ARC Community Services, Inc.

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CLIENT POPULATION SERVED: Adult women with substance use disorders. All women referred by Department of Corrections and placed in residential AODA treatment program as alternative to revocation.

WHAT DAYS/HOURS ARE AVAILABLE FOR STUDENT INTERNS TO WORK?
PLEASE INCLUDE WEEKEND AND EVENING AVAILABILITY:
Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

IS THERE A CREDENTIALED, ON-SITE SUPERVISOR AVAILABLE TO SUPERVISE SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELOR – IN TRAINING (SAC-IT) STUDENTS? YES ☒ NO ☐

REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENT INTERN PLACEMENT:
Pre-placement Interview and Acceptance, resume.

INTERNSHIP JOB DESCRIPTION/EXPECTATIONS:
Individual and group therapy case management, participation in general residential treatment programming

WEBSITE ADDRESS: www.arccommserv.com

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- Developmental assessments for the children
- Trauma treatment
- Health education
- Anger management groups
- Relapse prevention
- Cognitive interventions
- Assistance in obtaining safe housing
- Assistance in job preparedness
- Assistance in securing available benefits
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**ARC Maternal & Infant Program - Madison, WI**

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Healthy Beginnings began as a Federal demonstration project. The goal was to implement an ideal treatment model for the recovery of pregnant and postpartum women with substance use disorders. This program provides adult women with a comprehensive day treatment program for recovery. Services include:

- Women-specific educational and treatment services up to five days per week
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- On-site child care
- Community child care placement
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ARC Drug Treatment Court Program - Madison, WI

Funded by grants from the U.S. Department of Justice, this project provides women-specific case management services for adult women with substance use disorders enrolled in the Dane County Drug Treatment Court administered by the Dane County Human Services Department. Services include:

- Diversion of alcohol and drug dependent individuals from the criminal justice system, especially the Dane County Jail
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- Coordination of treatment services with community agencies
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