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CMHC Specialty

[A Better Way Counseling Center](#)

818 NW 17th Ave, Suite 8 Portland, Oregon 97209

PH (503) 226-9061

Internship Contact: David Leventer 503-226-9061

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health (Marital, Couples, and Family Therapy possible)

Hours of Operation: varies, check for most recent schedule of groups and services

Brief Description of services:

A Better Way Counseling Center works with individuals, couples, and families around issues of abuse, addiction, eating disorders, anxiety, depression, grief, and marriage and family issues. Programs:

1. Eating Disorders Program
2. Family Therapy Program
3. General Counseling Program.

How to Apply: contact the Internship Contact person directly with questions and interest

Albertina Kerr

Administrative Center

424 NE 22nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97232
PH: 503-239-8101 FX: 503-239-8106
EM: info@albertinakerr.org

Gresham Campus

722 NE 162nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97230
PH: 503-255-4205 FX: 503-255-5095

Internship Contact: Stephanie Bolson (503) 262-0187 StephanieBo@albertinakerr.org

Type of Internship Available: Marital, Couple and Family Therapy, Clinical Mental Health, & Rehab

Hours of Operation: Varies; Family Resource Ctr 10-4pm

Brief Description of services:

Albertina Kerr works with children, adults, and families with mental health or disability issues. They practice a culturally competent family driven and child and family centered program that is community, relationship, and evidence based. Programs they run:

1. [Crisis Psychiatric Care \(Subacute\) program](#) – offers children short term residential placement and 24-hour access to mental health professionals to address urgent mental health crises
2. [The Family Resource Center](#) – a safe place for families who are raising a child with mental health and behavioral challenges. It offers peer support, family activities/events, peer and MH professional led workshops
3. [Intensive Community-Based Treatment](#) (children ages 3 to 17) - Serves youth who are at risk of being kicked out of school or their homes due to a mental health condition. The program offers home-based individual and family therapy, skills training, 24-hour helpline, and case management
4. [Intensive Treatment Program](#) (ITP) - a 10-bed secure treatment and education program for youth with developmental disabilities, all of whom have committed a non-Measure 11 crime. The program offers education, therapy, skills training and placement services.
5. [Early Childhood Out Patient](#) (children 3-5) – Serves youth with behavioral challenges such as impulsive or aggressive behavior and learning delays. The program offers comprehensive mental health services that allow children to stay in their traditional preschool or Head Start settings and provides services in the home, preschool and community to address each child's individual needs and reinforce family and community connections.
6. [Outpatient Services for youth](#) – This program provides case management, home visits, and therapy
7. [Group Homes](#) – 15 neighborhood group homes for youth that offer 24-hour support and life skills training for children and teens ages 7 to 18 with developmental disabilities and mental health challenges

How to Apply:

Email a copy of your resume and a cover letter stating which area you are interested in to the contact person above or call with general questions.

[Bridge City Counseling Offices](#)

712 SE Hawthorne BLVD

Suite 100
Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Nate Bagley PH: 503.545.5329 email:
natebagleycounseling@yahoo.com

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Marital, Couple, and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: varies, business hours and evenings

Brief Description of Services:

Bridge City Counseling is a Private Practice that provides therapy to couples, families, and youth (0-18). They offer multiple types of individual and group therapy including:

1. play therapy
2. parenting skills coaching
3. family therapy
4. couples counseling
5. premarital counseling
6. career counseling
7. sexuality issues
8. psychiatric evaluation
9. medication management

How to Apply:

Call the Internship Contact person with questions

[Cascadia Behavioral Health Services](#)

Mailing Address PO Box 8459, Portland, OR 97207PH: 503.238.0769 FAX: 503.963.7711
Physical Address (multiple) Sites in SE and Downtown Portland, Springfield Wilsonville

Internship Contact: Laurie Lockard 503-238-0769 cell 317-8434

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program; most are 9 am – 5 pm

Brief Description of services:

Cascadia provides mental health and addiction services to youth, adults, and families. They have multiple programs throughout the city that include drop-in or community centers, in-patient, and out patient services, prison based services, and identity specific programs. Programs include:

1. Mobile crisis and crisis respite (family, individual, and child therapy)
2. Urgent care (includes family and individual)
3. Outpatient addiction services including: gambling treatment, substance use treatment, and co-morbid conditions
4. Services to sexual minority youth – including the Sexual Minority Youth Recovery Center (SMYRC) – see SMYRC Page for more details
5. Services to older adults in assisted living and nursing homes
6. Residential treatment
7. Prison-based addiction treatment

8. Supported and independent housing
9. Psychiatric Security Review Board support and treatment, which includes vocational rehabilitation training but not employment services
10. Medical Services
11. African American specific treatment services.

How to Apply

Cascadia has a centralized internship application process for all of its programs. Students should contact the internship coordinator listed with a resume and cover letter identifying their track, any specific program run by Cascadia in which they are interested in interning, and whether they are open to working in any or all other programs. There is also an extensive training and background check related to internships that will be explained to students as the process unfolds. **SOME SITES ARE NOT APPROPRIATE FOR COUPLES, MARRIAGE, AND FAMILY HOURS**, so please ensure that your placement meets the requirements if you are from this track.

[Catherine Freer Wilderness Therapy Program](#)

PO Box 1064
Albany, OR 97321

Internship Contact: Katherine Eastlake 541-926-7252

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies, wilderness program is 24-7 during 3-4 week expedition

Brief Description of services:

Catherine Freer serves youth (13-18 years old) with substance abuse, behavioral, and mental health issues. They work on issues like attachment, mood disorders, depression, anxiety, sexual abuse recovery, anger management, under achievement, etc.

Programs include:

1. [Wilderness Therapy Expedition](#) – Individual and group psychotherapy, behavior management, and addictions treatment combined with physically active wilderness experience. The Program has two phases: phase I works on individual presenting issues and phase II works on social skills and interpersonal issues in a group setting. A therapist who is in the field the entire excursion facilitates all phases and experiences.
2. [Santiam Crossing School](#) – 6-12 month therapeutic alternative school for youth who have completed the wilderness therapy expedition. The school provides an opportunity to continue working on therapeutic goals while also addressing academic issues that make transitioning back into public school possible
3. [Parent Coaching](#) – Both parent and family therapy are provided by Catherine Freer to help assist families adjusting to new ways of interacting with each other and their children's therapeutic gains. Brief family therapy is provided before and after the wilderness expedition in which interns can participate.

Physical requirements for this position include ability to carry 65 lb. pack, hike 5-10 miles per day, and have great self-care in all types of weather.

If you participate in the wilderness excursion as part of your internship, you will be accompanied by a trained therapist and receive supervision via a satellite phone for 3-4 weeks.

How to Apply:

Please send a resume and cover letter to jobs@cfreer.com

[Catholic Community Services](#)

3737 Lancaster Dr Ne
Salem OR 97301

Internship Contact: Rebecca Frey PH: (503) 856-7034 rifrey@ccswv.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Catholic Community Services, serves high-risk youth under the age of 18 and young adults with developmental disabilities. Their programs include:

- Foster Care Program – There are several components to CCS services for youth in the foster care system. They include: group homes for youth (5-18 yrs) in long term foster care who are unlikely to be adopted, receiving homes for youth (0-18 yrs old) experiencing foster care related trauma, family finders program that reunites youth with functioning family members, short term placement program for youth (12-17 years old) with behaviors problems, independent living program for youth (14-21 years old) who are transitioning out of foster care and into independence
- Father Taffe Homes – group homes for single mothers (12-20 yrs old) to learn parenting, mother-child bonding activities, etc.
- Paragon Homes – group homes for young adults (18+) with developmental disabilities.
- Catarino Cavazos Center for Hispanic Youth and Families – serves Latino teen men (13-18 yrs old) who have been adjudicated, learn life skills, job training and placement, and develop healthy relationships
- Community Counseling Center – The center serves youth 13-18 in family counseling. Services include Functional Family Therapy (FFT), a strengths-based family-focused program that helps families with youth at risk to create and maintain long-term improvements.
- Family Lifelines Program – helps youth (12-17 years old) with severe behavioral problems and their families
- Healthy Start, Healthy Families – a voluntary program for at-risk families with children 0-3 years old that provides parenting, home visits, and case management
- Safe Families for Children Program – respite homes for children of families experiencing domestic and sexual violence, addiction, incarceration, long term illness or homelessness

Interns are expected to carry a caseload of 8-12 clients and are asked to commit to approximately 18-20 hours per week for at least a nine-month period. Duties include: individual and family therapy, assessment and diagnosis, treatment planning, and case management.

How to Apply:

Send a [completed application](#) to the internship contact person along with a cover letter noting your interests.

Center for Family Success

St. John's Center 8010 N Charleston Ave
Portland Or 97203

Rockwood Center 229 SE 181st Ave PO
Box 3257 Gresham OR 97030

Internship Contact: Anya Valsamakis PH: (503) 477- 0915

avalsamakis@pathfindersoforegon.org and Margaret Moore (503) 944-9465

mmoore@pathfindersoforegon.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Business Operation: 9:30-5:30, some evenings

Brief Description of Services:

Center for Family Success provides parenting classes, couple's counseling, support groups, and case management to people in or coming out of the criminal justice system.

- [The Children's Justice Alliance Program](#) – serves youth and their families who have at least one family member who is or has recently been incarcerated. They work on issues such as parenting, domestic and sexual violence, GED, literacy, and family advocacy
- [Pathfinders of Oregon Corrections Based Support](#) – Pro-social living program for incarcerated adults based on CBT. Services focus on intervention, motivation, skill building,

How to Apply:

Prison-based services – Call Margaret Moore to discuss interest

Post-prison and family services – Call and email resume and cover letter to Anya Valsamakis

Central City Concern

12th Avenue Recovery Center

12th and SW Stark

Portland Oregon

Internship Contact: Kathleen Roy 503-228-7134

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation:

Brief Description of services:

The program provides two levels of care for the Severely Persistently Mentally Ill Adults:

- Outpatient services: Case Management, Therapy, Psychiatrists or Psychiatric Nurse Practitioners, Med management-Nurses, Money Management, The Living Room-drop in and program center, Dual Diagnosis Services; addiction services for those enrolled in outpatient services, Housing Placement
- Acute Services: CORE (Assertive Community Treatment), Intensive Dual Diagnosis Services, State Hospital Reduction Wait List Team, Case Management, Limited therapy due to the acuity of population, Psychiatrists, Med management-nurses, The Living Room- drop in and program center, Housing Placement

Skills required for interns include: Interest in working with the mentally ill, good knowledge of diagnosis, assessment and clinical formulation, interest in learning the

Multnomah County publicly funded mental health system of care and interest in crisis services

How to Apply: People interested in interning at 12th Ave should call the internship contact person directly

[Children's Center](#)

Mailing Address P.O. Box 484
Vancouver, WA 98666

Site: Children's Center
415 W. 11th Street
Vancouver, WA 98660

Internship Contact: Jeff Bailey 360-699-2244 or jeffb@thechildrenscenter.org

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: 8 am – 7 pm

Brief Description of services:

The Children's Center of Washington provides mental health services to children living in Clark County through their center and select elementary, middle, and high schools in the Evergreen and Vancouver school districts. Programs include:

- Mental Health – outpatient mental health counseling and psychiatric services for children and adolescents based on a family strengths model and including services for youth questioning their sexuality or gender identity
- Child Sexual Abuse Treatment Program – trauma recovery based services to child victims of sexual abuse and non-offending family members
- Post Adoption Resource Center - provides supportive services to adoptive, kinship and guardianship families. The program provides parent education, parent support groups, a lending library, problem-solving, information and referral
- Pathways – serves uninsured or underinsured children and youth in need of mental health care.

How to Apply

To schedule an internship, please call and discuss possibilities with the contact person listed above. PLEASE NOTE: does NOT meet couples, marriage, and family requirement (not enough hours with families).

[Children's Home Society](#)

P.O. Box 605 Vancouver, WA 98666

Internship Contact: Mindy Davis PH: (360) 695-1325 mindyd@chs-wa.org

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 9-5pm

Brief Description of Services:

Children's Home Society of Washington serves children and families. They provide sexual abuse survivor treatment (full family services), developmentally appropriate mental health services, individual, group, and family counseling and queer and questioning teens services. They also offer mentor programs for teens and community based training and groups. Their primary therapeutic focus is trauma based CBT. They do not do any couples work.

How to Apply:

Send in a resume and cover letter indicating interest and follow up with a phone call to the internship contact person to discuss questions and let her know you have submitted your materials.

