

## Testimonials from previous students:

Flexible schedule and supportive relationships with fellow therapists and supervisors.

- Denise, MSW Intern from CSULA

I will forever be grateful for the experience and knowledge that Aviva provided me. If you are new to the mental health field, this is a wonderful place to start.

- Kristen, MFT Trainee from Pepperdine University

Great way to get exposure to the DMH side of the social work field. Challenging work, but rewarding outcomes.

- Miguel, MSW Intern from CSULA

Supportive and highly educational experience. Gained valuable skills to improve my clinic work

- Olivia, MFT Trainee from Pepperdine University

A team-oriented environment throughout the agency. There is someone always available to provide support and guidance.

- Raysa, MSW Intern from CSULB



# Student Training Program

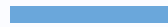
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# Aviva Family and Children's Services



# THE PROGRAM

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Aviva - Mental Health Services (MHS) department provides outpatient clinical and case management services to children and families within Los Angeles.

Our Student Training Program provides students with the following opportunities:

- Work within a multidisciplinary treatment team and collaborate with other programs and services at Aviva, including:
  - Target Case Management (TCM)
  - Psychiatric Support Services
  - Wraparound
  - Full Service Partnership (FSP)
  - Outpatient Care Services (OCS)
  - Therapeutic Behavioral Services (TBS)
  - Foster Family and Adoption (FFA)
- Weekly individual supervision and group supervision.
- Opportunity to learn and implement DMH (Department of Mental Health) documentation.
- May have the opportunity to be trained in EBP Model Seeking Safety.
- Receive training in Aviva's electronic health record system (EXYM).
- Opportunity to conduct initial and annual clinical assessments of clients, individual therapy, family counseling, and group therapy.



## STUDENT BENEFITS

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- No supervision or training fee required
- Extensive training (e.g., treatment planning, DMH documentation, intervention modalities)
- Supportive supervisors
- Preceptor mentorship
- Hybrid services; ability to provide telehealth services
- Flexible schedule and working hours



# ABOUT US

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## ***Our Mission***

Aviva believes *every* child and *every* family in our Los Angeles community deserves the chance for a brighter future. We provide compassionate support, therapeutic services, and guidance to at-risk children and families.

## ***Our Services***

We are a nonprofit, non-sectarian 501(c)(3) organization. Our main program focus areas:

- Crisis Intervention
- Mental Health Services
- Foster and Adoption
- Supportive Housing for Women and Children

Children come to us as a result of:

- Physical, sexual and emotional abuse and neglect
- Commercial sexual exploitation
- Substance abuse
- Mental health issues
- Involvement with the juvenile justice system

For vulnerable children and families, Aviva is an unwavering beacon of hope.