

FEMINIST NARRATIVE THERAPY IMMERSION PROGRAM

OVERVIEW

The Feminist Narrative Therapy program at ProChoices is a practice-focused learning immersion that gives back to the Community it learns by.

Learners of this program are offered a customized experiential learning experience for knowledge, theory and mastery in Feminist Narrative therapy. Learning at ProChoices is immersed within a collectivist framework and cohort community and is organized to support each learner's unique and specific learning objectives and interests. Through experiential learning, vigorous practice and intensive supervision, learners will expand and deepen their Feminist Narrative practice

OUR PARTICIPANTS INCLUDE

**Students | Clinical Counsellors | Social Workers | Community Service Providers
Women's & Gender Studies Researchers | Social Justice Activists | etc.**

- University students seeking practicum placement
- Mental Health and Social Justice professionals seeking professional development
- RSW, RCSW, RCC, CCC, RPC requiring accreditation references/supervision and/or CPD hours
- New/International practitioners requiring supervision, mentorship and connection

PRACTICE AREAS INCLUDE

Feminist Narrative Practice, Anti-oppressive Practice, Somatic Trauma Therapy, Integrated Arts, Play Therapy, Couples Therapy, Group Therapy and more...



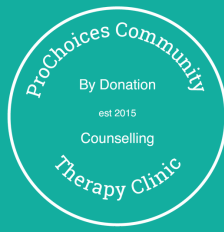
- **Clinical Practice (individual, couples & group counseling)**
- **Individual and Cohort Supervision**
- **1-on-1 Graduate Mentorship**
- **Cohort Study & Practice Support**
- **Experiential Collective Learning**

A cornerstone of ProChoices' success thus far has been the engagement of learning within a Collective Feminist Narrative framework. Supporting your preferred learning and offering accessible therapy to the community generates a congruency with the principles and ideas of Feminist Narrative collective practice. Our supportive collective environment fosters collaboration, reflexive learning and praxis.

UPON COMPLETION OF THE PROGRAM

You will receive:

- A Certificate in Feminist Narrative Practice
- Relevant references, evaluations & confirmation of hours for registration
- Opportunities for continued participation and skills development



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PROGRAM STRUCTURE*

(*Participation customized in support of your schedule and learning goals)

- **Individual Supervision**

The Learning Therapist and the supervisor meet bi-weekly at a minimum of 1.5 hours for individual supervision. Further supervision hours are available upon request. Therapists are offered rigorous supervision that is informed by individualized learning and practice competency enrichment objectives.

- **Cohort Supervision**

The learning cohort and the supervisor meet bi-weekly at a minimum of 3 hours for group supervision. Cohort group explores themes pertaining to experiential learning areas as invited by the supervisor and/or the cohort. Learning Therapists are provided with on-going opportunities to collaborate and connect with cohort members, mentors and graduates.

- **Clinical Practice**

Learning Therapists are provided with direct client practice with 3 - 10 clients / week, couples and group opportunities

- **Collective Involvement**

Therapists are strongly encouraged to attend all clinic gatherings, including clinic socials, retreats and special workshops as schedule presents.

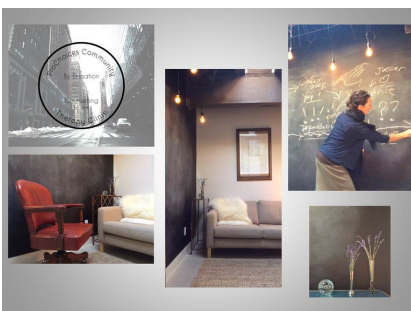
COST

The cost for participating in the immersion program is \$400/month.

ProChoices is an unfunded grass roots non-profit and largely volunteer run organization. The immersion program training fee at present time funds the operations of this community clinic and the services it provides. We are busy applying for grants and other funding to sponsor a scholarship program that will allow us to provide training free of charge to all practicum students in the future.

LEARNING EXCHANGE

One Learning Exchange position is offered per semester for applicants with administrative proficiency, strong organizational skills and creative initiative, and a passion for our philosophical mission and objectives. This position will require min. 6 - 8 hours per week of clinic support work in exchange for participating in the Immersion program free of charge.



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