[Children's Relief Nursery](#)

8425 N Lombard Street, Portland, Oregon USA 97203

PH: 503-283-4776, **FAX** 503-283-0716

Internship Contact: Katherine Kneuper (503) 595-4516 or katherine@crn4kids.org

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-TH 8-5 Fri 9-2 (no children's services on Fri); Respite Care M-TH 9-1

Brief Description of services:

Children's Relief Nursery provides wrap around services to reduce parental and family stress. Families must have at least one child under the age of 5 but they provide an assessment for the entire family unit and work with families in various programs. These programs includes: (1) Mental Health – family counseling, Child-Parent Psychotherapy, and infant and toddler mental health, (2) Trauma Stress Clinic – intensive work with children 0-3 who have experienced trauma and their families, (3) Art and Music Therapy – Art and music classes that promote coping skills and healing by giving the child an outlet for emotional expression (4) Therapeutic Classrooms – early intervention with children 0-5 who have mental health issues or developmental delays, (5) Family Connection – support for parents around attachment and stress, including education, peer support, and mentorship, (6) Parent-Infant Classes – play group and parent education with children 0-5, (7) Home Visits – parent education and family support delivered in the home, may or may not be accompanied by health and well being check ups with accompanying CHN, (8) Respite Care

How to Apply:

Call with general questions or to let the internship contact person know you plan to apply. Also send a cover letter indicating your interests and background working with families with children 0-5 and a resume.

Clackamas Community College: [Counseling Department](#)

19600 Mollala Ave, Oregon City OR 97045

Internship Contact: Jean Davenney (503) 594-3184 or jeand@clackamas.edu

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation

Brief Description of Services:

CCC provides student counseling services to the CCC students ages 17-60+years old. They do not provide services for addictions, family therapy, or long-term mental health. Areas they work with may include: Career exploration, Time and stress management, Personal issues impacting success, etc.

How to Apply: **NOT TAKING INTERNS 2011-2012**

Clackamas Community College: [Disability Services](#)
19600 Mollala Ave, Oregon City OR 97045

Internship Contact: Betsy Pachesco (503) 594-3181 bestyp@clackamas.edu

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health, Rehab

Hours of Operation: general business, varies

Brief Description of Services:

CCC provides student support to CCC students. Services include helping students with: Accommodations, Advising and Problem Solving, Assistive Technology, Transitional Planning, Test Accommodations. They do some work with parents and families as well to help orient to them to the college and involve them in case planning as needed.

How to Apply:

Call or email to schedule appointment with internship contact person. Internship program is new, so they are still assessing their needs.

[Columbia Community Mental Health](#)
58646 McNulty Way, St Helens, Oregon 97051
PH: 503.397.5211, FAX: 503.397.5373

Internship Contact: Cindy Beeks cindyb@ccmh1.com

Type of Internship Available: Rehab and Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: 8-6 M-Th and 8-5 F

Brief Description of Services:

Columbia Community Mental Health provides comprehensive and effective mental health, addiction/dependency, mental retardation, and developmental disability services of the highest to individuals, teens, and families in Columbia County. Services include: (1) 24 hour mental health crisis line (after hours is answered by psychiatrist on call), (2) Individual, Teen, and Family Counseling – Individual and family assessment, Individual and family therapy, Group sessions for self-management and parenting, in-home and outpatient skills training, expressive therapy, adolescent early assessment and support, (3) Addictions Counseling – outpatient regular and intensive, residential, day treatment, and dual diagnosis treatment, (4) Psychiatric Rehab Counseling and Housing – includes help with mental health management, addiction management, life skills, job search and vocational training, etc. (4) Developmental Disabilities Support – serves children (birth to 17) and adults (18 and older) with developmental disabilities with eligibility determination, case management, info and referral, advocacy, crisis services, employment training and life skills, in-home support, and foster care and family support, as well as adult protective services.

How to Apply:

Student can call directly to inquire about internships or email if they have more extensive questions.

[Community Counseling Center](#)

Internship Contact: Bridget Martinez PH: (503) 688-2644
bmartinez@catholiccharitiesoregon.org

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of services:

Serves refugees, immigrants, Latinos, adoption counseling, pro-life counseling, trafficking related counseling, teens, singles, couples, and psychoed classes

How to Apply:

Contact Internship contact person with questions about specific programs; you may need to fill out a [volunteer application](#) as well. They do interviews for interns in early February

[Domestic Violence Resource Center](#)

P.O. Box 494, Hillsboro, OR 97123

PH: 503.640.5352, FAX: 503.648.6905

Internship Contact: Gayle Schaeffer 503.846.8068 X 312 gayles@dvr-or.org

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: office M-TH 10am-8pm, F-S by appointment, 24-hour shelter and crisis line

Brief Description of Services:

DVRC serves all families who have experienced domestic or sexual violence in the tri-county area and Vancouver. Services include:

- Prevention Program – outreach, education, presentations, trainings, and lending library
- Intervention – shelter based services, community based support groups, art, play, and filial therapy
- Empowerment – advocacy including with obtaining protective orders, safety planning, resource and referral, and housing assistance.
- Youth Services – They also provide children and adolescent specific services around child witness, trauma, and teen dating violence.

How to Apply:

Email your resume and the programs you are interested in with the subject “interested in internship” to the Internship Contact person. You will need to complete 40 hour DSV training offered in April and spend some time in early September observing intakes and support groups prior to client contact. There is also a background check and finger printing with Washington Co that takes a couple of weeks to process.

[Good Samaritan Ministries](#)

7929 SW Cirrus Dr. Bldg 23 Beaverton OR 97008

Internship Contact: Pat Thompson PH: (503) 644-2339 pat@gsmusa.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-TH 8-9pm F 8-5pm

Brief Description of Services:

Good Samaritan Ministries is a religious organization providing counseling, teacher training, and lay counselor training. Counseling ministry includes family, individual, marriage, men’s, women’s and teens groups. They also provide anger management

counseling and abuse recovery for offenders and victims. The majority of their program is based on DBT

How to Apply:

Send in a cover letter and resume via email to the Internship Contact person

[Harkins House](#)

244 W. Main Street, Hillsboro, Oregon 97123

(503) 846-8766

Internship Contact: Devon Palmateer 503-846-3557 or Jennifer Yonkers 503-846-8775

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: 24 hour shelter

Brief Description of Services:

Harkins House is a short-term, mixed gender, residential shelter care and evaluation program for youth pending alleged violation of the law. It operates as an alternative to going to prison. It serves 18 youths at a time between the ages of 12 and 17. On site programs include: (1) year round school, (2) Youth counseling – includes group meetings for youth, individual therapy and mandatory Moral Reconciliation Therapy which combines moral reasoning and self-esteem work for youth, (3) assessment and recommendation regarding pending criminal charges, and (4) skill building and behavior modification. Interns have the opportunity to provide individual counseling, group counseling, consultation, case management, community based practice, and administrative function

How to Apply:

Please call the contact person to do a pre-screening interview. You may also want to fill out the application in advance as you will need to email this in with a resume as part of the application process.

[Juvenile Justice Department of Washington County](#)

222 N 1st Ave, Hillsboro OR 97214

PH: 503-846-3557, FAX 503-846-3556

Internship Contact: Sandra Santos 503-846-4712 or Jennifer Yonkers 503-846-8775

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health (case by case Marital Couple and Family Therapy)

Hours of Operation: 9 to 5pm and by appointment

Brief Description of Services:

The Juvenile Justice Department works with adjudicated youth and youth pending adjudication ages 12-17 and their families. They provide mental health and case management services that can include: individual, family, and addictions counseling depending on the needs of individual clients. Youth may have truancy, gang, or violence issues in their lives or may be seeking emancipation. They also provide counseling and support to victims of crimes and their families.

They cannot guarantee that your case load will contain parents willing to participate in family counseling or parenting options or that all or the majority of youth have addictions related issues. Please note they have had problems in the past with providing enough opportunities for Couples, Marriage and Family Track and Rehab Track.

Interns have the opportunity to provide individual counseling, group counseling, consultation, case management, community based practice, and administrative function

How to Apply:

Please call the contact person to do a pre-screening interview. You may also want to fill out the application in advance as you will need to email this in with a resume as part of the application process.

LDS Family Services
7080 SW Fir Loop, Suite 100 Tigard, OR 97223

Internship Contact: Matthew Scott PH (503) 620-1191 scottm@ldsfamilyservices.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, Rehab

Hours of Operation:

Brief Description of Services:

You must be of the LDS faith to intern and LDS Family Services. They are a faith-based counseling program that provides:

- [Pro-Life adoption counseling](#)
- [Faith based addiction recovery](#)
- [Couples, Family, and individual counseling](#) – issues include depression, anxiety, couples and family issues, same sex attraction (ex-gay therapy)

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person directly

[LifeWorks NW](#)

14600 NW Cornell Road
Portland, OR 97229
PH: 503-645-3581
FAX: 503-629-8517

NE Portland Site 3716 NE MLK Jr. Blvd Portland, OR 97212 PH: 503-288-8066 FAX: 503-288-8168	N Portland Site 4925 N. Albina Ave Portland, OR 97217 PH: 503-548-4922 FAX: 503-459-4495 and 2631 N Mississippi Ave Portland OR 97212 PH: 503-335-0855 FAX: 503-335-8125	SW Portland Site 506 SW 6th Ave, Suite 905 Portland, OR 97204 PH: 503-223-5525 FAX: 503-223-9091	SE Portland 17214 SE Division Suite 2 (503) 761-5272 and 4531 SE Belmont (503) 234-3400
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Internship Contact: Jocelyn (503) 645-3581 X 2347 hr@lifeworksnw.org or jocelynl@lifeworksnw.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (some Marital Couple and Family Therapy with additional addictions training prior to start; Rehab only with additional mental health training)

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Lifeworks operates mental health, addictions, and dual diagnosis programs in N, NE, and SE Portland as well as Gresham. They also operate an alternative school that combines treatment, mental health, and educational readiness. They have programs for [youth](#), [adults](#), [African Americans](#), [seniors](#), pregnant women, women parenting children under 6, women's groups, and family therapy outpatient. Please check the website [here](#) for specific program information and locations.

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter indicating the programs or populations you are interested in working with and a resume to the internship contact. You must be available for student orientation Tues 9-12 pm and to do an online training. You must also clear a DHS background check prior to beginning; background checks take 4-16 weeks so get one early.

[Looking Glass](#)

20 E 13th Ave Eugene OR 97401

Internship Contact: Sandy Drengacz (541) 484-4428 x 315

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-Th 8-7pm F 8-5

Brief Description of Services:

Looking Glass Youth and Family Services, serves children, youth, and families in Eugene and the surrounding area. They offer counseling, education, rehab. Their programs include:

- Counseling Program – offered to children, youth, and families on an outpatient basis including survivor and offender services, self-esteem, ADHD, adjustment to divorce or teen parenting, etc.
- Adolescent Recovery – outpatient addictions treatment for youth 13-20, offered through individual, group, and/or gender specific therapy
- Drug and Alcohol Treatment – Pathways for boys serves juvenile offenders ages 12-18, Pathways for girls – provides mental health and drug and alcohol treatment for girls 15-18, stepping stone program provides long term addiction treatment for boys 12-18, and also mixed gender, residential mental health treatment, including co-morbid conditions, for youth 11-18

How to Apply:

Call the main line (listed above) and ask if they are taking interns this year. THEY CANNOT GUARANTEE THE FULL HOURS WITH FAMILIES NEEDED FOR CMFT TRACK

[Adolescent Homeless Program](#)

941 W 7th Ave Eugene OR 9740

Internship Contact: Kara England (541) 686-4310

Types of Internships: Rehab and Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Looking Glass Youth and Family Services Homeless Program, serves homeless youth in the Eugene area. They offer services to programs:

- Station 7 – serves youth 11-17 and their families, services include street outreach that provides immediate crisis intervention, 24-hour crisis line, family mediation, family therapy, parent advocacy, and support groups for families with homeless youth, temporary housing with local families
- New Roads Program – serves youth 16-21, providing an alternative school, permanent housing planning, crisis support and counseling
- Center Point School – therapeutic alternative education program for youth 11-17.

School settings will likely not be available for interns, though you may be able to do groups with students in the alternative school.

