

UVM COUNSELING PROGRAM

Practicum/Internship Field Site Information Form

SITE INFORMATION

Name of Agency/School: Meridian DBT & Psychotherapy Services, PLC

Physical Address: 462 Hegeman Ave, Suite 100, Colchester VT 05446

Website: [Meridian DBT & Psychotherapy Services](#)

Phone Number: 802-489-7235

Fax Number: 802-497-1321

Type of School: ☐ Elementary
☐ Middle
☐ Secondary
☐ Public or ☐ Private

Type of Agency: ☐ Community Counseling
☐ College Counseling
☐ Alcohol/Drug Counseling
☐ Integrated Health/MH
☒ Other: Private practice

Contact Person: Megan Dunston

Phone Number: 802-489-7235 x2

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PRACTICUM/INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE INFORMATION

For K-12 school sites only, are you available to host a student for (check all that apply):

☐ Practicum (approx. 4-5 hrs per week, Spring only) ☐ Internship (approx. 20-24 hrs/week across year)*

**Note: For clinical mental health sites, it will be assumed that this form is being completed as an internship site*

Please check the following population(s) that your organization serves:

☐ Children ☒ Adolescents ☒ College Age ☒ Adults ☐ Other (please specify): [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Responsibilities of practicum/internship student:

(Briefly list expectations and responsibilities of practicum/internship student and please identify any unique client population(s) you serve – i.e., trauma, substance abuse, etc.)

- **Interns at Meridian have the opportunity to work with adolescents and adults in a private practice setting. Responsibilities include holding sessions (in the office and/or via telehealth), listening to referral phone calls and responding to potential clients, collaborating with other providers, DBT consultation team attendance, Skills Development weekly meetings, participating in supervision and maintaining appropriate documentation. Interns at this site do need to build their own case loads, though there are many referrals to Meridian on a weekly basis.**

Please check which of the following activities the practicum/internship student would participate in and indicate a percentage:

**Note: Individual counseling and a minimum of 20 hours of group counseling are required for all internship sites.*

☒ Individual Counseling: **Enter 55%** ☐ Classroom Guidance/Instruction: ☐ Assessment:
☒ Group Counseling: **Enter 20%** ☐ Workshop(s) Facilitation: ☐ Intake: **5 %**
☒ Family/Couples Counseling: **Enter 5%** ☒ Consultation: **5 %** ☐ Case Management:

☒ Other (please specify & include percentage): Consultation Team and Skills Development weekly meetings: 10%

SITE SUPERVISOR INFORMATION

Name of Site Supervisor(s): **Megan Dunston, Sarah Bradley, and Michelle Metzler**

Graduate Degree(s) and Licenses Held: **Enter degree(s) and license(s): Master's Degrees; LCMHC**

Position Title: **Enter title**

Field Discipline (CMH, SW, Psychologist, SC, SAP): **MH Counseling**

Years in Field Post Licensure: **Megan Dunston (13 years); Sarah Bradley (6 years), Michelle Metzler (4 years)**

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Internship Application Deadline: **February 1, 2022**

Internship Application Materials Required: ☒ Cover Letter ☒ Resume ☐ Site Application
☐ Other: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

Open House/Information Session? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide more information: **This will be held in January 2022; TBD**

Site Is Available for the Following Semester(s): ☒ Fall ☒ Spring ☒ Summer

Internship Site Provides Compensation/Stipend: ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Possibly

Other Relevant Application Information: **Intern candidates must be willing to do some of their own case building. There is ample support with this and many Meridian referrals are available.**

Please check out the link below for additional information:

<https://www.meridiandbt.com/join>

Where (to whom) to submit materials: Megan Dunston

FORM COMPLETED BY

Name: Megan Dunston

For office use only:

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