

Get to Know the Minority Fellowship Program 2019



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MINORITY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

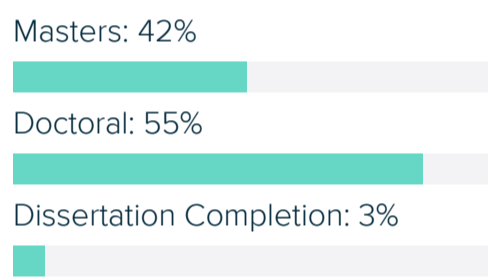


Established: **2007**
Alumni: **474 Fellows**

Career Options

Direct Service: 36%
Research: 22%
Teaching: 20%
Supervision Management: 12%
Executive Management: 3%
Consulting: 6%
Other: 1%

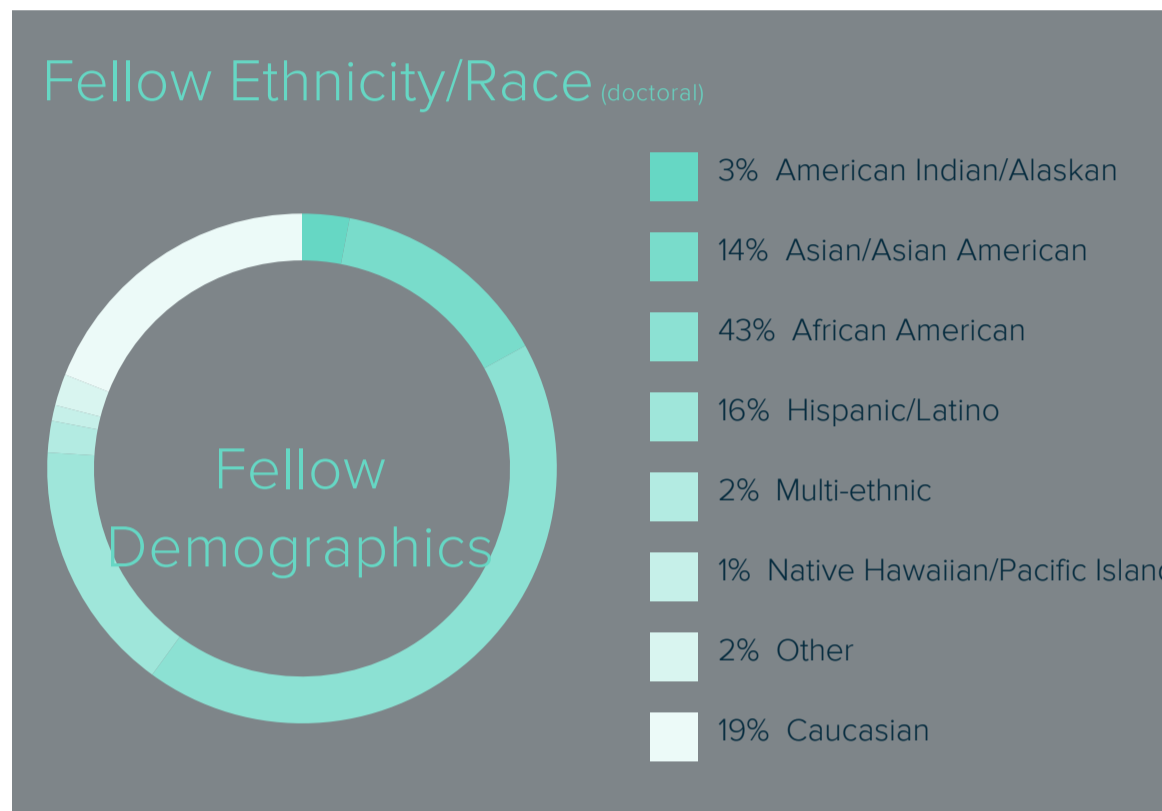
Alumni Representation



Mission & Vision

Since the inception of the Minority Fellowship Program (MFP) in 2007 under the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) Research and Education Foundation, the MFP has sought to increase the number of culturally competent marriage and family therapy (MFT) professionals who will provide direct mental health and substance abuse services to racial and ethnic minority and underrepresented populations, conduct research, and teach in these areas.

