

2026-2027 Master Level Internship Opportunities

Spring 2026 Internships

Currently Full- There are no available Spring 2026 internships.

Summer 2026- Spring 2027 Internships

Bay State Community Services has the following master level internship opportunities available for the 2026-2027 academic year (mid -May 2026-April 2027):

- Behavioral Health Community Partners (BHCP) Internship
- Coastal In-Home Therapy (IHT) Internship
- Community Behavioral Health Outpatient Clinic Internship
- CREW Internship
- MID/SOA Internship
- Massachusetts Office of Addiction Recovery (MOAR) Internship
- Massachusetts Young People in Recovery (MYPiR) Internship
- Plymouth In-Home Therapy (IHT) Internship
- Quincy Family Resource Center Internship

Internship Placement Descriptions

Behavioral Health Community Partners (BHCP) Program

Quincy, MA

Internship Type: Direct Practice -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 1

Student Type: 1st year MSW

The Behavioral Health Community Partners (BHCP) program provides care coordination for adults ages 21 year and older actively enrolled in MassHealth who experience severe and persistent mental illness and/or addiction history. BHCP Care Coordinators partner with clients to support the management of complex medical, behavioral, and psychosocial needs to enhance the client's quality of life.

Internship Overview: Interns' primary responsibilities include: Managing a small individual caseload (intake, assessment, individualized care plan development, safety planning, referrals, follow-ups), completing required documentation.

Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, Assessment, Intervention, Evaluation of Practice with individuals. Students will learn and practice a range of interventions including: Solution-focused framework, motivational interviewing, trauma-informed practice, crisis intervention. Students will also practice community asset mapping and collateral collaboration.

Internship Requirements: Strong interest, and desire to work with individuals who are experiencing severe and persistent mental health, substance use, and trauma. Access to a reliable vehicle and ability to travel between client appointments.

Internship Hours: Daytime availability (M-F 8-4). Intern hours and schedules may be agreed prior to finalizing internship agreement and must include Tuesdays.

Supervision: Weekly individual supervision with a LCSW; weekly supervision with site supervisor; weekly internship seminar; weekly team meeting.

COASTAL IN-HOME THERAPY INTERN

Various Locations

Internship Type: Clinical Practice -- PAID

Intern positions: 2

Student Type: 2nd yr clinical masters (LMHC-track or MSW ONLY)

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**Services are provided in the following towns: Abington, Avon, Braintree, Bridgewater, Brockton, Canton, Cohasset, East Bridgewater, Easton, Hingham, Holbrook, Hull, Milton, Norwell, Quincy, Randolph, Stoughton, West Bridgewater, Weymouth, and Whitman.*

Internship Overview: Interns will work on a team and complete diagnostic assessment, treatment plans, and develop clinical intervention in the families' homes.

Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, assessment, intervention, and evaluation of practice with individuals and groups; Cognitive, Behavioral, Psychodynamic, Constructionist, and Systems theoretical orientations; CBT, DBT skills, TF-CBT, Solutions-focused, MI, Crisis Intervention, Trauma-informed practice, and other evidence-based/ research-informed interventions.

Internship Requirements: Previous experience with children required (volunteer or paid). Case management experience preferred. The student must have a reliable vehicle and a valid driver's license.

Internship Hours: Students must commit to 20-24 hours per week/ 3 days per week for at least two consecutive semesters. Internship schedule must include afternoon and evening hours to meet the needs of clients.

Supervision: Weekly individual supervision with LMHC or LICSW; weekly internship seminar; weekly team meeting/ training.

COMMUNITY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH OUTPATIENT CLINIC INTERN

Quincy, MA

Internship Type: Clinical Practice -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 2

Student Type: 2nd yr clinical MSW or LMHC-track ONLY

The Community Behavioral Health Outpatient Clinic offers a range of individual and group-based psychotherapy services to address mental health and substance use needs of children, adolescents and adults. As a community-based safety net agency, many of our clients present with co-occurring psychological, psychosocial, and systems-involved needs.

Internship Overview: Intern's primary responsibilities include: managing an individual psychotherapy caseload of 3-5 clients (intake, diagnostic assessment, treatment planning, ongoing therapeutic treatment, and discharge) and completing all requirement documentation.

Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, assessment, intervention, and evaluation of practice with individuals and groups; Cognitive, Behavioral, Psychodynamic, Constructionist, and Systems theoretical orientations; CBT, DBT skills, TF-CBT, Solutions-focused, MI, Crisis Intervention, Trauma-informed practice, and other evidence-based/ research-informed interventions.

