## Practicum Application for Summer & Fall 2013

Name:	Age:
Year in College:	Major:
Email Address:	
Phone Number:	
Preferred Practicum Site - Please rank th	ne following sites in order of your interest in them (1 =
highest). Be advised that, due to a variety of	of factors, you may not be offered a placement at your first
choice site.	
Practicum Sites and Supervisors:	
DaVinci Academy supervised by Eric Ams	sel
Tree House Children's Museum by Eric A	msel
Teaching Assistant by Eric Amsel	
WSU Counseling Center supervised by Te	ri Kay
Head Start/OWCAP supervised by Maria l	
Youth Impact supervised by Maria Parrilla	<u>*</u>
Ogden OUTreach Resource Center superv	ised by Teri Kay
Background Information:	
Please list the psychology courses you hav	e taken or are currently taking.
Please list other courses which you feel wo	ould be relevant to the practicum experience you are seeking.
List experiences outside of school which y	ou feel would be relevant to the practicum experience you are
seeking.	
Work History: List your most recent jobs	and the dates of employment.

<b>Personal Questions</b> : Since you may be working with children, we are required by law to ask these questions.		
May we check your transcripts? Please provide your student ID# or Social Security Number		
Have you ever been convicted of a crime?  If yes, please explain		
***If you are accepted for a practicum placement, you will need to complete a criminal background check, which <i>may</i> cost you approximately \$25. You will need to show proof of having completed a background check prior to starting your practicum.		
Personal Statement		
On this page, please tell us why you are interested in the practicum placement you are seeking. personality and/or experience strengths and weaknesses do you bring to this experience? How your experience at the practicum placement fit into your plans for the future?		

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN TO AUBREY (THE PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT SECRETARY) NO LATER THAN  $\underline{\text{Wednesday, October 31}}$ 

## Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in our practicum program. As you consider applying for a practicum site, the members of the Practicum Committee want to ensure that you are aware of the following issues.

Professional and ethical conduct are mandatory. It is vital that you remember that you will be in some sort of helping role with potentially vulnerable individuals. These individuals could be harmed if you fail to abide by professional and ethical standards. These standards will be discussed in more detail as the practicum experience begins, but you are encouraged to ask questions about these issues at any time.

It is also important that you remember that if you accept a practicum placement, you are making a commitment to the population you serve, the agency staff, Weber State University, and yourself. Practicum students cannot be easily replaced, and failure to complete the practicum is likely to result in a low grade, as well as a compromised reputation in the Psychology Department and the agency where you agreed to serve.

Finally, reliability is vital to your success as a practicum student. You and your supervisors will agree on a schedule, and you need to make every effort to adhere to the schedule. If an emergency makes attendance impossible, it is your responsibility to inform your on-site and faculty supervisor.

Student Signature and Dat	te