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person to see if they are currently taking internships (internship supervisor is Michelle Randy if you cannot get through to Kara England), Bilingual preferred

[Luther Community Services](#)

605 S.E. Cesar E. Chavez Blvd., Portland, OR 97214

PH: 503- 231-7480, FAX: 233-0667

Internship Contact: Pierre Morin 231-7480 x662 pmorin@lcsnw.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couples and Family Therapy, and Rehab

Hours of operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Lutheran Community Services provides mental health and addiction services to children, families, individuals and couples. They offer culturally specific programs for immigrants and refugees from Africa and Eastern Europe.

How to Apply

Email a cover letter and resume to the internship contact person. There is a background check and half hour interview prior to hire.

Men's Resource Center

12 SE 14th Ave Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Roberto Olivero (503) 235-3433

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: business + some evenings

Brief Description of Services:

Men's Resource Center provides individual and group counseling to adult male batterers who have either voluntarily signed up for services or been mandated by the court. Support groups are run by 1 female and 1 male facilitator. They also provide anger management groups, gay men's groups, adult male survivors of child sexual abuse, men's growth groups, and couples therapy. They do not have women's services at this time though their full clinic name is Men's Resource Center/ The Women's Counseling Center.

How to Apply

Call the internship contact person

Morrison Center

Day/Residential Program 930 NE 162 nd Portland OR 97230 PH: 503-736-6634 FAX: 503-491-8455	Outpatient Program 3205 SE 13 th Ave Portland OR 97202 PH: 503-258-4636 FAX: 503-252-6234
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Internship Contact: Monica Ford (general director)/ Amy Hahn (sexually abused children)/ James McRae (Day treatment)/Jodie Teitelbaum (Special Adolescent); email: 1st name dot last name @morrisonkids.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couples and Family Therapy (possible), Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies, must be available for mandatory staff meetings for some programs

Brief Description of Services:

Morrison Center serves youth and their families in day, outpatient, and inpatient treatment for mental health. They also offer school based programs and foster care programs. Their services include sexual abuse issues, adolescent sex offender treatment, addictions, behavior issues, etc. For more information about individual programs click [here](#).

How to Apply

Contact [Monica Ford](#) the General Director to determine which programs are currently taking interns. Internship opportunities vary by year.

Multnomah Co Family Service Unit
501 SE Hawthorne Suite 250 Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Autumn Ray 503-988-5634 autumn.a.ray@co.multnomah.or.us

Types of Internships: Rehab or Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couples and Family Therapy with Rehab certificate)

Hours of Operation: business hours must be available for mandatory training Mon or Tues 5:50-8:30 pm

Brief Description of Services:

Juvenile Treatment Services represents a continuum of mental health and alcohol and drug services available to meet the unique needs of youth and families involved in the criminal justice system, or at imminent risk of deeper involvement in the system, or at imminent risk of institutionalization. They also provide sex offender treatment for youth, gender specific mental health services, and victim's assistance.

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter, resume, and application (including supplemental questions and 2 references) to the internship contact. You must pass a background check, submit fingerprints to your site, and go through mandatory training on Monday or Tuesday evening at least one month prior to seeing clients. Several forms will be provided to you to fill out in conjunction with the training; failure to fill them out will halt the review

process. CMFT TRACK SHOULD ENSURE THEY CAN MEET THEIR HOURS AT THIS SITE PRIOR TO APPLYING; HOURS ARE NOT GUARANTEED.

New Avenues for Youth
New Avenues for Youth
The Joyce N. Furman Building
1220 SW Columbia Street
Portland, Oregon 97201
Phone: 503-224-4339
Fax: 503-224-3653
info@newavenues.org

Internship Contact: Molly Janssen 503.224.4339 x359 or 503.517.3959
mjanssen@newavenues.org

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: days, eves, weekends

Brief Description of Services:

New Avenues for Youth serves homeless adolescents in the downtown Portland area. They provide support groups, life skills, job training, alternative housing programs, addictions counseling, and an alternative school.

How to Apply:

call the internship contact and follow up with an emailed letter of interest. When discussing a possible internship make sure that they are clear that you are not calling from the MSW program and that you can meet clinical hours not just case management ones.

[NW Catholic Counseling Center](#)

8383 NE Sandy Blvd Suite 205 Portland OR 97280

Internship Contact: Barbara Kennedy 503-253-0964 barbara@nwcounseling.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couples and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

This faith based counseling center provides culturally competent therapy to all individuals regardless of religious background. They offer:

- individual client centered therapy
- couples therapy – Couples therapy focuses on helping the couple develop communication and relationship skills, with the goal of resolving conflict and deepening intimacy
- family therapy – especially issues of trauma, divorce, blending families together
- child therapy – child-centered approach focused on children's growth and coping but also including parental involvement

How to Apply:

NW Catholic Counseling Center does their interviews in early February please email resume and cover letter indicating interests to the internship contact prior to late January. Interviews happen mid-February.

[Parrott Creek Ranch](#)

1001 Mollala Ave. Suite 209 Oregon City, OR 97045

Internship Contact: Greg Newman (503) 266-3050 gnewman@pcreek.org

Type of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couples and Family Therapy possible)

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter; day and evening family therapy

Brief Description of Services:

Parrott Creek serves adjudicated adolescents males (14-18 years old) with priority given to sex offenders and Clackamas County residents. They provide intensive residential-based group, individual, and family counseling on issues of addiction, sexual aggression, anger management, and behavioral problems with the goal of returning youth to their families within 7-8 months. They also provide post-residential follow up services and a day school. Interns are given a caseload of 1-3 families with whom they provide individual and family therapy as well as provide group every other week.

How to Apply

Interns must be willing to work in Oregon City and should not contact site unless they are able to commit to a full year at the Oregon City Ranch. Email a resume and cover letter indicating interest and experience then call internship contact to alert him to the email.

[PCC Prep Alternative Programs](#)

2305 SE 82nd
Portland OR 97216

Internship Contact: Pamela Blumenthal (503) 788-6288 pamela.blumenthal15@pcc.edu

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: flexible; office open 8-6

Brief Description of services:

PCC Prep serves academically disadvantaged youth and young adults. They have 5 programs: the GED, ESL, and high school completion programs serve youth between the ages of 16-20. Two other programs, [Project Degree](#) and [Future Connect](#), serve adults 18-30. Interns would primarily be available to do individual counseling with students in these programs. There is also minimum opportunity for small process groups as well. Some consulting with faculty and students as needed (related to disciplinary issues in the classroom).

Application Process

Email contact person stating your interest with attached resume. You will also need to do a background check prior to starting.

[Polk County Mental Health Services](#)

182 SW Academy Street suite 304 Dallas, OR 97338

Internship Contact: Geoff Heatherington (503) 623-9289 geoff@co.polk.or.us

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Polk County Mental Health Services is the organizing hub of mental health services run by the county. These services include:

- Emergency/Crisis Counseling
- Addictions
- Adult Mental Health
- Children's Mental Health
- Developmental Disabilities

These services operate independently and are provided by multiple programs.

How to Apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with questions about available internships in your area of interest.

Providence medical center
5228 NE Hoyt Bldg. B Portland, OR 97213

Internship Contact: Dr. James Mol 503.215.1621 james.mol@providence.org

Types of Internship: Rehab (Clinical Mental Health possible)

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

There are limited opportunities for MA students. However, Providence has programs for adults and youth in mental health crisis and addictions services.

How to Apply:

Email the internship contact person with letter of interest including your specialty and/or additional training or certificates. Internship program area will be determined after consultation.

[The Career Center](#)
USB 402

Internship Contact: Greg Flores (503) 725-4613 gflores@pdx.edu

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: not specified (by appointment)

Brief Description of Services:

The Career Center serves current students and alumni who have taken a class in the past 6 months with:

- career counseling
- job search
- internship and volunteer opportunities

They do not provide group counseling and you will need to do another internship in addition to this one to meet all of the requirements for the program.

How to Apply

Call or email the internship contact person with questions.

[Community Counseling Clinic](#)

Graduate School of ED 5th Floor

Internship Contact: Lisa Aasheim (503) 725-4253 aasheim@pdx.edu

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health or Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 9-9

Brief Description of Services:

The Community Counseling Clinic provides low cost counseling to students and members of the community, including individuals, couples, and families. They do not provide crisis counseling or medication.

How to Apply

Fill out the internship application by the deadline and submit to the internship contact person. If you have questions about the internship email the internship contact person directly.

[Center for Student Health and Counseling](#)

1880 SW 6th Ave.

(University Center Building, Suite 200.)

Internship Contact: Dr. Cheryl Forster forsterc@pdx.edu

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: 8-7pm M-Th, 9-5pm Fri (must be available 8:30-1 on Thursdays and work 4-8 shifts)

Brief Description of Services

SHAC serves PSU students primarily through individual counseling. They do not serve children, youth, or families or people with severe mental health issues.

How to Apply

Please email a cover letter, CV, and 2-3 references (including 1 from previous clinical supervisor) by the end of February to the Internship Contact person. There is a week long orientation the week before Fall Term starts that is mandatory for all interns hired.

[Rainbow Family Services](#)

800 Northeast 2nd Street

McMinnville, OR 97128-4408

Internship Contact: Tony Lai PH: (503) 472-2240 tlai@ccswv.org

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health

Hours: unspecified

Brief Description of Services:

Residential program and alternative high school for emotionally disturbed teen boys.

An intern is expected to carry a caseload of seven to nine clients and is asked to commit to approximately 15 hours per week for at least a six month period. Duties include: individual and family counseling, assessment and diagnosis, treatment planning, consultation, and case management.

How to Apply:

Send in [application](#) to contact person with letter of interest.

[White Shield](#)

2640 NW Alexandra Ave Portland, OR 97210

Internship Contact: Greg Colver (503) 239-1248 x3

greg.colver@usw.salvationarmy.org

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 8:30-4pm

Brief Description of Services:

White Shield is a residential treatment program for pregnant or parenting teens. It offers parenting education, job skills, attachment counseling, mentoring, and assessment. Their programs include:

- The Parenting Program – long-term residential for parenting and pregnant teens
- Wildflower Program – residential program for girls 12-17 years with links to therapeutic foster care, offers assessment and counseling prior to placement or transition to independent living
- Independent Living – for adjudicated girls (17 1/2 – 20 years old) and their children; program provides skill building, counseling, and case management

How you apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with interest

[West Women and Children's Shelter](#)

PO Box 2398 Portland OR 97206

Internship Contact: Fay Schuler 503.731.3916 fay.schuler@usw.salvationarmy.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter

Brief Description of Services:

West Women and Children's Shelter is a confidential domestic violence shelter that helps families escaping abuse. They provide mother-child, women's, and children's programming including group, individual, and family counseling. They address issues like domestic and sexual violence, self-esteem, eating disorders, cutting, trauma, attachment, and parenting.

How to Apply:

Call the Internship Contact person. You will need to do a background check and if you have no DSV training, you will have to complete the PWCL DSV training prior to starting. PWCL offers training quarterly for more info email ally@pwcl.org

[SARC](#)

4900 SW Griffith Dr # 100 Beaverton, OR 97005-4649

Internship Contact: Carol Reves (503) 626-9100 volunteer@sarcoregon.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: varies, days and evenings

Brief Description of Services:

SARC provides immediate response and support to sexually assaulted survivors and helps empower them to heal and regain control of their lives. They provide:

- advocacy
- information and referrals to the survivors and their families
- education and awareness
- individual counseling in both English and Spanish for adolescent and adult survivors

They take 2 interns per year and do not serve enough families to meet CMF track.

How to Apply:

Call or email the internship contact person early in the school year. You may also want to fill out the [online interest form](#) though this is not required for internships.

[SMYRC](#)

3024 NE MLK Portland OR 97212

Internship Contact: Favor Ellis or Beth Novi (503) 872-9664 x1 favor@smyrc.org

Types of Internships: Community Mental Health

Hours of Operation: days and evenings, drop in hours Wednesday, Fridays, and Saturdays 4-9pm

Brief Description of Services

SMYRC is a safe, sober space for LGBTQ and questioning folks between the ages of 12 and 23. They provide mental health assessment, individual, groups, couples, and family therapy by appointment and drop in. Issues they cover include but are not limited to:

- Coming out
- Transitioning
- Gender affirmation
- Stress
- Anxiety
- Depression
- Self-esteem
- Body image

How to Apply

send in CV and cover letter to internship contact. You will need to do a background check that takes 2-3 weeks prior to beginning work with clients and a SMYRC training that can be done in conjunction with client contact hours.

[The Child Center](#)

3995 Marcola Rd, Springfield OR 97477

Internship Contact: Jason Smith (541) 726-1465 smithjas75@hotmail.com

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (any), Marital Couple and Family Therapy (Outpatient only)

Hours of Operation:

Brief Description of Services:

The Child's Center offers psychiatric day treatment and outpatient services to youth (ages 1-18) and their families. Services are based on child-centered, family driven, and culturally competent practices and address emotional and behavioral needs of referred youth.