Internship Requirements: Strong interest and desire to work with people experiencing mental health, substance use, and trauma. Previous human services experience (internship, employment, or volunteer). Completed coursework on DSM, diagnostic assessment, and clinical interventions (i.e. CBT, Solution-focused, MI, etc.). Must be able to attend intern seminar in person on Tuesdays 1-2:30pm.

Internship Hours: Students must commit to 20-24 hours per week for at least two consecutive semesters; specific days and times (generally M-F 9-5 with occasional evenings until 7pm) will be agreed prior to finalizing internship agreement. Schedule must include Tuesdays .

Supervision: Weekly individual supervision with a LICSW; weekly internship seminar with a LCSW.

CREW (Create, Respect, Empower, Wellness) PROGRAM

Quincy, MA

Internship Type: Direct Practice -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 1

Student Type: Bachelor or 1st year MSW

The CREW program offers a structured, strength-based, recovery focused year-round therapeutic after-school day program designed to meet the emotional and behavioral health needs of children and adolescents ages 6-18 who are involved with the Department of Mental Health.

Internship Overview: Interns' primary responsibilities include: provide individual and group support to participants focusing on the areas of social skills, family dynamics, peer relationships, and progress towards DMH determined treatment goals.
Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, assessment, intervention, and evaluation of practice with individuals; Lifespan Development Theories; Group and family therapy modalities; Cognitive Behavioral and Dialectical Behavioral Treatment skills, and other evidence-based/ research-informed interventions.
Internship Requirements: Strong interest in, and desire to work with children and adolescents experiencing mental health needs. Previous experience with children and/or adolescents (internship, employment, or volunteer) preferred. Student must have own reliable vehicle and valid driver's license.
Internship Hours: The internship is available M-F noon-5pm.
Supervision: Weekly supervision with Program Director (MSW/ LCSW supervision, if needed). Weekly Internship Professional Development & Training seminar on Tuesdays 1-2:30pm.

MASSACHUSETTS ORGANIZATION FOR ADDICTION RECOVERY (MOAR)

Boston, MA

HISTORY PRESERVATION INTERN

Internship Type: Macro -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 1

Student Type: Bachelor or Master level student

This Program is about archiving, spreading, and spotlighting the history of MOAR, Massachusetts Organization for Addiction Recovery, as it relates to the Massachusetts Recovery Movement. It will require archiving history which means scanning historical documents and providing a historical overview for all. It further requires staying on top of the current recovery community movement with participation and documentation promoting public awareness. The goal is to spread the history supporting a continuation of the lessons learned experience that can be used for the present and future. All are to reflect the outcomes of The MOAR Mission to "organize individuals, families, and friends into a collective voice to educate the public about the value of living in recovery" with respect to all cultures.

Internship Overview: Interns' primary responsibilities include: The intern is expected to support the research, documentation, and participation in activities towards actualizing the goals. This will require scanning, researching, documenting, and participating in related activities.
Internship Learning Opportunities: The intern will be given an overview of the history of MOAR in relationship to the Massachusetts history of recovery and related advocacy. Students will learn about substance use recovery and supports. This will be a great Macro opportunity for applying research into real world community activity.
Internship Requirements: The intern is required to have technological capacity to be able to scan, research, and document historical information. The intern will have an interest in public policy, particularly building public awareness. The intern will participate in a variety of aspects of certain related events.
Internship Hours: The intern will at minimum be scheduled on site 8 or more hours during the week when the supervisor is present.
Supervision: Individual task supervision by program staff.

MID/SOA INTERN

Quincy, MA

Internship Type: Direct Practice -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 1

Student Type: MSW (1st or 2nd year)**Massachusetts Impaired Driver-First Offender Program (MID)**

Individuals who have been found to be impaired while driving are required to participate in the MA Impaired Driving (MID) program, formerly referred to as Driver Alcohol Education (DAE) program, to have their driving license reinstated. Individuals who have been charged with a first offense of impaired driving will participate in a 40-hour structured program that includes an intake interview, sixteen weekly psychoeducational groups, two self-help meetings, a victim impact forum and an exit interview. If additional supports are needed, referrals will be offered to participants.

Second Offender Aftercare Program (SOA)

Individuals who have multiple impaired driving offenses are required to complete the Second Offender Aftercare (SOA) Program. Participants in the SOA program will complete a clinical intake assessment and will be referred to group and/or individual sessions. The frequency and duration of treatment is individualized based on need, but on average, consists of weekly sessions for at least five months, and then transitions to monthly sessions. Ongoing treatment planning and assessment of treatment goals will occur on a quarterly basis.

