



## **Clinical Student Intern – Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services**

### **Location:**

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Denver, CO 80207

### **Contact for student:**

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### **Program Description:**

Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services at the Mental Health Center of Denver (MHCD) provides specialized outpatient mental health care for deaf and hard of hearing children, families, and adults in the Denver region. The cultural traditions and beliefs of the Deaf & Hard of Hearing communities are integrated into this program. The counseling staff is fully fluent in American Sign Language (ASL) and Signed English. We have full-time staff interpretive services to insure comprehensive access to our continuum of care.

### **Title and Hours required:**

- Deaf & Hard of Hearing Clinical Student
- A minimum of 10 hours per week (15-20 hours preferred) along with a 9-12 month commitment. The placement follows the academic year and begins in the Fall (August or September).
- Applications are accepted beginning in February for the upcoming year's placement with interviews typically occurring in March.

### **Minimum Qualifications and # of openings:**

- Master's level students in Social Work, Psychology, Family Therapy, or other related human services field with an emphasis on clinical work.

- Must be ASL fluent.
- 1 opening

**Student Supervisor's Credential Level: LCSW**

**Duties of Placement and Miscellaneous Information:**

Following an initial period of training and shadowing opportunities, the student will ultimately participate in all core clinical services offered through our Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services. These duties will be tailored to the developmental level and training interests of particular students, and may include initial assessment and diagnosis, individual therapy, family therapy, group therapy, play therapy, case management, and psycho-education. The student will participate in a minimum of 1 hour of weekly individual supervision while also having the opportunity to participate in additional small group supervisions, case consultations, and team meetings.