- Outpatient services – this program offers mental health services to youth with a DSM Axis I diagnosis and their families, including some adult only services.
- Day Treatment – this program serves children 3-12 with an Axis I diagnosis and a GAC of less than 40 in an intensive day treatment setting. All children accepted into the program receive prior on site assessment before beginning the program. Children accessing services have severe mental, emotional and behavioral disorders that they will work on through a child-centered, family and community service involvement model.

Internships at the Child’s Center are individualized based on agency need and student interest.

How to Apply:

Call The Child’s Center with your area of interest and information about your background and skills so that they can match you to the appropriate supervisor.

[The Grotto Counseling Ctr](#)
8840 NE Skidmore Portland OR 97220

Internship Contact: Patricia Flynn (503) 261-2437 X 752 pflynn@thegrotto.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 9-5pm

Brief Description of Services:

The Grotto offers client-centered faith based therapy to adults and families of all backgrounds. They offer:

- individual
- family
- [couples](#)
- sand play
- [marriage preparation](#)

They take roughly 3 interns per year and start the selection process fairly early.

How to Apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with your interest and training late January or first week of February.

[Trillium](#)
3415 S.E. Powell Blvd. Portland, OR 97202

Internship Contact: Jamie Vandergon (503) 813-7769

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: varies by program may include both day and late evening hours

Brief Description of Services:

Trillium operates on two principles: (1) helping children heal and (2) equipping children and their families with the tools to manage any ongoing mental health needs. They operate several different programs including:

- youth (4-17 years old) [psychiatric residential treatment](#)
- youth (3-14 years old) [day treatment](#)
- [individual, group, and family therapy](#) focused on children’s needs

- [school based girls empowerment programs](#) – these programs are in partnership with identified schools in the tri-county area but operate independently of them
Interns will most likely work in one of the following programs:

- Four Corners – K-6 alternative placement located in the Reynolds School District . Trillium staff work hand in hand with Reynolds School District staff to provide milieu management, behavioral interventions and classroom support. They also provide therapy services (individual, family and group therapy) as well as case management and consultation. (not appropriate for CMFT)
- Outpatient services – clients aged 6-18 receive individual, family and group therapy as well as consultation and case management. Offices are located in public schools in East Multnomah County. (not appropriate for CMFT)

How to Apply:

- For Four Corners – call or send email letter of interest and resume to Andrew Root aroot@trilliumfamily.org
- Outpatient Services – call or send email letter of interest and resume to Erica Weber eweber@trilliumfamily.org

[Washington County Ctr for Victims' Services](#)

222 North 1st Avenue Hillsboro, OR 97124

Internship Contact: Marci Nelson (503) 846-3021

marci_nelson@co.washington.or.us

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

CVS works to support victims, to advocate for human rights, to reduce the risk of harm, to provide public education, and to facilitate a strong and healing community. Services include [counseling](#), advocacy, informing victims of their rights, basic case management, information & referral, collaboration with Probation & Parole, education & training around victims' issues, and assistance with basic needs.

How to Apply:

Email cover letter indicating interest to the internship contact person and request an agency application.

[Caldwell House Career and Life Counseling Center](#)

2219 SE 68th Ave Portland OR 97215

Internship Contact: Denise Haugen-Lopez (503) 517-1119

DHaugen@warnerpacific.edu

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

Warner Pacific provides short-term individual and group counseling for current students. Their services include:

- emergency/crisis intervention
- career planning

- disability services and assessment
- general mental health issues

They also offer a quiet space to students during drop in hours.

How to Apply:

Email resume and cover letter expressing interest to the internship contact person.

[William Temple House](#)

2023 NW Hoyt St., Portland, OR 97209

Internship Contact: Susan Bettis 503.226.3021 x220 sbettis@wiliamtemplehouse.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F business hours and some evenings

Brief Description of Services:

William Temple House offers Mental Health services to low income individuals and families. They offer individual, couples, family, group, and voluntary pastoral counseling. Youth under 14 are offered services only when a parent is also involved in some form of services; youth 15 and over can participate in any appropriate services on their own. They also offer group classes and case management services.

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person directly. William Temple House makes internship decisions in mid-February.

[Youth Contact](#)

447 SE Baseline Hillsboro OR 97123

Internship Contact: Judy R Harris (503) 640-4222 jharris@youthcontact.org

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy (possible), Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

Youth Contact provides intervention, prevention and support services that are community-based, family-focused and child-centered. They provide outpatient addiction, mental health, and co-occurring services and have Spanish speaking services when needed.

How to Apply:

Contact the internship contact person with interest

[Youth Progress](#)

2020 Powell Blvd. Portland, OR 97202

Internship Contact: Taryn Cochran tcochran@youthprogress.org or Taryn O'Flynn toflynn@youthprogress.org

Type of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Youth Progress offers a client-centered independent living service to youth ages 15-24. Many of the youth served are homeless, adjudicated, or in foster care. Most of them have behavior problems that have left them labeled “difficult to treat.” They offer several different programs including:

- [Visions](#) – This OYA referred program provides mental health and skill building services to youth with an IQ of 80 or below or who require extra supervision. The program provides individual and group counseling based on Skillstreaming and Motivational Interviewing
- [Mariposa](#) – This female only program serves young women who have survived domestic and sexual violence, child abuse and neglect, and have mental health and/or drug addiction issues. They provide group, individual, and family counseling as well as skill building and vocational rehab.
- [Residential](#) – This program serves young men involved in juvenile justice in a home environment that provides both addictions and mental health treatment. They work on issues like anger management, job training, and cognitive restructuring

How to Apply:

Email the internship contact person with your cover letter and resume, indicating the program in which you are interested and any relevant special skills.

[Safe Choice](#)

3609 Main St Vancouver WA

Internship Contact: Sky Mercer (360) 906-9107 smercerc@ywcaclarkcounty.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couple and Family Therapy case by case)

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter

Brief Description of Services:

Safe Choice is a 24-hour domestic violence shelter that offers safe haven for women and families escaping abuse. Their services include:

- individual, group, and child witness counseling
- domestic violence psychoeducation
- child and legal advocacy
- crisis management

How to Apply:

Contact Al Flory, Director of Volunteer Development by phone (360) 906-9112 or email aflory@ywcaclarkcounty.org You may want to fill out the [agency volunteer application](#) as well. You will have to a background check and DSV training prior to starting.

MCFT Specialty

[A Better Way Counseling Center](#)

818 NW 17th Ave, Suite 8 Portland, Oregon 97209
PH (503) 226-9061

Internship Contact: David Leventer 503-226-9061

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health (Marital, Couples, and Family Therapy possible)

Hours of Operation: varies, check for most recent schedule of groups and services

Brief Description of services:

A Better Way Counseling Center works with individuals, couples, and families around issues of abuse, addiction, eating disorders, anxiety, depression, grief, and marriage and family issues. Programs:

4. Eating Disorders Program
5. Family Therapy Program
6. General Counseling Program.

How to Apply: contact the Internship Contact person directly with questions and interest

Albertina Kerr

Administrative Center

424 NE 22nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97232
PH: 503-239-8101 FX: 503-239-8106
EM: info@albertinakerr.org

Gresham Campus

722 NE 162nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97230
PH: 503-255-4205 FX: 503-255-5095

Internship Contact: Stephanie Bolson (503) 262-0187 StephanieBo@albertinakerr.org

Type of Internship Available: Marital, Couple and Family Therapy, Clinical Mental Health, & Rehab

Hours of Operation: Varies; Family Resource Ctr 10-4pm

Brief Description of services:

Albertina Kerr works with children, adults, and families with mental health or disability issues. They practice a culturally competent family driven and child and family centered program that is community, relationship, and evidence based. Programs they run:

8. [Crisis Psychiatric Care \(Subacute\) program](#) – offers children short term residential placement and 24-hour access to mental health professionals to address urgent mental health crises
9. [The Family Resource Center](#) – a safe place for families who are raising a child with mental health and behavioral challenges. It offers peer support, family activities/events, peer and MH professional led workshops
10. [Intensive Community-Based Treatment](#) (children ages 3 to 17) - Serves youth who are at risk of being kicked out of school or their homes due to a mental health condition. The program offers home-based individual and family therapy, skills training, 24-hour helpline, and case management
11. [Intensive Treatment Program](#) (ITP) - a 10-bed secure treatment and education program for youth with developmental disabilities, all of whom have committed a

- non-Measure 11 crime. The program offers education, therapy, skills training and placement services.
12. [Early Childhood Out Patient](#) (children 3-5) – Serves youth with behavioral challenges such as impulsive or aggressive behavior and learning delays. The program offers comprehensive mental health services that allow children to stay in their traditional preschool or Head Start settings and provides services in the home, preschool and community to address each child’s individual needs and reinforce family and community connections.
 13. [Outpatient Services for youth](#) – This program provides case management, home visits, and therapy
 14. [Group Homes](#) – 15 neighborhood group homes for youth that offer 24-hour support and life skills training for children and teens ages 7 to 18 with developmental disabilities and mental health challenges

How to Apply:

Email a copy of your resume and a cover letter stating which area you are interested in to the contact person above or call with general questions.

[Bridge City Counseling Offices](#)

712 SE Hawthorne BLVD
Suite 100
Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Nate Bagley PH: 503.545.5329 email:

natebagleycounseling@yahoo.com

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Marital, Couple, and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: varies, business hours and evenings

Brief Description of Services:

Bridge City Counseling is a Private Practice that provides therapy to couples, families, and youth (0-18). They offer multiple types of individual and group therapy including:

10. play therapy
11. parenting skills coaching
12. family therapy
13. couples counseling
14. premarital counseling
15. career counseling
16. sexuality issues
17. psychiatric evaluation
18. medication management

How to Apply:

Call the Internship Contact person with questions

[Cascadia Behavioral Health Services](#)

Mailing Address PO Box 8459, Portland, OR 97207PH: 503.238.0769 FAX: 503.963.7711

Physical Address (multiple)Sites in SE and Downtown Portland, Springfield Wilsonville

Internship Contact: Laurie Lockard 503-238-0769 cell 317-8434

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program; most are 9 am – 5 pm

Brief Description of services:

Cascadia provides mental health and addiction services to youth, adults, and families. They have multiple programs throughout the city that include drop-in or community centers, in-patient, and out patient services, prison based services, and identity specific programs. Programs include:

12. Mobile crisis and crisis respite (family, individual, and child therapy)
13. Urgent care (includes family and individual)
14. Outpatient addiction services including: gambling treatment, substance use treatment, and co-morbid conditions
15. Services to sexual minority youth – including the Sexual Minority Youth Recovery Center (SMYRC) – see SMYRC Page for more details
16. Services to older adults in assisted living and nursing homes
17. Residential treatment
18. Prison-based addiction treatment
19. Supported and independent housing
20. Psychiatric Security Review Board support and treatment, which includes vocational rehabilitation training but not employment services
21. Medical Services
22. African American specific treatment services.

How to Apply

Cascadia has a centralized internship application process for all of its programs. Students should contact the internship coordinator listed with a resume and cover letter identifying their track, any specific program run by Cascadia in which they are interested in interning, and whether they are open to working in any or all other programs. There is also an extensive training and background check related to internships that will be explained to students as the process unfolds. **SOME SITES ARE NOT APPROPRIATE FOR COUPLES, MARRIAGE, AND FAMILY HOURS**, so please ensure that your placement meets the requirements if you are from this track.

[Catholic Community Services](#)

3737 Lancaster Dr Ne
Salem OR 97301

Internship Contact: Rebecca Frey PH: (503) 856-7034 rifrey@ccswv.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Catholic Community Services, serves high-risk youth under the age of 18 and young adults with developmental disabilities. Their programs include:

- Foster Care Program – There are several components to CCS services for youth in the foster care system. They include: group homes for youth (5-18 yrs) in long

term foster care who are unlikely to be adopted, receiving homes for youth (0-18 yrs old) experiencing foster care related trauma, family finders program that reunites youth with functioning family members, short term placement program for youth (12-17 years old) with behaviors problems, independent living program for youth (14-21 years old) who are transitioning out of foster care and into independence

- Father Taffe Homes – group homes for single mothers (12-20 yrs old) to learn parenting, mother-child bonding activities, etc.
- Paragon Homes – group homes for young adults (18+) with developmental disabilities.
- Catarino Cavazos Center for Hispanic Youth and Families – serves Latino teen men (13-18 yrs old) who have been adjudicated, learn life skills, job training and placement, and develop healthy relationships
- Community Counseling Center – The center serves youth 13-18 in family counseling. Services include Functional Family Therapy (FFT), a strengths-based family-focused program that helps families with youth at risk to create and maintain long-term improvements.
- Family Lifelines Program – helps youth (12-17 years old) with severe behavioral problems and their families
- Healthy Start, Healthy Families – a voluntary program for at-risk families with children 0-3 years old that provides parenting, home visits, and case management
- Safe Families for Children Program – respite homes for children of families experiencing domestic and sexual violence, addiction, incarceration, long term illness or homelessness

Interns are expected to carry a caseload of 8-12 clients and are asked to commit to approximately 18-20 hours per week for at least a nine-month period. Duties include: individual and family therapy, assessment and diagnosis, treatment planning, and case management.

