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**FAMILY SERVICES OF THE MERRIMACK VALLEY  
JOB POSTING**

**Job Position:** Psychology Practicum  
**Reports to:** Clinical Psychologist  
**Status:** Full and Part-Time Unpaid Practicum

**POSITION DESCRIPTION**

Family Services offers a 16-24 hr/wk psychology practicum program for qualified graduate school trainees currently attending local graduate school programs. The practicum offers the opportunity to work with children, adolescents, and adults, both individually and as part of couples' or family treatment at the clinic. There is also the opportunity to provide treatment at local daycare centers and schools and to become involved in both community programs and employee assistance programs.

- One hour of individual supervision, 1.5 hours of small group supervision with other trainees, and one hour of clinical group supervision with other clinical staff is provided weekly by a licensed psychologist.
- Weekly utilization review committee meetings function as case conferences and provide the opportunity for feedback and training on clinical cases from the clinic's psychiatrist as well as the clinical director and the trainees' supervisor.

**QUALIFICATIONS & APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

- Successful applicants must have a Master's degree in psychology or counseling or be a second year student in a two years Master's program, or be currently enrolled in their second year of an accredited doctoral program in psychology.
- Applicants must submit a letter of intent, a resume, three letters of recommendation, and a writing sample that demonstrates how the potential trainee thinks and writes clinically. Appropriate applicants are then interviewed by clinical staff.
- The training year runs from the first Wednesday in September through the last Wednesday in June.
- While every attempt is made to plan practicum hours around students' school schedule, Wednesdays from 11-7 are required, as is a minimum of one hour each week on Tuesdays.

**TO APPLY**

Interested candidates should send required application documents to: Ronnie Ginsberg, PsyD.  
[rginsberg@fsmv.org](mailto:rginsberg@fsmv.org), fax resume to her attention to (978) 327-6601 or mail to 430 North Canal Street, Lawrence, MA 01840.