

**Crisis Line of Central Virginia
Sexual Assault Response Program (SARP)
Intern Position**

Position: SARP Intern

Role: To provide non-judgmental listening, support, advocacy, and intervention to sexual assault victims on the hotline and in the emergency room. Students respond to victims in the emergency room and via the SARP hotline by using active listening and crisis intervention skills.

Responsibilities:

- Interact with sexual assault victims, volunteers, and staff in a respectful and empowering manner.
- Maintain client confidentiality within the parameters defined by Crisis Line.
- Provide crisis intervention, support, and resource referrals as outlined by Crisis Line agency policy and procedure.
- Attend bimonthly SARP Volunteer In-Service meetings.
- Participate in skill development training and skill monitoring as required.
- To consult and debrief with Internship Supervisor regarding challenging calls.
- Participate in other Crisis Line agency activities, events, and workshops as desired.

Qualifications:

- Must be 18 years old.
- Able to commit to one semester. (Fall semester, Spring semester, Christmas break, Summer break)
- Must be mature, emotionally stable, and dependable.
- Good oral and written communication skills.
- Able to schedule minimum of 36 on call hours per month.
- Access to reliable transportation.
- Able to complete all required intern hours within a single semester.

Training Requirements:

- Complete 32 hours of Crisis Line/SARP basic training.
- Complete 2 mentoring emergency room calls with SARP staff present.
- Attend bimonthly in-service workshops.

Benefits:

- Basic and advance training in crisis intervention and sexual violence.
- In-Service workshops from various community agencies.
- Have a positive impact on your community.
- Work with equally dedicated volunteers and staff.

I have read the above job description and agree to the responsibilities, qualifications, and training time requirements outlined.

Signature: _____

Date: _____