How to Apply:

Send a [completed application](#) to the internship contact person along with a cover letter noting your interests.

[Center for Family Success](#)

St. John's Center 8010 N Charleston Ave Portland Or 97203	Rockwood Center 229 SE 181st Ave PO Box 3257 Gresham OR 97030
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Internship Contact: Anya Valsamakis PH: (503) 477- 0915

avalsamakis@pathfindersoforegon.org and Margaret Moore (503) 944-9465

mmoore@pathfindersoforegon.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Business Operation: 9:30-5:30, some evenings

Brief Description of Services:

Center for Family Success provides parenting classes, couple's counseling, support groups, and case management to people in or coming out of the criminal justice system.

- [The Children's Justice Alliance Program](#) – serves youth and their families who have at least one family member who is or has recently been incarcerated. They

- work on issues such as parenting, domestic and sexual violence, GED, literacy, and family advocacy
- [Pathfinders of Oregon Corrections Based Support](#) – Pro-social living program for incarcerated adults based on CBT. Services focus on intervention, motivation, skill building,

How to Apply:

Prison-based services – Call Margaret Moore to discuss interest

Post-prison and family services – Call and email resume and cover letter to Anya Valsamakias

[Children's Home Society](#)

P.O. Box 605 Vancouver, WA 98666

Internship Contact: Mindy Davis PH: (360) 695-1325 mindyd@chs-wa.org

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 9-5pm

Brief Description of Services:

Children's Home Society of Washington serves children and families. They provide sexual abuse survivor treatment (full family services), developmentally appropriate mental health services, individual, group, and family counseling and queer and questioning teens services. They also offer mentor programs for teens and community based training and groups. Their primary therapeutic focus is trauma based CBT. They do not do any couples work.

How to Apply:

Send in a resume and cover letter indicating interest and follow up with a phone call to the internship contact person to discuss questions and let her know you have submitted your materials.

[Children's Relief Nursery](#)

8425 N Lombard Street, Portland, Oregon USA 97203

PH: 503-283-4776, **FAX** 503-283-0716

Internship Contact: Katherine Kneuper (503) 595-4516 or katherine@crn4kids.org

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-TH 8-5 Fri 9-2 (no children's services on Fri); Respite Care M-TH 9-1

Brief Description of services:

Children's Relief Nursery provides wrap around services to reduce parental and family stress. Families must have at least one child under the age of 5 but they provide an assessment for the entire family unit and work with families in various programs. These programs includes: (1) Mental Health – family counseling, Child-Parent Psychotherapy, and infant and toddler mental health, (2) Trauma Stress Clinic – intensive work with children 0-3 who have experienced trauma and their families, (3) Art and Music Therapy – Art and music classes that promote coping skills and healing by giving the child an outlet for emotional expression (4) Therapeutic Classrooms – early intervention with

children 0-5 who have mental health issues or developmental delays, (5) Family Connection – support for parents around attachment and stress, including education, peer support, and mentorship, (6) Parent-Infant Classes – play group and parent education with children 0-5, (7) Home Visits – parent education and family support delivered in the home, may or may not be accompanied by health and well being check ups with accompanying CHN, (8) Respite Care

How to Apply:

Call with general questions or to let the internship contact person know you plan to apply. Also send a cover letter indicating your interests and background working with families with children 0-5 and a resume.

[Community Counseling Center](#)

Internship Contact: Bridget Martinez PH: (503) 688-2644

bmartinez@catholiccharitiesoregon.org

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of services:

serves refugees, immigrants, Latinos, adoption counseling, pro-life counseling, trafficking related counseling, teens, singles, couples, and psychoed classes

How to Apply:

contact Internship contact person with questions about specific programs; you may need to fill out a [volunteer application](#) as well. They do interviews for interns in early February

[Domestic Violence Resource Center](#)

P.O. Box 494, Hillsboro, OR 97123

PH: 503.640.5352, FAX: 503.648.6905

Internship Contact: Gayle Schaeffer 503.846.8068 X 312 gayles@dvr-or.org

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: office M-TH 10am-8pm, F-S by appointment, 24-hour shelter and crisis line

Brief Description of Services:

DVRC serves all families who have experienced domestic or sexual violence in the tri-county area and Vancouver. Services include:

- Prevention Program – outreach, education, presentations, trainings, and lending library
- Intervention – shelter based services, community based support groups, art, play, and filial therapy
- Empowerment – advocacy including with obtaining protective orders, safety planning, resource and referral, and housing assistance.
- Youth Services – They also provide children and adolescent specific services around child witness, trauma, and teen dating violence.

How to Apply:

Email your resume and the programs you are interested in with the subject “interested in internship” to the Internship Contact person. You will need to complete 40 hour DSV

training offered in April and spend some time in early September observing intakes and support groups prior to client contact. There is also a background check and finger printing with Washington Co that takes a couple of weeks to process.

[Good Samaritan Ministries](#)

7929 SW Cirrus Dr. Bldg 23 Beaverton OR 97008

Internship Contact: Pat Thompson PH: (503) 644-2339 pat@gsmusa.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-TH 8-9pm F 8-5pm

Brief Description of Services:

Good Samaritan Ministries is a religious organization providing counseling, teacher training, and lay counselor training. Counseling ministry includes family, individual, marriage, men's, women's and teens groups. They also provide anger management counseling and abuse recovery for offenders and victims. The majority of their program is based on DBT

How to Apply:

Send in a cover letter and resume via email to the Internship Contact person

Hazeldon Institute

1901 Esther St. Newberg OR 97132

Internship Contact: Jackie Johnson for the Family Program 503-537-7000, Hiedi Wallace For Residential Treatment Program 503- 554-4352

Types of Internships: Rehab and Marital Couple and Family Therapy with addictions certificate

Hours of operation: 24-hr residential treatment facility

Brief Description of Services:

Hazeldon Institute is a comprehensive treatment facility for adults age 18+. They are considered the premiere site for the treatment of people in the medical profession (doctors, nurses, pharmacists, etc.) with addictions issues. Their programs include:

- Alcohol and Drug Assessments
- residential treatment
- trauma services
- Family Programs
- after care

How to Apply:

Call before applying. send letter of interest to volunteer@hazeldon.org

LDS Family Services

7080 SW Fir Loop, Suite 100 Tigard, OR 97223

Internship Contact: Matthew Scott PH (503) 620-1191 scottm@ldsfamilyservices.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, Rehab

Hours of Operation:

Brief Description of Services:

You must be of the LDS faith to intern and LDS Family Services. They are a faith-based counseling program that provides:

- [Pro-Life adoption counseling](#)
- [Faith based addiction recovery](#)
- [Couples, Family, and individual counseling](#) – issues include depression, anxiety, couples and family issues, same sex attraction (ex-gay therapy)

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person directly

[LifeWorks NW](#)

14600 NW Cornell Road
Portland, OR 97229
PH: 503-645-3581
FAX: 503-629-8517

<p>NE Portland Site 3716 NE MLK Jr. Blvd Portland, OR 97212 PH: 503-288-8066 FAX: 503-288-8168</p>	<p>N Portland Site 4925 N. Albina Ave Portland, OR 97217 PH: 503-548-4922 FAX: 503-459-4495 and 2631 N Mississippi Ave Portland OR 97212 PH: 503-335-0855 FAX: 503-335-8125</p>	<p>SW Portland Site 506 SW 6th Ave, Suite 905 Portland, OR 97204 PH: 503-223-5525 FAX: 503-223-9091</p>	<p>SE Portland 17214 SE Division Suite 2 (503) 761-5272 and 4531 SE Belmont (503) 234-3400</p>
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Internship Contact: Jocelyn (503) 645-3581 X 2347 hr@lifeworksnw.org or jocelynl@lifeworksnw.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (some Marital Couple and Family Therapy with additional addictions training prior to start; Rehab only with additional mental health training)

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Lifeworks operates mental health, addictions, and dual diagnosis programs in N, NE, and SE Portland as well as Gresham. They also operate an alternative school that combines treatment, mental health, and educational readiness. They have programs for [youth](#), [adults](#), [African Americans](#), [seniors](#), pregnant women, women parenting children under 6, women’s groups, and family therapy outpatient. Please check the website [here](#) for specific program information and locations.

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter indicating the programs or populations you are interested in working with and a resume to the internship contact. You must be available for student orientation Tues 9-12 pm and to do an online training. You must also clear a DHS background check prior to beginning; background checks take 4-16 weeks so get one early.

Looking Glass

20 E 13th Ave Eugene OR 97401

Internship Contact: Sandy Drengacz (541) 484-4428 x 315

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-Th 8-7pm F 8-5

Brief Description of Services:

Looking Glass Youth and Family Services, serves children, youth, and families in Eugene and the surrounding area. They offer counseling, education, rehab. Their programs include:

- Counseling Program – offered to children, youth, and families on an outpatient basis including survivor and offender services, self-esteem, ADHD, adjustment to divorce or teen parenting, etc.
- Adolescent Recovery – outpatient addictions treatment for youth 13-20, offered through individual, group, and/or gender specific therapy
- Drug and Alcohol Treatment – Pathways for boys serves juvenile offenders ages 12-18, Pathways for girls – provides mental health and drug and alcohol treatment for girls 15-18, stepping stone program provides long term addiction treatment for boys 12-18, and also mixed gender, residential mental health treatment, including co-morbid conditions, for youth 11-18

How to Apply:

Call the main line (listed above) and ask if they are taking interns this year. THEY CANNOT GUARANTEE THE FULL HOURS WITH FAMILIES NEEDED FOR CMFT TRACK

Luther Community Services

605 S.E. Cesar E. Chavez Blvd., Portland, OR 97214

PH: 503- 231-7480 , FAX: 233-0667

Internship Contact: Pierre Morin 231-7480 x662 pmorin@lcsnw.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couples and Family Therapy, and Rehab

Hours of operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Lutheran Community Services provides mental health and addiction services to children, families, individuals and couples. They offer culturally specific programs for immigrants and refugees from Africa and Eastern Europe.

How to Apply

Email a cover letter and resume to the internship contact person. There is a background check and half hour interview prior to hire.

Morrison Center

Day/Residential Program 930 NE 162 nd Portland OR 97230 PH: 503-736-6634 FAX: 503-491-8455	Outpatient Program 3205 SE 13 th Ave Portland OR 97202 PH: 503-258-4636 FAX: 503-252-6234
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Internship Contact: Monica Ford (general director)/ Amy Hahn (sexually abused children)/ James McRae (Day treatment)/Jodie Teitelbaum (Special Adolescent); email: 1st name dot last name @morrisonkids.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couples and Family Therapy (possible), Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies, must be available for mandatory staff meetings for some programs

Brief Description of Services:

Morrison Center serves youth and their families in day, outpatient, and inpatient treatment for mental health. They also offer school based programs and foster care programs. Their services include sexual abuse issues, adolescent sex offender treatment, addictions, behavior issues, etc. For more information about individual programs click [here](#).

How to Apply

Contact [Monica Ford](#) the General Director to determine which programs are currently taking interns. Internship opportunities vary by year.

Multnomah Co Family Service Unit
501 SE Hawthorne Suite 250 Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Autumn Ray 503-988-5634 autumn.a.ray@co.multnomah.or.us

Types of Internships: Rehab or Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couples and Family Therapy with Rehab certificate)

Hours of Operation: business hours must be available for mandatory training Mon or Tues 5:50-8:30 pm

Brief Description of Services:

Juvenile Treatment Services represents a continuum of mental health and alcohol and drug services available to meet the unique needs of youth and families involved in the criminal justice system, or at imminent risk of deeper involvement in the system, or at imminent risk of institutionalization. They also provide sex offender treatment for youth, gender specific mental health services, and victim's assistance.

