

Internship II Site Supervisor's Survey Comments – Fall 2022

Q12 - What type of additional training would you like an intern to have before starting her/his internship?

More exposure to writing 504 plans. Understanding the I&RS process and writing plans.

It would be helpful if students had exposure to an "Educational Guidance" class, discussing logistics of a school counselor's day, related to technology, administrative tasks, etc.

School counseling includes having to work with teachers/admin/students & parents in the area of academics- helping future counselors learn the basics to this would be beneficial.

Counseling a difficult population.

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Interventions (academic & behavioral) in the school setting.

Discuss CST, I&RS, 504s, and RTI.

I think there are a few things the program should discuss more (CST, I&RS, 504s, and RTI) but I do think it is an excellent program.

Know the theory they would like to use in counseling.

The intern I had was great, therefore no suggestions at the moment.

Q17 - Was your intern adequately prepared to complete an internship at your site?

Please explain why or why not.

Yes, she did a fine job and learned quickly.

Yes- I believe she had a good understanding of the counseling basics and was able to use what she learned in the classroom to be effective in practice.

Yes they had the basic counseling skills to speak to students.

Yes she was. She was a teacher beforehand therefore she had experience working with students.

How to deal with difficult students .

Classes based in education.

I thought the intern was prepared.

Multicultural counseling. Our population has diverse backgrounds.

I think it is a good , comprehensive program.

I've had a number of interns from MSU and feel like they come to their sites prepared and ready to take on the hands-on portion of their program.

Internship II Site Supervisor's Survey Comments – Spring 2023

Q12 - What type of additional training would you like an intern to have before starting her/his internship?

I believe introducing students to the nuts and bolts of high school graduation requirements, testing requirements and scheduling could be helpful in further preparation in the field.

In depth coursework on diagnosing and DSM.

The importance of and how to document.

Knowledge of HIB Law and NJDOE requirements.

Better ability to integrate academic learning into the institutional setting.

Conversations with current counselors at each level for them to have an idea of what to expect before any practicum or internship. Also, to have an organic conversation regarding the role.

Q17 - Was your intern adequately prepared to complete an internship at your site?

Please explain why or why not.

Absolutely! She was extremely professional, reliable, knowledgeable and was a terrific team player.

Yes, intern was able to provide a great deal of professionalism and knowledge.

Yes our interns we prepared, they have the skills and knowledge necessary to engage, create treatment plans and provide interventions.

Yes, they were eager and ready to apply their knowledge too school counseling skills in practice.

Yes. Intern was reliable, cared about the patients, had an interest in learning more.

No. Your program was not geared well to school counseling. It concentrates on clinical counseling which is not used often in a school setting as a School counselor can only do school based counseling.

Intern was well prepared for this experience.

Yes, my intern was diligent, asked questions, kind, paid attention to detail and made sure to follow up with any individual on the team. She was mature and knew what it meant to be in a supportive role. Her connection with students was unmatched and I appreciated the kind words from students about her.