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## Graduate Mental Health Counseling Internship Opportunity with The Engle Center for Counseling and Health Services Messiah University FALL 2022-SPRING 2023

The Engle Center for Counseling and Health Services at Messiah University is currently accepting graduate intern applicants for the FALL 2022/SPRING 2023 academic year. This is a two semester 300hrs/semester internship, starting with the Fall 2022 semester and continuing with the Spring 2023 semester. We do not provide one semester only internships and we do not offer summer semester placements. We also do not offer practicum placements, however we do sometimes make exceptions for very well qualified students willing to do a 200 hr./semester practicum placement during the Fall semester and then continue with us in the Spring for their 300 hour internship semester.

The Engle Center for Counseling and Health Services has welcomed graduate counseling interns for many years, and we offer interns a very supportive and friendly environment. The Engle Center provides clinical mental health counseling for undergraduate students. Graduate interns provide in-person mental health counseling for students who present with a wide range of mental health concerns. Interns maintain their own caseload of clients, following their clients through intake assessment and treatment planning, and continue as the primary therapist for their clients throughout their course of treatment. Interns also utilize our electronic medical records system for clinical documentation. Interns participate as full members of our integrated counseling and medical staff, and attend weekly counseling staff and medical consultation meetings. Interns also have the opportunity to lead groups and participate in educational outreach as part of our wellness initiatives. Weekly individual clinical supervision is provided by a Penna. Licensed Professional Counselor who is also credentialed as an Approved Clinical Supervisor, and we also provide a variety of other educational opportunities for interns.

We offer internships on a **rolling admissions basis** and interested applicants should **contact us as early as possible (no later than early April)** as we only accept 2 -3 interns per academic year, and the earlier you apply, the more likelihood there will be an opening available. Graduate students who are interested in applying for an internship or have additional questions should contact Debra Danielson, MA, NCC, LPC, ACS, Assistant Director of Counseling, at ddaniels@messiah.edu.