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter, resume, and application (including supplemental questions and 2 references) to the internship contact. You must pass a background check, submit fingerprints to your site, and go through mandatory training on Monday or Tuesday evening at least one month prior to seeing clients. Several forms will be provided to you to fill out in conjunction with the training; failure to fill them out will halt the review process. CMFT TRACK SHOULD ENSURE THEY CAN MEET THEIR HOURS AT THIS SITE PRIOR TO APPLYING; HOURS ARE NOT GUARANTEED.

[NW Catholic Counseling Center](#)
8383 NE Sandy Blvd Suite 205 Portland OR 97280

Internship Contact: Barbara Kennedy 503-253-0964 barbara@nwcounseling.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couples and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

This faith based counseling center provides culturally competent therapy to all individuals regardless of religious background. They offer:

- individual client centered therapy
- couples therapy – Couples therapy focuses on helping the couple develop communication and relationship skills, with the goal of resolving conflict and deepening intimacy
- family therapy – especially issues of trauma, divorce, blending families together
- child therapy – child-centered approach focused on children's growth and coping but also including parental involvement

How to Apply:

NW Catholic Counseling Center does their interviews in early February please email resume and cover letter indicating interests to the internship contact prior to late January. Interviews happen mid-February.

[Parrott Creek Ranch](#)

1001 Mollala Ave. Suite 209 Oregon City, OR 97045

Internship Contact: Greg Newman (503) 266-3050 gnewman@pcreek.org

Type of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couples and Family Therapy possible)

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter; day and evening family therapy

Brief Description of Services:

Parrott Creek serves adjudicated adolescents males (14-18 years old) with priority given to sex offenders and Clackamas County residents. They provide intensive residential-based group, individual, and family counseling on issues of addiction, sexual aggression, anger management, and behavioral problems with the goal of returning youth to their families within 7-8 months. They also provide post-residential follow up services and a day school. Interns are given a caseload of 1-3 families with whom they provide individual and family therapy as well as provide group every other week.

How to Apply

Interns must be willing to work in Oregon City and should not contact site unless they are able to commit to a full year at the Oregon City Ranch. Email a resume and cover letter indicating interest and experience then call internship contact to alert him to the email.

[Polk County Mental Health Services](#)

182 SW Academy Street suite 304 Dallas, OR 97338

Internship Contact: Geoff Heatherington (503) 623-9289 geoff@co.polk.or.us

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Polk County Mental Health Services is the organizing hub of mental health services run by the county. These services include:

- Emergency/Crisis Counseling

- Addictions
- Adult Mental Health
- Children's Mental Health
- Developmental Disabilities

These services operate independently and are provided by multiple programs.

How to Apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with questions about available internships in your area of interest.

[Community Counseling Clinic](#)
Graduate School of ED 5th Floor

Internship Contact: Lisa Aasheim (503) 725-4253 aasheim@pdx.edu

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health or Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 9-9

Brief Description of Services:

The Community Counseling Clinic provides low cost counseling to students and members of the community, including individuals, couples, and families. They do not provide crisis counseling or medication.

How to Apply

Fill out the internship application by the deadline and submit to the internship contact person. If you have questions about the internship email the internship contact person directly.

[White Shield](#)
2640 NW Alexandra Ave Portland, OR 97210

Internship Contact: Greg Colver (503) 239-1248 x3

greg.colver@usw.salvationarmy.org

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 8:30-4pm

Brief Description of Services:

White Shield is a residential treatment program for pregnant or parenting teens. It offers parenting education, job skills, attachment counseling, mentoring, and assessment. Their programs include:

- The Parenting Program – long-term residential for parenting and pregnant teens
- Wildflower Program – residential program for girls 12-17 years with links to therapeutic foster care, offers assessment and counseling prior to placement or transition to independent living
- Independent Living – for adjudicated girls (17 1/2 – 20 years old) and their children; program provides skill building, counseling, and case management

How you apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with interest

[West Women and Children's Shelter](#)
PO Box 2398 Portland OR 97206

Internship Contact: Fay Schuler 503.731.3916 fay.schuler@usw.salvationarmy.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter

Brief Description of Services:

West Women and Children's Shelter is a confidential domestic violence shelter that helps families escaping abuse. They provide mother-child, women's, and children's programming including group, individual, and family counseling. They address issues like domestic and sexual violence, self-esteem, eating disorders, cutting, trauma, attachment, and parenting.

How to Apply:

Call the Internship Contact person. You will need to do a background check and if you have no DSV training, you will have to complete the PWCL DSV training prior to starting. PWCL offers training quarterly for more info email ally@pwcl.org

[The Child Center](#)

3995 Marcola Rd, Springfield OR 97477

Internship Contact: Jason Smith (541) 726-1465 smithjas75@hotmail.com

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (any), Marital Couple and Family Therapy (Outpatient only)

Hours of Operation:

Brief Description of Services:

The Child's Center offers psychiatric day treatment and outpatient services to youth (ages 1-18) and their families. Services are based on child-centered, family driven, and culturally competent practices and address emotional and behavioral needs of referred youth.

- Outpatient services – this program offers mental health services to youth with a DSM Axis I diagnosis and their families, including some adult only services.
- Day Treatment – this program serves children 3-12 with an Axis I diagnosis and a GAC of less than 40 in an intensive day treatment setting. All children accepted into the program receive prior on site assessment before beginning the program. Children accessing services have severe mental, emotional and behavioral disorders that they will work on through a child-centered, family and community service involvement model.

Internships at the Child's Center are individualized based on agency need and student interest.

How to Apply:

Call The Child's Center with your area of interest and information about your background and skills so that they can match you to the appropriate supervisor.

[The Grotto Counseling Ctr](#)

8840 NE Skidmore Portland OR 97220

Internship Contact: Patricia Flynn (503) 261-2437 X 752 pflynn@thegrotto.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F 9-5pm

Brief Description of Services:

The Grotto offers client-centered faith based therapy to adults and families of all backgrounds. They offer:

- individual
- family
- [couples](#)
- sand play
- [marriage preparation](#)

They take roughly 3 interns per year and start the selection process fairly early.

How to Apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with your interest and training late January or first week of February.

[Washington County Ctr for Victims' Services](#)

222 North 1st Avenue Hillsboro, OR 97124

Internship Contact: Marci Nelson (503) 846-3021 marci_nelson@co.washington.or.us

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

CVS works to support victims, to advocate for human rights, to reduce the risk of harm, to provide public education, and to facilitate a strong and healing community. Services include [counseling](#), advocacy, informing victims of their rights, basic case management, information & referral, collaboration with Probation & Parole, education & training around victims' issues, and assistance with basic needs.

How to Apply:

Email cover letter indicating interest to the internship contact person and request an agency application.

[William Temple House](#)

2023 NW Hoyt St., Portland, OR 97209

Internship Contact: Susan Bettis 503.226.3021 x220 sbettis@wiliamtemplehouse.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-F business hours and some evenings

Brief Description of Services:

William Temple House offers Mental Health services to low income individuals and families. They offer individual, couples, family, group, and voluntary pastoral counseling. Youth under 14 are offered services only when a parent is also involved in some form of services; youth 15 and over can participate in any appropriate services on their own. They also offer group classes and case management services.

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person directly. William Temple House makes internship decisions in mid-February.

Youth Contact

447 SE Baseline Hillsboro OR 97123

Internship Contact: Judy R Harris (503) 640-4222 jharris@youthcontact.org

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy (possible), Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

Youth Contact provides intervention, prevention and support services that are community-based, family-focused and child-centered. They provide outpatient addiction, mental health, and co-occurring services and have Spanish speaking services when needed.

How to Apply:

Contact the internship contact person with interest

Safe Choice

3609 Main St Vancouver WA

Internship Contact: Sky Mercer (360) 906-9107 smercerc@ywcaclarkcounty.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couple and Family Therapy case by case)

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter

Brief Description of Services:

Safe Choice is a 24-hour domestic violence shelter that offers safe haven for women and families escaping abuse. Their services include:

- individual, group, and child witness counseling
- domestic violence psychoeducation
- child and legal advocacy
- crisis management

How to Apply:

Contact Al Flory, Director of Volunteer Development by phone (360) 906-9112 or email aflory@ywcaclarkcounty.org You may want to fill out the [agency volunteer application](#) as well. You will have to a background check and DSV training prior to starting.

Rehab Specialty

Albertina Kerr

Administrative Center

424 NE 22nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97232
PH: 503-239-8101 FX: 503-239-8106
EM: info@albertinakerr.org

Gresham Campus

722 NE 162nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97230
PH: 503-255-4205 FX: 503-255-5095

Internship Contact: Stephanie Bolson (503) 262-0187 StephanieBo@albertinakerr.org

Type of Internship Available: Marital, Couple and Family Therapy, Clinical Mental Health, & Rehab

Hours of Operation: Varies; Family Resource Ctr 10-4pm

Brief Description of services:

Albertina Kerr works with children, adults, and families with mental health or disability issues. They practice a culturally competent family driven and child and family centered program that is community, relationship, and evidence based. Programs they run:

1. [Crisis Psychiatric Care \(Subacute\) program](#) – offers children short term residential placement and 24-hour access to mental health professionals to address urgent mental health crises
2. [The Family Resource Center](#) – a safe place for families who are raising a child with mental health and behavioral challenges. It offers peer support, family activities/events, peer and MH professional led workshops
3. [Intensive Community-Based Treatment](#) (children ages 3 to 17) - Serves youth who are at risk of being kicked out of school or their homes due to a mental health condition. The program offers home-based individual and family therapy, skills training, 24-hour helpline, and case management
4. [Intensive Treatment Program](#) (ITP) - a 10-bed secure treatment and education program for youth with developmental disabilities, all of whom have committed a non-Measure 11 crime. The program offers education, therapy, skills training and placement services.
5. [Early Childhood Out Patient](#) (children 3-5) – Serves youth with behavioral challenges such as impulsive or aggressive behavior and learning delays. The program offers comprehensive mental health services that allow children to stay in their traditional preschool or Head Start settings and provides services in the home, preschool and community to address each child's individual needs and reinforce family and community connections.
6. [Outpatient Services for youth](#) – This program provides case management, home visits, and therapy
7. [Group Homes](#) – 15 neighborhood group homes for youth that offer 24-hour support and life skills training for children and teens ages 7 to 18 with developmental disabilities and mental health challenges

How to Apply:

Email a copy of your resume and a cover letter stating which area you are interested in to the contact person above or call with general questions.

[Pride for Kids Family Center](#)
6511 NE 18th St. Vancouver WA 98661

Internship Contact: Barbara Loucks (360) 759-4917 x101
barbaral@arcofclarkcounty.org

Type of Internship: Rehab

Hours of Operation: M-F 8:30-4:30

Brief Description of Services:

Pride for Kids Family Center serves families with special needs children ages 0-7 years old. They provide parent education around speech and physical therapy for their children in one on one sessions with families. Services to families include:

- Occupational Therapy
- Speech/Language Therapy
- Specialized Instruction
- Parent and Family Education
- Workshops
- Training/Classes
- Specialized instruction in Early Intervention
- Parent Support, Training & Networking
- Feeding and swallowing therapies
- Neuro-Developmental Treatment
- Individual sessions and/or small groups
- Specialized classes
- Advocacy and Empowerment

How to Apply:

call or email the contact person with questions. This site cannot meet the MCFT hours.

[Cascadia Behavioral Health Services](#)

Mailing Address PO Box 8459, Portland, OR 97207PH: 503.238.0769 FAX: 503.963.7711
Physical Address (multiple)Sites in SE and Downtown Portland, Springfield Wilsonville

Internship Contact: Laurie Lockard 503-238-0769 cell 317-8434

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program; most are 9 am – 5 pm

Brief Description of services:

Cascadia provides mental health and addiction services to youth, adults, and families. They have multiple programs throughout the city that include drop-in or community centers, in-patient, and out patient services, prison based services, and identity specific programs. Programs include:

1. Mobile crisis and crisis respite (family, individual, and child therapy)
2. Urgent care (includes family and individual)
3. Outpatient addiction services including: gambling treatment, substance use treatment, and co-morbid conditions

4. Services to sexual minority youth – including the Sexual Minority Youth Recovery Center (SMYRC) – see SMYRC Page for more details
5. Services to older adults in assisted living and nursing homes
6. Residential treatment
7. Prison-based addiction treatment
8. Supported and independent housing
9. Psychiatric Security Review Board support and treatment, which includes vocational rehabilitation training but not employment services
10. Medical Services
11. African American specific treatment services.

