SERVICES PROVIDED:

Springbrook Northwest is a 52-bed residential treatment facility providing comprehensive, multidisciplinary treatment for chemical dependencies and co-morbid disorders. Length of stay is an average of four weeks. We offer family, spiritual, mental health, and psychiatric services. Extended care is offered through our intensive day treatment programs allowing for treatment to be extended to 90 days or longer, depending on patient’s therapeutic needs. We also offer continuing care.

ROLES OF THE PRACTICUM STUDENT:

Students will be utilized by Hazelden Springbrook to enhance the quality of care established by Hazelden Springbrook. Depending upon skill and experience level, students will be involved in observation, and participation of assessments, group therapy, didactic lectures, charting, discharge planning, and case management.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED:

- Second year student with previous exposure to chemical dependency issues.
- If recovering, a minimum of two years in recovery and involvement in self-help groups.
- Ability to present an image of healthful recovery and have a plan to promote and maintain self-wellness.
- Willing to be scheduled for both evening and weekends. The ability to work as a team member in a multi-disciplinary setting.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR EMPLOYMENT:

Second-year students only. Associates degree graduates may be considered for entry-level positions.

CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECK WILL BE REQUIRED

As of April 15, 2011, practicum sites that use the Department of Human Services Background Check Unit will now conduct a weighing test and fitness determination when an individual has been identified as the perpetrator of abuse in certain cases of sexual abuse, physical abuse or financial exploitation. The Background Check Unit will specifically consider the most serious cases of abuse reported and substantiated from January 1, 2010, forward.

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