



Community Health Awareness Council

711 Church Street, Mountain View CA 94041

650-965-2020 - www.chacmv.org

MFT TRAINEESHIP and INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES*

** (Doctoral candidates: Please contact Dr. Stewart Kiritz)*

- Trainees must be currently enrolled in a counseling-psychology masters program and have completed enough course work to be enrolled in a practicum class.
- Interns must have received their masters degree and have applied to be registered, or are registered, as an intern with the Board of Behavioral Science. Interns are responsible for applying to the BBS for their registration number.
- All traineeships and internships require an academic year commitment (last week of August through third week of June) of approximately 20-25 hours per week, with the option to continue through the summer. This will consist of 2 days per week of counseling on a school campus (elementary, middle or high school) and up to 7 hours per week of counseling (individual, couples, family, child or group) at CHAC. More hours, either on campus or at CHAC, can be arranged with the approval of the clinical supervisor. At the end of the year, each intern can be considered for another year at CHAC.
- Weekly individual and group supervision are provided by licensed and experienced MFT staff. Individual supervision is scheduled between the intern and supervisor. Group supervision is on Thursday, either morning or afternoon. If a trainee exceeds the BBS ratio of 1 hour of individual or 2 hours of group supervision for each 5 hours of face-to-face counseling, additional supervision is provided.
- There is a mandated weekly training relevant to the practice of marriage and family therapy every Thursday from 11:15 AM - 1:00 PM
- All positions are unpaid. There is the possibility of a stipend – and CHAC is exceptional in the amount of support and caring given to its employees.
- CHAC provides liability insurance.

Placement at CHAC provides an opportunity to see a wide variety of clients and respond to a range of presenting problems. CHAC works with children, families and individuals from Mountain View, Los Altos, Los Altos Hills and surrounding communities. CHAC serves a diverse population. Applicants with bilingual and/or bicultural skills are encouraged to apply.

CHAC PHILOSOPHY - CHAC believes in the value of each individual, the importance of family, and the necessity of community.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

(Please note: Doctoral candidates contact: Dr. Stewart Kiritz)

- Contact (MFT only):
(Elizabeth) Betty Mackey
Associate Director Clinical Services
650-965-2020 x25
bmackey@chacmv.org (preferred method)
- Email resumes to bmackey@chacmv.org
- Interviews for fall placement will start in early February. Please call the front desk at 650-965-2020 in late January to schedule an appointment.
- Please contact Betty Mackey for the date of the first-round application deadline.. Other interviews will be scheduled later in the year if positions are open.
- CHAC is an Equal Opportunity Employer. CHAC serves a culturally diverse population and welcomes applications from prospective interns from all cultures.

CHAC MISSION

The Community Health Awareness Council exists to provide alternatives to self-destructive behavior and to help create healthy lives for children and families of Mountain View, Los Altos, Los Altos Hills, and surrounding communities.

CHAC SERVICES

- Counseling on all Public School Campuses in Mountain View, Los Altos and Los Altos Hills
- Mental Health Counseling at CHAC
- Crisis/Grief Counseling
- Drug and Alcohol Assessment & Treatment
- Individual, Family, Couples and Child Counseling
- Group Counseling for Various Issues
- Lesbian/ Gay/ Bi/ Transgender Counseling
- Multi-lingual / Multi-cultural Counseling
- Parenting Education