Internship Overview: Interns' primary responsibilities include diagnostic assessments with a determination of level of care (2nd year students only); treatment plan development; documentation of services; resource identification and referrals; communication with collateral contacts; curriculum development; facilitation of groups.

Internship Learning Opportunities: Assessment of client history and determining level of care; interventions utilizing various treatment modalities; Curriculum development and implementation of curriculum; mandated population experience; substance use disorders

Internship Requirements: Bachelor's degree in social work, psychology, or human services degree preferred; computer proficiency; strong organizational and time management skills.

Internship Hours: Intern is anticipated to work a minimum of 16 hours/week on site with some evening hours to meet client needs; placement hours must include attendance at the weekly intern seminar held on Tuesdays.

Supervision: LICSW supervision provided.

Massachusetts' Young People In Recovery Program (MYPiR) Intern

Quincy, MA

Internship Type: Direct & Macro Practice -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 1

Student Type: MSW (1st year)

Massachusetts' Young People in Recovery Program (MYPiR) is a statewide group of young people who are passionate about helping others by sharing our recovery journey! We offer recovery supports, organize events and activities, assist with access to treatment, and connect young people that are looking for fellowship.

Internship Overview: Interns' primary responsibilities include: group facilitation, development and presentation of prosocial wellness trainings, development and implementation of prosocial outings, activities, and event for young people in recovery.

Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, Assessment, Implement and Evaluation with individuals, groups, and programs; leadership skills; substance use disorder and recovery pathways.
Internship Requirements: Deep desire to work with young people seeking and practicing recovery; willingness to support all pathways to recovery; lived experience helpful but not required (please note as part of the social work internship, students will not be allowed to use self-disclosure).
Internship Hours: A minimum of 16 hours/week on site with evening hours to meet client needs is required; placement hours must include attendance at the weekly intern seminar held on Tuesdays 1-2:30pm and staff meeting held on Thursdays 1-2pm. A possible schedule may be Tuesdays noon-8pm and Thursdays 9am-5pm. Occasional weekend hours available.
Supervision: LCSW supervision provided.

PLYMOUTH IN-HOME THERAPY SERVICES

Various Locations

Internship Type: Clinical Practice -- PAID

Intern positions: 2-3

Student Type: 2nd yr clinical masters (LMCH-track ONLY)

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Internship Overview: Interns will work on a team and complete diagnostic assessment, treatment plans, and develop clinical intervention in the families' homes.
Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, assessment, intervention, and evaluation of practice with individuals and groups; Cognitive, Behavioral, Psychodynamic, Constructionist, and Systems theoretical orientations; CBT, Solutions-focused, MI, Crisis Intervention, Trauma-informed practice, and other evidence-based/ research-informed interventions.
Internship Requirements: Previous experience with children required (volunteer or paid). Case management experience preferred. The student must have a reliable vehicle and a valid driver's license.
Internship Hours: Students must commit to 20-24 hours per week for at least two consecutive semesters. Internship schedule must include afternoon and evening hours to meet the needs of clients. Interns must attend the weekly staff meetings on Thursdays at 11am.
Supervision: Weekly individual supervision with LMHC or LMFT; weekly internship seminar; weekly team meeting/ training.

QUINCY FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

Quincy, MA

Internship Type: Direct Practice -- UNPAID

Intern positions: 1

Student Type: 1st year MSW or BSW Senior

The Quincy Family Resource Center (QFCR) is a free community-based service that is designed to be a single point of entry for families with children under the age of 18 (including parent, guardians, grandparents, caregivers, youth, and family members) to access behavioral health supports, community services, resources, and information.

Internship Overview: Interns will participate in individual and family assessment and support planning, co-facilitation of psychoeducational and therapeutic groups, and case management to ensure families are connected with resources and referrals. Interns will have the opportunity to participate in community events including health fairs. Additionally, interns will be exposed to court and state systems.

Internship Learning Opportunities: Engagement, assessment, intervention, and evaluation of practice with individuals, groups, and communities; Cognitive, Behavioral, and Systems theoretical orientations; CBT, Solutions-focused, MI, Crisis Intervention, Trauma-informed practice, and other evidence-based/ research-informed interventions; Community Asset Mapping.

Internship Requirements: Commitment to strengths-based approaches. Desire to work with youth and families.

Internship Hours: Intern must commit to at least 16 hours per week for at least two consecutive semesters. Intern schedule must include at least one evening until 8pm to meet the needs of youth.

Supervision: Weekly individual supervision with LMHC or LCSW; Intern seminar held weekly on Tuesdays.