Clinical Counseling Internship

Position: Counseling Intern (2nd Year / Concentration Year) – Wellness Program

Organization: Rocky Mountain Welcome Center (RMWC)

Reports To: Bilingual Clinical Director

Placement Type: Non-Profit | Refugee & Immigrant Services | Clinical Practicum

Compensation: Unpaid

About the Rocky Mountain Welcome Center

The Rocky Mountain Welcome Center (RMWC) is an immigrant-led, community-rooted non-profit dedicated to promoting intercultural understanding, connection, and integration. We walk alongside refugees, immigrants, and first-generation Coloradans as they navigate life in the U.S., supporting them in building thriving futures for themselves, their families, and their communities.

RMWC delivers holistic community support through four core pillars:

- Educational Programs
- Legal Support & Navigation
- Social Integration & Community Support
- Mental Health & Wellness Services

Program Overview & Clinical Settings

Housed within RMWC's **Wellness Program**, this internship offers final-year Master's students deep, hands-on experience delivering culturally responsive mental health care. Interns meet clients in the places they live, learn, and gather.

Direct Service Delivery Settings:

- **In-Home:** Providing family and individual therapy directly in client residences
- **In-Community:** Meeting clients at local partner sites and community hubs
- **In-Schools:** Supporting children and youth within school environments
- **RMWC Aurora Office:** Center-based counseling and group facilitation
- **Telehealth:** Secondary / supplemental to in-person clinical work

Key Responsibilities

- **Direct Clinical Practice:** Provide individual, couples, family, and group therapy across diverse community settings.
- **Group Facilitation:** Design and facilitate support groups and psychoeducational workshops tailored to migrant and refugee communities.
- **Community Outreach:** Support RMWC community outreach events directly connected to client well-being and engagement.

Supervision & Clinical Mentorship

Interns receive **1 hour of weekly supervision** with a staff member, LCSW, an experienced supervisor with expertise in training clinicians to serve culturally diverse migrant communities.

- **Supervisory Orientation:** Systemic and Anti-oppressive lens
- **Cohort Size:** 1–3 Master's-level trainees per cycle.

Requirements & Qualifications

- **Academic Level:** Final year / Concentration year student in a Master's program (MSW, MA in Counseling, Psychology, or a related clinical field).
- **Language Fluency:** Must be fully bilingual in English **AND** Spanish
- **Transportation:** Must have personal, reliable transportation to travel to and from in-home, school, and community appointments across the Aurora/Denver metro area.
- **Scheduling Requirement:** Must have at least **one weekday where you can hold a clinical session starting at 4:30 PM**. Evening and weekend hours are available and flexible. Weekends or past 5:30 pm are available but not required
- **Pre-Screening:** Mandatory background check

Hour Requirements & Schedule

- **Hours:** Weekly and total program hours are determined by the intern's academic program.
- **Mandatory Commitment:** Weekly supervision (meeting times determined collaboratively).
- Scheduling availability is any day of the week from 8 am to 8 pm - this is determined by the student with their supervisor.
- At least one day a week requires a 4:30 pm session to accommodate children in school and working adults

How to Apply

Applications are reviewed on a **rolling basis**. Interested candidates should email the following materials directly to the Clinical Director at **erin@rockymountainwelcome.org**:

1. **Resume**
2. **Cover Letter**
3. **Internship Hour Requirements** (Total program hours & weekly target)
4. **Target Start Date**

Contact & Location:

Address: 10760 E Iliff Ave, Aurora, CO 80014

Main Office: 303-386-3532

Wellness Referral Line: 720-919-3733

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