The MFP Fellows express a desire and a commitment to improving and providing mental health and substance use services to racial and ethnic minority and underrepresented populations over a lifetime. An extended commitment of 2 years of service is required of each Fellow, after completing all academic training.

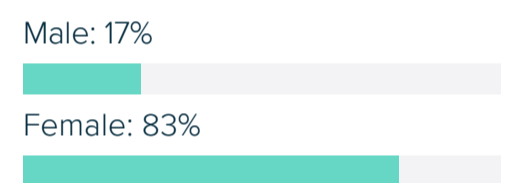


Fellowships

An MFP Fellowship is a professional training appointment into a community of other students and professionals who hold similar professional interests. Indeed, the MFP provides stipends, or living allowances funded by SAMHSA, to students who hold the fellowships. However, we also facilitate leadership development and provide professional guidance with the aim of deepening the skills sets and knowledge base of the fellows in areas related to minority mental health research and services.

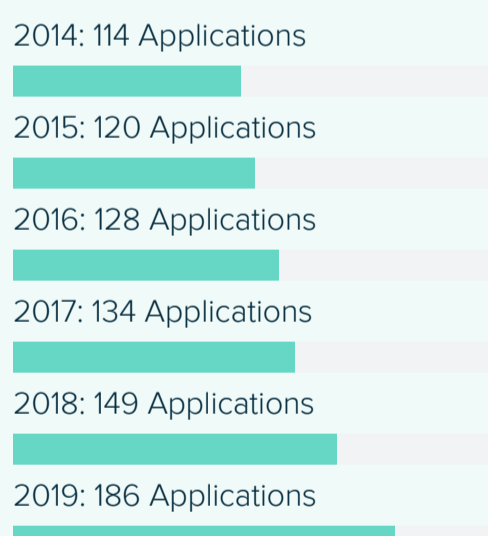
- Masters (Youth) Fellowship
- Doctoral Fellowship
- Dissertation Completion Fellowship

MFP Fellow Gender



Applying for An MFP Fellowship

Application Numbers



Program Benefits

Financial Support
Professional Development
Mentorship
Advocacy*
Diversity
Cultural Competency
Cutting Edge Research
Dissertation Consultation
Networking
Research/Statistical Training
* provided by AAMFT

Who May Apply

- Undergraduate Seniors (social science majors)
- Graduate students (MFT/CFT, Family Therapy, Psychology, Human Development and Consumer Science programs)
- COAMFTE and non-COAMFTE Accredited Programs
- Must be Full-time student (status) during Fellowship year (graduation must be spring/summer)
- Students who desire to practice as an LMFT (sit for LMFT exam) after academic training

Key Funding

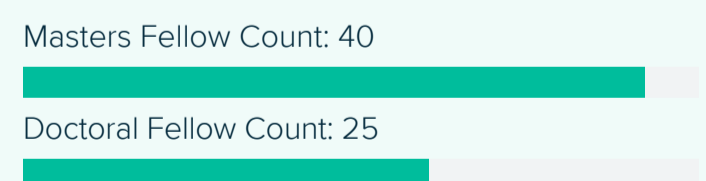
\$7.4 million Projected Funding, SAMHSA (f2023)
\$21,000* Doctoral Fellowship Funding
\$10,000* Dissertation Fellow Funding
\$6,000* Masters (Youth) Fellow Funding

* funding availability is subject to change due to the total financial support from SAMHSA.

Application Materials

- Personal Essays
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- Recommendation Letters
3
- Application Webinars
4 (Optional)
- Dissertation Information
Mixed Methods/Quantitative (If applying for DCF)
- Supplemental Information
Academic Transcripts, GPA, Resume, CV, Cover Letter, Volunteer Experience, Paid Experience
- Application Website
www.aamft.fluidreview.com

Yearly Fellow Count



MFP Engagement Options



Research/Training Presenter
MFP Think Tank
MFP Training Institute
MFP Intensive Training Institute
MFP Online Training Webinars