

*****The following is a partial list of previously used internship sites. This is by no means an exhaustive list of potential placements. Students are encouraged to propose alternate sites subject to faculty approval. These sites have been divided into their state locations.*****

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MARYLAND SITES

Behavioral Health Partners of Frederick (BHP)

Contact person: Fred Donovan

Phone number: 301-663-8263 x 228

Email: fdonovan@sheppardpratt.org

Description: This setting would provide interns with an accurate representation of what it's like to practice as a counselor in the community setting.

Brook Lane

Address: 13218 Brook Lane Dr. Hagerstown, MD

Contact person: Kay Hoffman

Contact person email: Kay.hoffman@brooklane.org

Contact person phone number: 301-733-0331 ext: 1272

Distance from FSU: 1 hr and 40 mins

Services Provided: Child, adolescent, and adult services. They are listed under a tab on the website.

Part-time or full-time preference: Both

Description of site: If you are looking for a place that handles a variety of patients and provides various services, this is the place to intern.

Cedar Ridge Children's Home & School, Inc. (Updated Spring 2011)

Address: 12146 Cedar Ridge Road, Williamsport, MD 21795

Contact person: Tracey LaBarron, LCPC

Phone number: 301-582-0282, ext. 211

Email address: phayes@cedaridge.org

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 1-2

Distance from FSU: 69.9 mi – about 1 hour 15 minutes

Garrett County Center for Behavioral Health

Address: 1025 Memorial Drive Oakland, MD 21550

Contact Person: Les McDaniel, Director

Phone: 301-334-7680

Email les.mcdaniel@maryland.gov

Distance from FSU: approximately 45 minutes

Interview: If you are interested in a placement with us, please call Mr. McDaniel to set up an interview.

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2 full time

Services Provided:

The Garrett County Center for Behavioral Health is an outpatient facility that provides outpatient mental health and addiction services to a wide variety of clients. Services are provided at our clinic locations and throughout the community.

Our Mental Health component includes children and adult services, trauma services, crisis intervention, jail based services, co-occurring services and geriatric outreach services. Our children's services are provided at all Head Start locations, each elementary, middle and high school and the clinic. We have approximately 900 active mental health consumers.

Our Addiction component also provides services to children and adults. We provide both early intervention and treatment services to adolescents. Our adult services provide DUI/DWI education, outpatient addiction services, intensive outpatient addiction services and jail based services. A significant amount of our addiction work is accomplished through groups. In addition we provide liaison services to the court and provide pre-court assessments for individuals requiring it. We have approximately 200 active substance abuse consumers.

Counseling Center-Frostburg State University

Address: FSU

Contact person: Kevin Roy Simonson (Acting Director until replacement is found)

Phone number: (301) 687-4234

Email address: krsimonson@frostburg.edu

Distance from FSU: NA

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 4 licensed psychologists

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 1

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Full-time

Client Population:

Individual-90%

Groups-10%

Career-5%

Crisis-5%

Assessment-5%

Description provided by site:

The CAPS mission is to provide personal, social, academic, and career counseling to students in order to facilitate meeting their developmental and academic needs. In addition to individual and group counseling the staff will provide: developmental/outreach programming; consultation and training with students, faculty, and staff; crisis intervention; an alcohol/drug education program; and manages the nutritional standardized testing programs.

Department of Juvenile Services Green Ridge Youth Center

Address: Flintstone, MD

Contact person: Robin DeHaven, M.S.

Phone number: 301-722-1600

Email address: dehavenr@djs.state.md.us

Distance from FSU: 24.1 mi – about 27 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors:

Robin DeHaven, M.S. Green Ridge

Other approved supervisors at other sites

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 4-5

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both

Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate/ Child and Family Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Client Population:

This is a weekly estimate of percentages. To help make sense of it all clients are required to have 1 individual session weekly and a minimum of 4-9 group hours per week depending on the severity of their issues determined at intake.

Individual - 40%

Families- varies based upon location of the family and counselor's willingness to do family counseling can be as often as a counselor would like.

Groups- 50%

Adolescents- 100%

Crisis- varies greatly

Assessment- 10%

Sexual Assault- varies depending on the clients

Description provided by site:

Department of Juvenile Services has 4 youth centers throughout Allegany and Garrett County. We are a residential program that treats male clients between the ages of 13-18. These males are court ordered to our placement due to legal entanglements. The majority of youth that are in our programs are suffering from both mental health and substance abuse issues. While interning you would have the opportunity to participate in individual, group and family counseling. There are 40 clients at each center who receive all services. The services are provided mainly Monday through Friday however because we are open 7 days a week 24 hours a day, following the interns initial training they could work a very flexible schedule which best meets their needs.

