

Counseling Intern Job Description

1. As a counseling intern you will be asked to both counsel and/or sit in on counseling sessions with Matt (or another counselor) as he counsels. Either as the counselor or the observer the purpose is twofold:
 - i. Help to give biblically sound and practical counsel during the session.
 - ii. Provide helpful advice to Matt and others on how to counsel more effectively.
2. Depending on experience and training, you may be asked to read several books on biblical counseling during the internship.
3. Meet with a few members in the church, who are currently in or have finished counseling training, in order to help motivate and equip them to greater effectiveness in their counseling. Matt will let you know who to meet with. During your time at Cornerstone, you would want to focus your time with these members on several aspects:
 - i. Motivate them to pursue ACBC certification. Express the importance of training and being equipped to better minister to others.
 - ii. Equip them in how to care for those they are discipling on a regular basis.
4. As a way to better reach out to those who are new to the church we seek to meet with them during the week with the purpose of getting to know where they are with Christ. We want to ensure that the gospel is shared with them and they are invited to one of the home groups as well. We would love your help this summer to meet with some of those who visit the church and we follow up with.
5. Helping in our Evangelism ministry
 - i. Throughout the summer, Cornerstone does door-to-door outreach. We go out in groups of 2-3 for about an hour on a Saturday morning. You might even use this time to help raise up your “Timothy’s” as they come along with you.
 - ii. We also have an outreach where we give away firewood to those in need with the goal of sharing Christ with them. There may be a few times this summer where we will go into the forest to gather the wood.