How to Apply

Cascadia has a centralized internship application process for all of its programs. Students should contact the internship coordinator listed with a resume and cover letter identifying their track, any specific program run by Cascadia in which they are interested in interning, and whether they are open to working in any or all other programs. There is also an extensive training and background check related to internships that will be explained to students as the process unfolds. **SOME SITES ARE NOT APPROPRIATE FOR COUPLES, MARRIAGE, AND FAMILY HOURS**, so please ensure that your placement meets the requirements if you are from this track.

[Catherine Freer Wilderness Therapy Program](#)

PO Box 1064
Albany, OR 97321

Internship Contact: Katherine Eastlake 541-926-7252

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies, wilderness program is 24-7 during 3-4 week expedition

Brief Description of services:

Catherine Freer serves youth (13-18 years old) with substance abuse, behavioral, and mental health issues. They work on issues like attachment, mood disorders, depression, anxiety, sexual abuse recovery, anger management, under achievement, etc.

Programs include:

1. [Wilderness Therapy Expedition](#) – Individual and group psychotherapy, behavior management, and addictions treatment combined with physically active wilderness experience. The Program has two phases: phase I works on individual presenting issues and phase II works on social skills and interpersonal issues in a group setting. A therapist who is in the field the entire excursion facilitates all phases and experiences.
2. [Santiam Crossing School](#) – 6-12 month therapeutic alternative school for youth who have completed the wilderness therapy expedition. The school provides an opportunity to continue working on therapeutic goals while also addressing academic issues that make transitioning back into public school possible
3. [Parent Coaching](#) – Both parent and family therapy are provided by Catherine Freer to help assist families adjusting to new ways of interacting with each other and their children’s therapeutic gains. Brief family therapy is provided before and after the wilderness expedition in which interns can participate.

Physical requirements for this position include ability to carry 65 lb. pack, hike 5-10 miles per day, and have great self-care in all types of weather. If you participate in the wilderness excursion as part of your internship, you will be accompanied by a trained therapist and receive supervision via a satellite phone for 3-4 weeks.

How to Apply:

Please send a resume and cover letter to jobs@cfreer.com

[Cedar Hills Hospital](#)
10300 SW Eastridge Street
Beaverton OR 97225

Contact Person: Libby Hutter PH: (503) 535-7208
elizabeth.hutter@cedarhillshospital.com

Types of Internships: Rehab (possibly Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple and Family Therapy but only with Rehab training)

Hours of Operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Cedar Hills Hospital provides Mental Health and Addiction treatment to adult patients with dual diagnosis. Their services include:

- Mental Health Inpatient – for individuals who need acute psychiatric care and stabilization
- Crisis Stabilization Program
- Chemical Dependency Inpatient – for detox and withdrawal management
- Outpatient Care – including individual and group care
- Women’s Program – a dual diagnosis program that focuses on eating disorders, reproductive loss, depression, domestic violence, trauma, and anxiety
- Mother-Infant Program – a dual diagnosis program that focuses on psychiatric illness, mother’s relationship with infant’s father or their partner and mother-child bonding
- Freedom Care Military Program – a dual diagnosis family therapy based program that addresses PTSD, sexual trauma, family separation, combat stress, etc.
- Meier Faith Based Program – The program merges sound professional counseling with Biblical principles to provide a Christian atmosphere for recovery from serious mental health and chemical dependency problems.

How to Apply:

email the contact person with a letter of interest and resume

[Change Point Inc](#)

Main Office 1949 SE 122nd Ave.
Portland, OR 97292
PH: (503) 253-5954 FAX:
(503) 253-4643

Mailing Address PO Box 92067
Portland, OR 97292

Multiple Sites: SE & N
Portland
Beaverton
Vancouver, WA

Internship Contact: Linda Bradshaw lbradshaw@changeptinc.com

Type of Internship Available: Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies,

Brief Description of services:

Change Point Inc provides alcohol and drug treatment services to youth and adults, primarily through outpatient services. They also have some culturally specific programs. Programs include:

- Spanish Speaking services – provided at the majority of their programs, not including in-patient teen program
- Domestic Violence Intervention Program – for male offenders with drug and alcohol or co-morbid conditions. The program provides education, treatment, and parenting information and works with families to refer them to outside resources related to domestic violence prevention
- Matrix Teen Program – outpatient treatment for youth ages 14-19. Services are delivered in English only and include assessment, early recovery skills group, relapse prevention group, phone coaching and case management based on the Matrix Model and CBT
- Intensive Outpatient – services include, treatment, counseling for the person with addictions and their families, relapse prevention strategies, and case management including employment assistance
- Criminal Justice – provides group and individual counseling to people with substance abuse issues and criminal histories based on CBT and motivational interviewing. Aggression replacement therapy and dialectic behavior therapy are also used in the treatment process, which is focused on promoting client change in a pro-social and positive direction.

How to Apply

Email the contact person with your resume and a cover letter addressing your specific previous work and training in drug and alcohol services and indicating with which, if any, population you are most interested in working in.

Clackamas Community College: [Disability Services](#)
19600 Mollala Ave, Oregon City OR 97045

Internship Contact: Betsy Pacheco (503) 594-3181 bestyp@clackamas.edu

Type of Internship Available: Clinical Mental Health, Rehab

Hours of Operation: general business, varies

Brief Description of Services:

CCC provides student support to CCC students. Services include helping students with: Accommodations, Advising and Problem Solving, Assistive Technology, Transitional Planning, Test Accommodations. They do some work with parents and families as well to help orient to them to the college and involve them in case planning as needed.

How to Apply:

Call or email to schedule appointment with internship contact person. Internship program is new, so they are still assessing their needs.

[Columbia Community Mental Health](#)

58646 McNulty Way, St Helens, Oregon 97051
PH: 503.397.5211, FAX: 503.397.5373

Internship Contact: Cindy Beeks cindyb@ccmh1.com

Type of Internship Available: Rehab and Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: 8-6 M-Th and 8-5 F

Brief Description of Services:

Columbia Community Mental Health provides comprehensive and effective mental health, addiction/dependency, mental retardation, and developmental disability services of the highest to individuals, teens, and families in Columbia County. Services include: (1) 24 hour mental health crisis line (after hours is answered by psychiatrist on call), (2) Individual, Teen, and Family Counseling – Individual and family assessment, Individual and family therapy, Group sessions for self-management and parenting, in-home and outpatient skills training, expressive therapy, adolescent early assessment and support, (3) Addictions Counseling – outpatient regular and intensive, residential, day treatment, and dual diagnosis treatment, (4) Psychiatric Rehab Counseling and Housing – includes help with mental health management, addiction management, life skills, job search and vocational training, etc. (4) Developmental Disabilities Support – serves children (birth to 17) and adults (18 and older) with developmental disabilities with eligibility determination, case management, info and referral, advocacy, crisis services, employment training and life skills, in-home support, and foster care and family support, as well as adult protective services.

How to Apply:

Student can call directly to inquire about internships or email if they have more extensive questions.

[De Paul Treatment Centers](#)

Mailing Address

1312 SW Washington PO
Box 3007 Portland, OR
97208
PH: 503-535-1151 FAX:
503-535-1190

Adult Center

1312 SW Washington St.
Portland, OR 97205

Youth Center

4310 NE Killingsworth St.
Portland, OR 97218
PH: 503-535-1181

Internship Contact: Sarah Maki 503.535.1151

Type of Internship Available: Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

De Paul offers treatment services for adults, youth and families. Treatment consists of gender-specific residential treatment and outpatient services. Programs Include:

- Youth Center – residential treatment for youth ages 12 to 17 with a primary diagnosis of addiction. Both families and addicted youth receive counseling, skill building, etc. and youth with dual diagnosis are accepted and treated for co-morbid issues. Transitional age youth (18-24 yrs old) may be treated at either the adult or youth facility depending on need and preference of client

- Adult Treatment – inpatient services for alcohol and drug treatment, co-morbid conditions, parenting, skill building, and addiction management; outpatient is offered through their Beaverton location
- Integrated Family Therapy – therapy is provided to families with or without family members in treatment who have one or more family members struggling with addiction. Therapy includes: education, individual, couple, family and group psychotherapy, trauma treatment, self help groups, skill development groups focusing on conflict resolution, forgiveness and communication, and aftercare services and referrals.

How to Apply:

Call the Internship Contact person with questions

[Goodwill Industries](#)

1943 SE Sixth Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97214

PH: (503) 238-6100

Internship Contact: Robert Barsocchini (503) 239-1770

Type of Internship Available: Vocational Rehab

Hours of Operation: M-F 7:30-4pm

Brief Description of Services:

Goodwill helps individuals with career counseling and vocational rehab to people with barriers to employment. There programs include (1) Alternatives to Employment - provides activities such as arts and crafts, music therapy, dance, cognitive activities, exercise/movement, trips and tours, movies, and guest lectures for people needing a non-vocational setting. (2) PAC Program – a jobs program that employs differently-abled people at Goodwill or doing basic tasks at other participating employment sites. (3) Enclave Jobs – retail related positions for individuals with developmental, physical or emotional disabilities at Goodwill, (4) Community Integration Program – (located at the Dallas Oregon site only) serves individuals with mild to profound disabilities interested in retail, (5) Long Term Services Program – which helps participants understand the business world and gain knowledge of job opportunities and (6) High School Program – (located at De la Salle) helps provide part time job opportunities and job skill training for teens ages 14-19.

How to Apply:

Please call internship contact person directly. If a fit is determined, the contact person will direct you on how to turn in your resume, cover letter, and any additional information they may need.

Hazeldon Institute

1901 Esther St. Newberg OR 97132

Internship Contact: Jackie Johnson for the Family Program 503-537-7000, Hiedi Wallace For Residential Treatment Program 503- 554-4352

Types of Internships: Rehab and Marital Couple and Family Therapy with addictions certificate

Hours of operation: 24-hr residential treatment facility

Brief Description of Services:

Hazeldon Institute is a comprehensive treatment facility for adults age 18+. They are considered the premiere site for the treatment of people in the medical profession (doctors, nurses, pharmacists, etc.) with addictions issues. Their programs include:

- Alcohol and Drug Assessments
- residential treatment
- trauma services
- Family Programs
- after care

How to Apply:

Call before applying. send letter of interest to volunteer@hazeldon.org

Homeward Bound

PO Box 1113 Hillsboro OR 97123

Internship Contact: Alana (503) 693-8200

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: 24-hr residential home; M-Th 9-2pm for day program

Brief Description of Services

Homeward Bound works primarily with adult clients living with traumatic brain injuries. They offer a Day Program and residential services. The programs offer skill building, art and music therapy, job re-training, and family education.

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person for phone interview

Independent Living Resources

1839 NE couch Portland OR 97232

Internship Contact: Cathy Blahut PH: (503) 232-7411 cathy@ilr.org

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: business hours, must be available Mon 1-3 pm for staff meeting

Brief Description of Services:

Independent Living Resources works with differently-abled adults in a variety of programs. They provide support groups and individual counseling, as well as case management, skill building, transcription and women's groups.

How to Apply:

call the internship contact person. You may also want to turn in a [volunteer application](#) to [May Altman](#)

LDS Family Services

7080 SW Fir Loop, Suite 100 Tigard, OR 97223

Internship Contact: Matthew Scott PH (503) 620-1191 scottm@ldsfamilyservices.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, Rehab

Hours of Operation:

Brief Description of Services:

You must be of the LDS faith to intern and LDS Family Services. They are a faith-based counseling program that provides:

- [Pro-Life adoption counseling](#)
- [Faith based addiction recovery](#)
- [Couples, Family, and individual counseling](#) – issues include depression, anxiety, couples and family issues, same sex attraction (ex-gay therapy)

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person directly

[LifeWorks NW](#)

14600 NW Cornell Road
Portland, OR 97229
PH: 503-645-3581
FAX: 503-629-8517

NE Portland Site 3716 NE MLK Jr. Blvd Portland, OR 97212 PH: 503-288-8066 FAX: 503-288-8168	N Portland Site 4925 N. Albina Ave Portland, OR 97217 PH: 503-548-4922 FAX: 503-459-4495 and 2631 N Mississippi Ave Portland OR 97212 PH: 503-335-0855 FAX: 503-335-8125	SW Portland Site 506 SW 6th Ave, Suite 905 Portland, OR 97204 PH: 503-223-5525 FAX: 503-223-9091	SE Portland 17214 SE Division Suite 2 (503) 761-5272 and 4531 SE Belmont (503) 234-3400
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Internship Contact: Jocelyn (503) 645-3581 X 2347 hr@lifeworksnw.org or jocelynl@lifeworksnw.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health (some Marital Couple and Family Therapy with additional addictions training prior to start; Rehab only with additional mental health training)

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Lifeworks operates mental health, addictions, and dual diagnosis programs in N, NE, and SE Portland as well as Gresham. They also operate an alternative school that combines treatment, mental health, and educational readiness. They have programs for [youth](#), [adults](#), [African Americans](#), [seniors](#), pregnant women, women parenting children under 6, women’s groups, and family therapy outpatient. Please check the website [here](#) for specific program information and locations.

