



Thank you for your consideration in applying to the counseling internship program at Edmonds College! We are a recognized leader in providing internship placements in the clinical mental health counseling field. Our mission is to provide compassionate, social justice focused, and culturally responsive counseling services to enhance student wellness.

APPLICATION DEADLINES:

Preferential Deadline: February 19th, 2021

Final Deadline: February 26th, 2021

EC Counselor Interns get:

- Experience in **mental health** and **career** counseling:
 - Short and long term counseling
 - Crisis intervention and risk assessment
 - Work with diverse student populations; immigrants/refugees, veterans, international students, different social economic status, ages, abilities, first generation and LGBTQ+
 - Training in interpreting career related assessments with clients
- **Weekly individual supervision** and **monthly group supervision** provided by a licensed mental health counselor and approved Washington State Supervisor
- Maintain a manageable caseload of clients and minimal paperwork
- Experiment with various therapeutic approaches
- Monthly **professional trainings**

Qualifications

- Currently enrolled graduate students who are completing requirements for a Master’s level degree in mental health counseling, psychology or closely related fields of study.
- Demonstrated interpersonal communication skills and professional demeanor.
- Interest in counseling in higher education, college student development and social justice.
- Candidates must be able to work within the Counseling and Resource Center’s normal operating hours (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday from 8-5, Tuesdays from 8-6 and Fridays from 8-4). *Every effort will be made to accommodate the interns’ outside commitments. Occasional evening hours may be necessary for outreach and event programming.*
- One CALENDAR year

Commitment

- Orientation and training prior to the official internship start date
- 15- 20 hours per week, depending on practicum and internship hours needed to complete
- Attend mandatory weekly staff meetings on Thursdays from 11:00a-12:30p.

Submission Materials

- Internship Application
- Cover letter (Please provide responses to the following questions within the cover letter)
 1. What led you to a career in mental health counseling?
 2. Why are you seeking an internship in a community college setting?
 3. What could you bring in particular to the Counseling Center and the students we serve?
- Resume
- Two Letters of Recommendation (Faculty and/or Supervisors only)

Submitting your application materials

To apply, please complete the 2021-2022 Counselor Internship Application and submit all supporting documentation **via email** at counselinginternships@edcc.edu

Please put the following in the email subject line: YOUR Name, Internship Application Submission 2021

Applicants will be contacted for group and individual interviews in March 2021. If invited to the interview, we will request that you submit a photo of yourself (used only for the interview process).

Interviews will be held the week of March 8th



Counselor Intern Application

_____ Preferred Name _____
Last First Mi

Address _____
City Zip Code

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
Permission to leave message? Yes No Permission to leave message? Yes No

Email _____ Date of Birth _____ Gender _____
Permission to leave message? Yes No

University Attending _____ Program _____

Anticipated Completion by _____

I identify my race/ethnicity as: _____

Languages Spoken (basic, proficient and/or fluent): _____

How did you hear about this internship site?

- Internship Listings Internet/ Website
 Internship fair _____(Please specify)

What theoretical orientation(s) might you explore during your internship experience?