Heartly House, Inc.

Address: P.O. Box 857

Frederick, MD 21705-0857

Contact person: Laurie McNeil, LCSW-C
Phone number: (301) 662-8800
Email address: lauriem@heartlyhouse.org
Distance from FSU: 103 mi – about 1 hour 46 minutes
Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1
Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2
Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both
Requirements:

Some knowledge on sexual assault and domestic violence
Completion of an intensive training before starting

**Jackson Unit-Allegany County Health Department/
Adolescent Addictions-Structured Shelter Care, c/o Thomas B. Finan Center**

Address: P.O. Box 1722, Cumberland, MD 21502
Contact person: Jeremy Brenneman or Cindy Shockey-Smith
Phone number: (301) 777-2290
Distance from FSU: 13.6 mi – about 18 minutes
Number of Licensed Supervisors: 4 supervisors
Number of interns the site will accommodate: 4
Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both
Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Joseph Massie Unit (Addictions)

Address: P.O. Box 1722, Cumberland, MD 21502
Contact person: Kathy Miller, CAC, Clinical Director
Phone number: (301) 777-2285
Email address: kathy.miller@maryland.gov
Distance from FSU: 13.6 mi – about 18 minutes
Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1
Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2
Part-time or full-time internship preference: At least 24+ hours
Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)
Client Population: Adults 18 +
Individual 20%
Families / Couples 10%
Groups 30%
Children 5% children of patients in context of family work
Adolescents 5% children of patients in context of family work
Crisis 5%
Assessment 20%
Sexual Assault 5%

Description provided by site:

The Joseph S. Massie Unit is a 25 bed, intensive treatment facility for adults experiencing the devastating effects of alcoholism and other chemical dependencies. The unit applies a holistic treatment approach that addresses the issues necessary to develop an abstinent lifestyle. The Massie Unit is licensed by the State of Maryland and certified by the Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Administration as a residential drug-free treatment program. It is a program of the Allegany County Health Department and is located in the Thomas B. Finan Center. The Massie Unit is staffed by a multidisciplinary team of professionals, including Addictions Counselors, Nurses, a Recreational Therapist, a Physician, and a Nutritionist. Care is provided 24-hours a day, 7 days a week. A belief that recovery requires a personal, professional, and a community commitment is inherent to the program's activities, which include individual and group therapies, psychoeducation and self-help groups. Aftercare Coordination is an integral part of the program geared to developing an individualized plan for continued recovery upon discharge.

North Branch Correctional Institution

14100 McMullen Highway, SW; Cumberland, MD 21502

Contact: Laura Wilson or Bruce Liller

301-729-7563 (Psychology Dept.)

LMBooth@dpscs.state.md.us or BLiller@dpscs.state.md.us

Approximately 10 miles from FSU (20 minutes)

Maximum security male offenders to include a high percentage of mentally ill

3 licensed staff, 2 with supervisory abilities

1-2 interns accommodated at one time depending on schedules

Part or full time interns accepted

Description provided by the site:

This is a maximum security male institution that houses approximately 1500 inmates. NBCI is one of the most technologically sound and most secure prisons in the world, as depicted on shows broadcasted by National Geographic and The Discovery Channel. As deinstitutionalization occurred over the past decades, many mentally ill people ended up in prisons. We operate two programs to include the Special Needs Unit (SNU), designed for inmates with severe mental illness, and the Behavior Management Program (BMP) for inmates with severe behavioral problems. There is a high percentage of mentally ill inmates housed at NBCI to include a very diverse array of diagnoses not seen in many other mental health settings.

The Psychology Department at NBCI is staffed by five professionals and to include doctoral and master's level psychology associates and LCPC's. We provide services to include individual therapy, group therapy, crisis intervention, suicidal risk assessment and prevention, psychological testing and assessment, throughout diagnostic assessment, detailed documentation, frequent peer review sessions, behavior modification and interdisciplinary team approaches. This list is not inclusive of the many other duties involved in being a correctional professional.

