Customary Competencies Expected of the Internship/Practicum Experiences

Specifics for this practicum experience to be drawn from these competencies in preparation for more extensive internship experiences

Area I: Teaching

	Met	Unmet
1. Access materials, develop syllabus, establish objectives in preparing for course		
2. Identify teaching strategies appropriate to course objectives		
3. Articulate a personal philosophy of teaching.		
4. Deliver instruction in a graduate-level counselor preparation program in core or		
specialty area.		
5. Demonstrate skills, abilities, and knowledge associated with cultural competence		
in teaching.		
6. Use available technology to deliver/support instruction.		
7. Provide formative and summative feedback to students.		
8. Identify and respond to ethical and legal dilemmas associated with teaching.		
9. Demonstrate respect for, and respond to, individual differences and learning		
styles of students.		

Area II: Research and Publication

	Met	Unmet
1. Use research methods/types appropriate to the requirements of their chosen work		
setting.		
2. Prepare an integrated review of the professional literature leading to the		
generation of research questions.		
3. Identify and respond to ethical and legal dilemmas/requirements associated with		
research involving human subjects.		
4. Use available technology to support research activities.		
5. Demonstrate knowledge of scientific method, including appropriate sequence of		
Activities involved in research project development.		
6. Document or describe steps taken to assess or ensure a process of multicultural		
sensitivity in research activities.		
7. Submit and/or contribute to scholarly publications.		
8. And/or prepare and submit a grant proposal		

Area III: Leadership and Professional Service

	Met	Unmet
1. After identifying key issues and trends in your specialty and/or in counselor		
education, participate in service/advocacy activities related to the preparation of		
counselors and the advancement of the counseling profession.		
2. Annually participate in at least two professional development activities related to		
one's career objectives.		
3. Identify with a professional association relevant to one's career objectives, and		
participate in committee and/or organizational leadership		
4. Contribute to the Department of Counselor Education through participation in		
standing and departmentally supported lectures, forums, workshops, and		
committees.		
5. Develop professional presentations for delivery at state and/or national		
professional association meetings.		
6. Identify an area of advocacy needed by clientele in your specialty, and plan and		
carry out an advocacy project.		

Area IV: Supervision of Clinical/Field Activities

	Met	Unmet
1. Provide individual supervision for graduate-level counselors-in-training or		
paraprofessionals participating in counseling-related practica and/or internships.		
2. Provide group supervision for graduate-level counselors-in-training or		
paraprofessionals participating in counseling-related practica and/or internships.		
3. Provide formative and summative feedback to supervisees.		
4. Articulate a theoretical framework for supervision practice.		
5. Demonstrate the ability to reflect on one's supervisory practice, style, and		
effectiveness and modify practice as needed to promote optimum growth and		
development of the supervisee.		
6. Identify and respond to ethical and legal dilemmas associated with counselor		
supervision.		
7. Demonstrate respect for, and respond to, individual differences and learning		
styles of supervisees. Develop supervisory alliance, beginning with contracting.		
8. Accurately assess the supervision needs of supervisees.		
9. Identify and use a variety of supervision methods/interventions appropriate for		
promoting knowledge, skill, and interpersonal development of their supervisees		
(ie. videotape, self-report, live, case reports).		
10. Demonstrate skills, abilities, and knowledge associated with cultural		
competence in supervision.		
11. Use available technology to deliver/support supervision.		
12. Demonstrate appropriate documentation of supervisory activities		

Area V: Advanced Counseling Practice

	Met	Unmet
1. Articulate a personal theory of individual counseling.		
2. Develop, implement and evaluate a plan of individual counseling for clients of		
diverse backgrounds.		
3. Articulate a personal theory of group counseling.		
4. Develop, implement and evaluate a plan of group counseling for clients of		
varying ages, diverse backgrounds.		
5. Identify and respond to ethical and legal dilemmas associated with		
counselor/client interactions.		
6. Demonstrate skills, abilities, and knowledge associated with social/racial identity		
development and cultural competence in counseling.		
7. Use available technology to support counseling services.		
8. Demonstrate knowledge of the diagnostic bias (e.g. cultural factors, gender,		
developmental factors, socioeconomic status), and treatment implications.		
9. Demonstrate knowledge of the assessment process in counseling, this includes		
consideration of measurement selection, application, and interpretation.		
10. Identify the implications of multicultural, legal and ethical, developmental, and		
other variables that influence the selection, application and interpretation of		
assessment measures.		
11. Demonstrate skills in delivery of psychoeducation on a topic relevant to one's		
professional goals		

Area VI: Interpersonal Functioning

	Met	Unmet
1. Demonstrate behaviors associated with self-reflection and evaluation in the areas		

of: Teaching, supervision, counseling, research, leadership and professional	
development, and interpersonal relationships.	
2. Demonstrate skills necessary to collaborate with other professionals inside and	
outside the students' designated professional identification.	
3. Demonstrate skills necessary to consult and collaborate with culturally diverse	
professionals.	
4. Identify and demonstrate organizational abilities necessary for effective	
participation in student's selected occupation.	

Area VII: Dissertation Prospectus

	Met	Unmet
1. Introduction and statement of the problem		
2. Research Questions and Hypotheses		
3. Definitions of Theoretical Constructs		
4. Research Design		
5. Analysis and Potential Confounding Variables		
6. Significance and Limitations		