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter indicating the programs or populations you are interested in working with and a resume to the internship contact. You must be available for student orientation Tues 9-12 pm and to do an online training. You must also clear a DHS background check prior to beginning; background checks take 4-16 weeks so get one early.

Looking Glass

20 E 13th Ave Eugene OR 97401

Internship Contact: Sandy Drengacz (541) 484-4428 x 315

Types of Internship: Clinical Mental Health and Marital Couple Family Therapy

Hours of Operation: M-Th 8-7pm F 8-5

Brief Description of Services:

Looking Glass Youth and Family Services, serves children, youth, and families in Eugene and the surrounding area. They offer counseling, education, rehab. Their programs include:

- Counseling Program – offered to children, youth, and families on an outpatient basis including survivor and offender services, self-esteem, ADHD, adjustment to divorce or teen parenting, etc.
- Adolescent Recovery – outpatient addictions treatment for youth 13-20, offered through individual, group, and/or gender specific therapy
- Drug and Alcohol Treatment – Pathways for boys serves juvenile offenders ages 12-18, Pathways for girls – provides mental health and drug and alcohol treatment for girls 15-18, stepping stone program provides long term addiction treatment for boys 12-18, and also mixed gender, residential mental health treatment, including co-morbid conditions, for youth 11-18

How to Apply:

Call the main line (listed above) and ask if they are taking interns this year. THEY CANNOT GUARANTEE THE FULL HOURS WITH FAMILIES NEEDED FOR CMFT TRACK

Adolescent Homeless Program

941 W 7th Ave Eugene OR 9740

Internship Contact: Kara England (541) 686-4310

Types of Internships: Rehab and Clinical Mental Health

Hours of Operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Looking Glass Youth and Family Services Homeless Program, serves homeless youth in the Eugene area. They offer services to programs:

- Station 7 – serves youth 11-17 and their families, services include street outreach that provides immediate crisis intervention, 24-hour crisis line, family mediation, family therapy, parent advocacy, and support groups for families with homeless youth, temporary housing with local families
- New Roads Program – serves youth 16-21, providing an alternative school, permanent housing planning, crisis support and counseling
- Center Point School – therapeutic alternative education program for youth 11-17.

School settings will likely not be available for interns, though you may be able to do groups with students in the alternative school.

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person to see if they are currently taking internships (internship supervisor is Michelle Randy if you cannot get through to Kara England), Bilingual preferred

[Luther Community Services](#)

605 S.E. Cesar E. Chavez Blvd., Portland, OR 97214
PH: 503- 231-7480 , FAX: 233-0667

Internship Contact: Pierre Morin 231-7480 x662 pmorin@lcsnw.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couples and Family Therapy, and Rehab

Hours of operation: varies

Brief Description of Services:

Lutheran Community Services provides mental health and addiction services to children, families, individuals and couples. They offer culturally specific programs for immigrants and refugees from Africa and Eastern Europe.

How to Apply

Email a cover letter and resume to the internship contact person. There is a background check and half hour interview prior to hire.

Morrison Center

Day/Residential Program 930 NE 162 nd Portland OR 97230 PH: 503-736-6634 FAX: 503-491-8455	Outpatient Program 3205 SE 13 th Ave Portland OR 97202 PH: 503-258-4636 FAX: 503-252-6234
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Internship Contact: Monica Ford (general director)/ Amy Hahn (sexually abused children)/ James McRae (Day treatment)/Jodie Teitelbaum (Special Adolescent); email: 1st name dot last name @morrisonkids.org

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couples and Family Therapy (possible), Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies, must be available for mandatory staff meetings for some programs

Brief Description of Services:

Morrison Center serves youth and their families in day, outpatient, and inpatient treatment for mental health. They also offer school based programs and foster care programs. Their services include sexual abuse issues, adolescent sex offender treatment, addictions, behavior issues, etc. For more information about individual programs click [here](#).

How to Apply

Contact [Monica Ford](#) the General Director to determine which programs are currently taking interns. Internship opportunities vary by year.

Multnomah Co Family Service Unit
501 SE Hawthorne Suite 250 Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Autumn Ray 503-988-5634 autumn.a.ray@co.multnomah.or.us

Types of Internships: Rehab or Clinical Mental Health (Marital Couples and Family Therapy with Rehab certificate)

Hours of Operation: business hours must be available for mandatory training Mon or Tues 5:50-8:30 pm

Brief Description of Services:

Juvenile Treatment Services represents a continuum of mental health and alcohol and drug services available to meet the unique needs of youth and families involved in the criminal justice system, or at imminent risk of deeper involvement in the system, or at imminent risk of institutionalization. They also provide sex offender treatment for youth, gender specific mental health services, and victim's assistance.

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter, resume, and application (including supplemental questions and 2 references) to the internship contact. You must pass a background check, submit fingerprints to your site, and go through mandatory training on Monday or Tuesday evening at least one month prior to seeing clients. Several forms will be provided to you to fill out in conjunction with the training; failure to fill them out will halt the review process. CMFT TRACK SHOULD ENSURE THEY CAN MEET THEIR HOURS AT THIS SITE PRIOR TO APPLYING; HOURS ARE NOT GUARANTEED.

[NW Occupational Medical Center](#)
(possibly moving from current location 2011)

Internship Contact: Dr. Mike Leland (503) 684-7246 mleland@nwomc.com

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

NW Occupational Medical Center provides vocational rehabilitation, mental health counseling, and pain management services to adult clients. They specialize in people with chronic muscular-skeletal pain and/or experiencing PTS, somatization disorders, anxiety, adjustment, or depression related to their injuries.

How to Apply:

email the internship contact person to ensure they are taking interns and to obtain the address of the new building

[Oregon Commission for the Blind](#)
535 SE 12th Ave Portland OR 97205

Internship Contact: Dacia Johnson (971) 673-1588 Dacia.Johnson@state.or.us

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

The Oregon Commission for the Blind offers services for blind and visually impaired adults in Oregon. Their services include:

- individual
- group
- youth services (16-21 years old)
- group homes

- job readiness

How to Apply:

Call to ensure that they are taking interns this year

[Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Services](#)

500 Summer St NE E-87 Salem OR

Internship Contact: Shiela Hoover sheila.r.hoover@state.or.us

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: Business hours

Brief description of services:

vocational rehab services for adults in living in Oregon

How to Apply:

Send in current resume, transcripts, and internal application with cover letter indicated interest to vr.info@state.or.us. You must put “internship interest” in the subject line of your email to be considered.

[Polk County Mental Health Services](#)

182 SW Academy Street suite 304 Dallas, OR 97338

Internship Contact: Geoff Heatherington (503) 623-9289 geoff@co.polk.or.us

Types of Internships: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy, Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Polk County Mental Health Services is the organizing hub of mental health services run by the county. These services include:

- Emergency/Crisis Counseling
- Addictions
- Adult Mental Health
- Children’s Mental Health
- Developmental Disabilities

These services operate independently and are provided by multiple programs.

How to Apply:

Call or email the internship contact person with questions about available internships in your area of interest.

Providence

5228 NE Hoyt Bldg. B Portland, OR 97213

Internship Contact: Dr. James Mol 503.215.1621 james.mol@providence.org

Types of Internship: Rehab (Clinical Mental Health possible)

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

There are limited opportunities for MA students. However, Providence has programs for adults and youth in mental health crisis and addictions services.

How to Apply:

Email the internship contact person with letter of interest including your specialty and/or additional training or certificates. Internship program area will be determined after consultation.

[Disability Resource Center](#) 116 Smith

Internship Contact: Polly Livingston (503) 725-4150 polly@pdx.edu

Type of Internship: rehab

Hours of Operation: business, some evenings

Brief Description of Services:

The Disability Resource Center at PSU helps current students access their full university rights. They provide:

- intakes
- document review
- diagnose and treatment
- information and referral
- changing schools
- groups
- adjustment counseling

Interns may also participate in special research projects assigned by the Director.

How to Apply

Email a resume and cover letter to the internship contact person. You may request a job description in person prior to contacting them if you want.

[Adult Rehab Center](#)

139 SE MLK Blvd Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Doug Cotmas (503) 235-4192 x162

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

The Salvation Army Adult Rehab Center provides faith based drug and alcohol counseling to adult men and women. They provide group, individual, and 6 month – 1 year residential treatment options. Treatment includes

- Bible study and chapel services
- Work therapy
- Group and individual counseling
- Chemical dependency education
- 12-step meetings
- Recreation/leisure activities
- Programs for re-entry and alumni support

How to Apply:

Call the internship contact person to determine whether they are taking interns this year.

Stonebridge

5141 SW Beaverton Hillsdale HWY Suite C Portland OR 97221

Internship Contact: Dr. John Dodson or Selma Lee (503) 245-2278 x11

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: business hours

Brief Description of Service:

Stonebridge provides vocational rehab, work place injury counseling, and veterans counseling services to adults.

How to Apply:

Send a hard copy of your resume and cover letter indicating interest and training. Please note they do not take interns every year.

[Portland and Vancouver Veterans Medical Center](#)

3710 SW US Vet Hospital Rd Portland OR or 1603 E 4th Plain Vancouver WA 98661

Internship Contact: Bobby Clark (503) 220-8262 x31606 bobby.clark@va.gov

Types of Internship: Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

The VA provides counseling services to veterans that may include but are not limited to:

- Homeless Veterans Program
- addictions
- individual and group counseling
- gender specific counseling and sexual trauma
- PTS

How to Apply:

Email a cover letter and resume indicating areas of interest and training to the internship contact person.

[WRC](#)

3910 SE Stark Portland OR 97214

Internship Contact: Theresa Willett (503) 235-0131

Types of Internships: Rehab

Hours of Operation: 24-hour shelter

Brief Description of Services:

The WRC provides therapy, education, skills practice, and support for adult women with addictions and mental health needs. They offer individual, group, and some family therapy on issues related to:

- relapse prevention
- anxiety/depression
- thinking/behavior
- parenting and relationships
- trauma/PTSD
- cultural issues
- sex work

- domestic violence
- smoking/caffeine use
- women's health

How to Apply

Call the internship contact person; there is an internship application as well

[Youth Contact](#)

447 SE Baseline Hillsboro OR 97123

Internship Contact: Judy R Harris (503) 640-4222 jharris@youthcontact.org

Type of Internship: Clinical Mental Health, Marital Couple and Family Therapy (possible), Rehab

Hours of Operation: not specified

Brief Description of Services:

Youth Contact provides intervention, prevention and support services that are community-based, family-focused and child-centered. They provide outpatient addiction, mental health, and co-occurring services and have Spanish speaking services when needed.

How to Apply:

Contact the internship contact person with interest

[Youth Progress](#)

2020 Powell Blvd. Portland, OR 97202

Internship Contact: Taryn Cochran tcochran@youthprogress.org or Taryn O'Flynn toflynn@youthprogress.org

Type of Internships: Clinical Mental Health and Rehab

Hours of Operation: varies by program

Brief Description of Services:

Youth Progress offers a client-centered independent living service to youth ages 15-24. Many of the youth served are homeless, adjudicated, or in foster care. Most of them have behavior problems that have left them labeled "difficult to treat." They offer several different programs including:

- [Visions](#) – This OYA referred program provides mental health and skill building services to youth with an IQ of 80 or below or who require extra supervision. The program provides individual and group counseling based on Skillstreaming and Motivational Interviewing
- [Mariposa](#) – This female only program serves young women who have survived domestic and sexual violence, child abuse and neglect, and have mental health and/or drug addiction issues. They provide group, individual, and family counseling as well as skill building and vocational rehab.
- [Residential](#) – This program serves young men involved in juvenile justice in a home environment that provides both addictions and mental health treatment. They work on issues like anger management, job training, and cognitive restructuring

How to Apply:

Email the internship contact person with your cover letter and resume, indicating the program in which you are interested and any relevant special skills.