The Way Home

Address: 3800 Frederick Avenue

Baltimore, MD 21229

Contact person: Ken Weinberg (Masters Ed. Psych)

Phone number: (410) 233-1400 x130

Distance from FSU: 144 mi – about 2 hours 25 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: Several in each department

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2-3 in each department

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both
Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate/ Child and Family Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Thomas B. Finan Center: Adult Units & Assisted Living Program

Address: P.O. Box 1722 Cumberland, MD
10102 Country Club Rd SE Cumberland, MD

Contact person: Dr. Suanne Lewis

Phone number: (301) 777-2405

Email address: smlewis@dhmh.state.md.us

Distance from FSU: 13.6 mi – about 18 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 5

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 1

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Prefer full-time

Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Hartsock & Associates

Address: 72 Pershing Street, Cumberland, MD 21502

Contact person: Steve Hartsock, Ph.D., LCSW-C

Phone number: (301) 777-9005

Email address: shartsock1@mindspring.com

Distance from FSU: 11.9 mi – about 17 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1

Number of interns the site will accommodate: Maybe 1

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Can only provide part-time. Works well coupled with another internship.

Description provided by site:

We are a private practice dealing with sex offenders one-on-one and in group settings.

Villa Maria of Mountain Maryland/Catholic Charities – Child & Family Services

Address: 517 E Oldtown Road Cumberland, MD 21502

Contact person: David Bena, LCPC, Program Director

Phone number: (301) 777-8685

Email address: dbena@cc-md.org

Distance from FSU: 12.8 miles, about 17 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 5

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Full-time or part-time

Western Correctional Institution

Address: McMullen Highway Cumberland, MD 21502

Contact person: Shane Webber

Phone number: (301) 729-7168

Email address: Ronald.Weber@maryland.gov

Distance from FSU: 11.4 mi – about 18 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 2

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Full-time
Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Western Maryland Health Systems, Mental Health Program

Address: 12500 Willowbrook Road
Cumberland, MD 21502

Contact person: Jeffery O'Neal, LCPC

Phone number: 240-964-2222

Email address: jdoneal@wmhs.com

Distance from FSU: 10.4 mi – about 16 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 8

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 1-2

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Full-time

Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate/ Child and Family Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Client Population:

Individual: 25%

Families: 5%

Groups: 25%

Children: 5%

Adolescents 10%

Crisis/Assessment: 25%

Other(s) _Trauma/Grief: 5%

Description provided by site:

WMHS Behavioral Health Programs offers interns experience in a variety of settings, including traditional outpatient mental health and addictions assessment and counseling, emergency psychiatric assessments in the Emergency Department, mental health and addictions group therapy, and counseling services on an adult (ages 16+) inpatient psychiatry unit. Students are provided the opportunity for individual, group, couples, marital and family counseling in a hospital based setting working as part of a multi-disciplinary treatment team. Opportunities are also available for Electroconvulsive Therapy (ECT) observation and Biofeedback.

PENNSYLVANIA SITES

Children's Aid Home

Address: P.O. Box 1195, Somerset, PA 15501

Contact person: Lynne Sablotski

Phone number: (814) 443-1637

Email address: LSablotski@cahprogram.org

Distance from FSU: 33.4 mi – about 49 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 8

Bedford MH/MR of Bedford-Somerset MH/MR

Address: 1243 Shed Road, Bedford, PA 15554

Contact person: Andrea Ansell

Phone number: (814) 623-5166

Email address: AndreaAnsell@dbhs.co

Distance from FSU: 44.7 mi – about 59 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1 Supervisor and One licensed clinician that can provide supervision

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 1-2

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both

Client Population: “We try to cover the spectrum and try to give our therapists a variety of experiences.”

Description provided by site:

Clinical Services Program and/or the Long Term Structured Residence - will be responsible for the following:

1. To provide psychiatric, social and psychological evaluations.
2. To provide individual therapy and counseling to people of all ages utilizing diversified professional techniques.
3. To provide group, marital and family therapy according to training.
4. To establish with the client within the first two appointments a written goal specific treatment plan.
5. To provide professional mental health consultation to other program areas and community individuals or agencies on assigned clients.
6. To document provided service with client assessments, up-to-date clinical notes and other related client and agency documentation.
7. Clinical hours will be from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, and 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday. Additional late hours will be offered as needed.
8. Will cooperate with crisis staff in arranging voluntary hospitalizations (when available) for assigned clients to aid in making as smooth a transition as possible from community to inpatient.
 - a. If in a scheduled appointment with the client, we will work with crisis staff but also try to work directly with the client as much as possible in arranging the admission.
 - b. If out of the office or scheduled for other appointments, a request may be made for the crisis staff to implement a voluntary admission without our involvement.
 - c. All voluntary admissions will be accomplished by the crisis staff during working hours. Clinical staff assigned to any specific case will be consulted when available, if they are not already aware of the situation.
9. Responsibilities at the Long Term Structured Residence include all of the above but also includes participation in weekly treatment team meetings; coordination of care with other service providers as well as family members; the development and provision of group therapy; discharge planning and other related tasks involved in providing quality care for the SMI population.

