**Field Log # \_\_**

Student Name:

Agency Name:

Dates Covered:

Use of Time: (in half hour and hour increments)

Please double space all responses!!

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| **Activity** | **Carry Over Hours** | **Current Hours** | **Total for Semester** |
| a. Direct client contact |  |  |  |
| b. Supervision |  |  |  |
| c. Field-related reading |  |  |  |
| d. Recording/documentation |  |  |  |
| e. Community contacts, including meetings with other agency staff |  |  |  |
| f. Observation |  |  |  |
| g. Participation in agency or interagency meetings |  |  |  |
| h. Other (specific activity) |  |  |  |
| Totals |  |  |  |

**Part I. Learning Challenge**  
A. Describe and critically analyze a challenging situation or other significant learning experience you encountered in your agency this week (who, where, what happened; consider the term *challenge* very broadly: it may be something that was very difficult for you or it may be something you had to do for the first time and did without great difficulty).

* 1. What, exactly, made this a challenge or a significant learning experience for you? Were there ethical and/or cultural issues involved? How did you demonstrate you are practicing with cultural competence/humility?
  2. What social work values, theories, or skills do you find related to this situation? Describe how the value, theory, or skills applies.
  3. What action did you take, or what action do you plan to take to meet this challenge? (Be sure to provide a **rationale** for your action or planned action and describe the results of the action if it has already been taken)?
  4. What is your critical analysis of what happened? What did you learn from the situation? What would you do differently if you were to face a similar situation again?
  5. Did you discuss this issue with your supervisor? If so, how did they handle the issue? If not, why not?

B. Were there any other significant observations or experiences? If so, describe what you learned.

C. Additional thoughts or feedback to field liaison?

**Part II. Social Work Concepts**

**Log 1 Policy Action**: Discuss policy issues in your practice setting. What kinds of policies impact your agency and clients? What internal (to your agency) and external (to your agency) policies have you become aware of? What do you think about and how do you feel about these polices? What action could you take internally (to your agency) and externally (to your agency) to help make change in the policies discussed that would benefit clients. Discuss how these actions and changes would have a positive impact on clients.

**Log 2 Multicultural Clinical Practice**: Discuss how cultural awareness, social diversity and multicultural clinical practice were present for you in practice this week. What were some cultural differences or issues that stood out to you? What skills and theories did you use to address multicultural practice and diversity with awareness? How did you use supervision to assist you with multicultural practice?

**Beginning with Log 3,** describe how you were able to utilize one of the following clinical intervention theories/approaches. Over the course of the semester, you will need to address each theory/approach, but you can decide the order in which you write them. In response to this question, you should address each theory/approach only once.

**Strength Based/Solution Focused** theory and/or skills. How successful were you? What would you do differently, if anything? **Describe how you used Strength Based/Solution Focused theory or practice specifically, so that someone reading your log could visualize what you said and did. What modifications did you make in consideration of your client’s cultural or other needs?**

**Motivational Interviewing** theory and/or skills. How successful were you? What would you do differently, if anything? **Describe how you used Motivational Interviewing theory or practice specifically, so that someone reading your log could visualize what you said and did. What modifications did you make in consideration of your client’s cultural or other needs?**

**Cognitive Behavioral** theory and/or skills. How successful were you? What would you do differently, if anything? **Describe how you used Cognitive Behavioral theory or practice specifically, so that someone reading your log could visualize what you said/did. What modifications did you make in consideration of your client’s cultural or other needs?**

**Clinical Approach to Problem Solving/Task Centered** theory and/or skills. How successful were you? What would you do differently, if anything? **Describe how you use a clinical approach to Problem Solving/Task Centered theory or practice specifically, so that someone reading your log could visualize what said/did. What modifications did you make in consideration of your client’s cultural or other needs?**

Choose **only** one: Narrative, Reality, Family Systems, PCIT, DBT, Psychodynamic, Rational Emotive, Gestalt, Psychodrama, Harm Reduction, or Play Therapy) theory and/or skills. How successful were you? What would you do differently, if anything? **Describe how you used this theory or practice specifically, so that someone reading your log could visualize what you said/did. What modifications did you make in consideration of your client’s cultural or other needs?**