

ALVERNO COLLEGE
Institutional Effectiveness and Sponsored Programs

Master of Community Psychology Survey of Stakeholders
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A survey was administered in November 2024 to three groups of stakeholders within the Master of Community Psychology program at Alverno College: internship supervisors, employers, and community stakeholders. The core of the survey was the same for each group: an opportunity to respond to nine statements about Alverno graduates and a place for additional comments. All respondents were asked how familiar they were with the program. Internship supervisors were additionally asked how many students they had supervised. All responses were anonymous.

Complete responses were received from 16 internship supervisors, 12 employers, and 10 community stakeholders. Additional individuals began the survey but did not complete it. Table 1 shows responses to the program evaluation questions.

Table 1. Percentage of Stakeholders Who Agree^a with Evaluative Statements

<i>Alverno MCP graduates...</i>	Internship Supervisors (n = 16)	Employers (n=11-12)	Community Stakeholders (n = 10)
are open to feedback to improve their practice.	81%	91%	70%
understand the importance of supervision in their training.	88%	82%	70%
welcome peer collaboration as a way to improve quality of care.	88%	83%	70%
use current theory in their diagnostic process and to guide their interventions.	88%	91%	70%
are effective at developing rapport with clients.	94%	91%	70%
are professional in their interactions with others.	94%	91%	70%
behave in accordance with APA’s ethical codes of conduct.	81%	82%	70%
demonstrate a social justice orientation in their practice.	81%	73%	70%
pursue continuing education to ensure research-supported practice.	75%	64%	70%

^a Respondents are included if they selected either “strongly agree” or “somewhat agree” (top two points on a five-point scale).

Comments included the following:

- As an internship site supervisor, I have seen strong clinical skills and an openness to learning.
- They need more training on multicultural issues and putting the patient in its context first. (internship supervisor)
- Alverno graduate was a pleasure to work with. (employer)
- Students are great. (community stakeholder)