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University-Affiliated Internship



Clients Served: Primarily children, teens, and young adults with developmental disabilities including autism, cerebral palsy, Down syndrome, speech/language delays, and other needs. Additional work with clients in hospice, addiction and recovery, psychiatric inpatient and outpatient, families recovering from domestic violence, early intervention, TBI, dual diagnosis, and assisted living.

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- want to work with children, teens, and young adults of all ages and abilities
- demonstrate independence in problem-solving
- show flexibility in scheduling
- have an interest in non-profits and/or small business
- are willing to experiment and grow musically
- want to build a robust repertoire of music therapy interventions for a variety of goal areas and settings
- possess independence and self-motivation
- want to work with a team of music therapists and implement feedback
- maintain an effective and proactive approach to self-care

Additional Expectations: Due to the ratio of clinic to community-based clientele we serve, access to reliable transportation will be needed to work with some clientele. HOH makes every reasonable attempt to provide flexibility and support to interns to meet the needs of our clients.

Components of internship:

- observation of music therapy and other disciplines, at HOH and other sites
- collaboration with cohort of other HOH interns
- weekly group and individual supervision meetings

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- projects including giving a professional presentation and working with HOH's Executive Director to create a nonprofit business project – both can be tailored to intern's interests and career goals
- chance to try a wide variety of settings in a supportive and professional environment
- opportunity to learn and practice our proprietary protocol specifically for music therapy rock bands of teens and adults with disabilities



Stipend and Benefits:

- \$750.00 stipend (disbursed in two installments of \$375.00 at the onset of internship and \$375.00 at the mid-term point of internship)
- Article 9 (Arizona disability rights training), CPR, First Aid, and Level 1 Fingerprint Clearance Card paid for by HOH
- Guidance on getting ready to take the CBMT exam

Inquiries and Application Requests:

internships@hohmt.org

Current internship affiliation agreements in place with Arizona State University and Berklee College of Music. Please contact prior to applying to begin the affiliation process if attending a different school. We can work with most schools but need additional time to verify that we meet training requirements.

START DATES

Monday, July 6, 2026
Monday, January 11, 2027
Monday, June 28, 2027

APPLICATION DUE

11:59PM Tuesday, February 17, 2026
11:59PM Tuesday, September 22, 2026
11:59PM Tuesday, February 16, 2027

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