100%)
	<u>Populations Treated</u>		
65%	Individual		<u>Functioning Level of Clients</u>
15%	Couples	60%	Severe Dysfunction (i.e., psychotic, severe personality or substance abuse dx)
0	Families	30%	Moderate Dysfunction (i.e., moderate personality dx, anxiety, depression)
20%	Groups	10%	Mild Dysfunction (i.e., adjustment dx, transitions, growth)
100%	<i>Total</i>	100%	<i>Total</i>

► **Others notes about populations:** The AIDS Health project works with HIV+ people, and HIV negatives who are at risk for contracting HIV. Most of the population served is from the GLBT community with varying levels of functioning. Trainees would be working mostly with mild to moderate dysfunction levels.

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

	Behavioral Medicine		Hospital	X	Psychology of Women
X	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		Psychological Assessment		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		Long Term Therapy
X	Group Therapy		Psychological Assessment
	Community Intervention		Neuropsychological Assessment
X	Consultation/Liaison		Case Management
	Others (specify):		

► **Describe practicum trainee duties and responsibilities:** Trainees are expected to carry a caseload of up to 7 individual therapy clients, perform 2 intakes a week, participate in individual and group supervision, attend didactics, and a professional development group.

V. ASSESSMENT and PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING**A. Assessment Overview**

Will trainee have opportunity for assessment/testing experiences?	Possibly
Is there additional supervision/training for assessment/testing?	Possibly
Percentage of practicum time allotted for providing assessment services:	Would depend
Estimate of average # of Test Batteries completed per year:	None allotted at this time

B. Assessment Modalities performed by student: (Mark X next to all that apply.)

	Projective		Intelligence
	Personality		Neuropsychological
	Academic		Vocational
	Other:		

► **Describe the Assessment Program:** The AIDS project performs psychological and neuropsychological testing with people who are HIV positive. It's possible that assessment could be a part of the practicum, but the Trainee would need to have previous neuropsychological testing experience.

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

Trainees are expected to meet with individual supervisors for one hour a week. Supervision modalities vary by supervisor, however, all Trainees are required to audiotape their client sessions for review in individual and group supervision. Trainees are also expected to attend weekly group supervision meetings.

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

2	*Licensed Psychologists (PsyD/PhD/EdD)	3	MFT
3	*Psychiatrists	4	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 hour
Group Case Consultation	1.5 hours
Didactic Training	1.5 hours
Other: Professional Development Group alternates with Didactic trainings	1.5 hours
Total hours Training/Supervision	4 hrs.

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

	Live Observation	X	Process Notes
	Two Way Mirror	X	Case Reviews and Discussion
X	Videotapes Review	X	Audiotape Review
	Other: Videotaping is an option, although not required		

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
X	Humanistic/Existential		Transpersonal
X	Integrative	X	Recovery Based Model
	Others (specify):		

► **Comments on theoretical orientation:** Trainees will be working with the Time-Limited Dynamic Psychotherapy model and all supervisors are expected to supervise using this model in addition to their own specific orientations.

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	X	Cognitive Behavioral
X	Health Psychology		Assessment
	Forensic Psychology		Geriatric
	Family/Child		Gender
X	Psychodynamic		Not Applicable
	Others (specify):		

► Please add specific information regarding all Emphasis Area(s) you checked: The therapy program with people who are HIV positive is a short-term therapy model, and training will be provided on the Time-Limited Dynamic Psychotherapy (TLDP) model. For clients who are HIV negative, Trainees will be trained in a specific 12-week HIV prevention counseling model.

VII. PRACTICUM APPLICATION PROCESS FOR STUDENTS

Application Deadline:	February 17, 2006
Selection Date Estimate:	March or April 2006
Standard required materials	Vita, Letter of Intent, 3 Letters of Recommendation
Agency specific materials:	AIDS Health Project Application
Preferred Experience:	Moderate Level of Experience
Preferred Coursework:	
Interview Process: (keep those that apply, erase rest)	Individual Interview, Group Interview, Vignettes
Other application/interview information:	Call Traineeship Coordinator, Dr. Pacheco, at 415-502-7235 to request application packet. Students are encouraged to apply early.

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

Date:	November 16, 2005
Directors Name:	Mary J. Pacheco, PhD; Traineeship Coordinator
*Directors Signature:	MJP; <i>Mary J. Pacheco, PhD</i>

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