Somerset MH/MR of Bedford-Somerset MH/MR

Address: 245 W Race St., Somerset, PA 15501

Contact person: Jen Georg

[Intern would then be placed with a licensed supervisor]

Phone number: (814) 443-4891 ext. 424

Email address: jeng@dbhs.co

Distance from FSU: 34.1 mi – about 50 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: Varies

Number of interns the site will accommodate: Varies

Part-time or full-time internship preference: part-time

Description provided by site:

The Clinical Services Unit (CSU) provides outpatient therapeutic services for children and adults who are experiencing significant anxiety, depression, relationship problems and other emotional distress. Therapy is provided to enhance and promote developmental potential, personal growth and problem solving capabilities of the consumer. The Clinical Services Unit provides psychological and psychiatric evaluations. In addition to psychiatric evaluations, on-going psychiatric appointments for medication management are also available. (The CSU services children, adolescents, adults, individuals and families.)

Group Counseling Center (GCC) and Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP) offer day treatment for adults experiencing emotional problems that interfere with their daily living. The programs offer a variety of therapeutic, educational, recreational and supportive groups that deal with issues such as abuse, alcoholism, depression, coping with loss, family dysfunctions, self-esteem, interpersonal relationships, and effectively managing your mental wellness. Treatment is based on an individual approach under the direction of a psychiatric physician. (The GCC/PHP services adults age 18 and over in a group setting.)

Long Term Structured Residence (LTSR) is a highly structured therapeutic residential mental health treatment facility designed to serve consumers 18 years of age or older. The LTSR provides alternative treatment to consumers at risk of hospitalization. Community integration is built into programming at every available opportunity. (The LTSR services adults age 18 and over in a residential setting.)

VIRGINIA SITES

Fredericksburg Counseling Services

Address: Riverside Business Center, 305 Hanson Avenue Suite 140, Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Contact person: Diann Kellison, LCSW

Phone number: (540) 373-2320

Email address: fcsagency@aol.com

Distance from FSU: 190 mi – about 3 hours 13 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 12

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both

Certificates: [Child and Family Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Client Population:

We do not break out statistics down in this configuration.

WEST VIRGINIA SITES

Burlington United Methodist Family Services

Address: P.O. Box 69, Burlington, WV 26710

120 Hope lane

Contact person: Cathy Junkins

Email address: meverline@bumfs.org

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1

Number of Interns the site will accommodate: 1

Phone number: (304) 289-6010, ext. 237

Distance from FSU: 36.8 mi – about 56 minutes

East Ridge Health Systems

Address: 235 S Water St. Martinsburg, WV 25401

Phone number: (304) 263-8954

Distance from FSU: 91.4 mi – about 1 hour 33 minutes

Hampshire High School

Address: Route 50 East, Romney, WV

Contact person: Penny Rinker

Phone number: (304) 822-5016

Distance from FSU: 55.8 mi – about 1 hour 2 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 3 total (1 in elementary school, 1 in middle school, 1 in high school)

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 1

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Full-time

Certificates: [Child and Family Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)

Potomac Highlands Guild

Address: P.O. Box 128 New Creek WV 26743

Contact person: Luanne Edge

Phone number: 304-257 1155

Distance from FSU: 20.3 mi – about 39 minutes

Valley System – (NOT TAKING INTERNS RIGHT NOW, BUT WILL AGAIN IN THE FUTURE)

Address: 301 Scott Ave., Morgantown, WV 26508

Contact person: Victoria Byerly

Phone number: (304) 296-1731

Distance from FSU: 65.7 mi – about 1 hour 3 minutes

Number of Licensed Supervisors: 1

Number of interns the site will accommodate: 2-3

Part-time or full-time internship preference: Both

Certificates: [Addictions Counseling Psychology Graduate Certificate](#)