



What's Happening in the Maps Training Program

The students will begin their orientation at Maps Counseling Services in mid-August 2025. Maps is a 9-12month practicum and internship placement site that supports students in working across the lifespan. We also train Candidates for Licensure who have their masters or doctoral degree and wish to work towards their licensure while at Maps.

Annie Dintino-Cucchi is a doctoral student from the Clinical Psychology Program at Rivier University. Annie has a background as an early childhood special educator as well as a clinical research assistant to the Center for Trauma-Responsive Practice Change. She states that her interest is in "perinatal therapy and providing therapeutic support for young children and families experiencing trauma." Annie will be supervised by Dr. Gina Pasquale.

Allyson Lavoie is a doctoral student from the Clinical Psychology Program at Antioch of New England. Allyson comes with experience in trauma-informed care, relational therapy, and creative interventions. She states that her "experience as a youth theater director has enriched my ability to connect with clients creatively and empathetically, fostering resilience and emotional expression." Allyson will be supervised by Dr. Gina Pasquale.

Randyn Markelon is a master's level student from the Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program at Antioch of New England. Randyn brings experience through her work with regional nonprofits. She states that through her non-profit work "I've gained a deep understanding of our communities unique needs and resources". Randyn will be supervised by Dr. Megan Smith.



Tina Borsa, LCMHC, Training Director and Brandon Turner, MS, Student
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Austin Mabry obtained his masters in Clinical Mental Health Counseling from Antioch New England and is now a Candidate for Licensure working towards his License as a Clinical Mental Health Counselor since June 2025. He brings experience providing immersive mindfulness retreats during his time as a Buddhist monk. Austin has worked in the Monadnock Region serving our community in the field of mental health since 2022. He states that "I feel the greatest impact I have made in our community is working with young men." Austin is being supervised by Tina Borsa, LCMHC.

The training program is grateful to the supervisors who help make this program possible as we train future clinicians!

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Meet Our Clinicians

Meet Thomas Hulslander, PsyD, MA, a license-eligible clinical psychologist who joined Maps Counseling Services in July. Born and raised in Keene, Thomas has traveled internationally for work, but his heart has always belonged to New England—especially the Monadnock region, which he proudly calls home.

Thomas is drawn to the collaborative nature of therapy. "It is rewarding to come alongside someone, to collaborate, and to be curious about behavioral patterns," he says. For him, the most powerful moments happen when this exploration leads to new realizations and genuine change, which he describes as "quite exhilarating."

He is consistently inspired by his clients' resilience and insight, noting, "People often already possess the answers they seek. A good therapist helps facilitate the search, but the answers are already there."

With this belief at the heart of his work, Thomas creates a space where curiosity, respect, and transformation can thrive.

What does your personal grounding look like?

"I spend a lot of time in the woods. Sometimes working to clear a lot for a future home; sometimes just sitting in the quiet of nature."

Do you have any pets?

"Two cats, two dogs. I've always been an animal lover—allergies be damned!"

What is your favorite book and/or movie?

"I can't name favorites because my tastes are eclectic and like so many. I do like foodie movies and I recently "discovered" and thoroughly enjoyed a film called Babette's Feast. I currently have several books going, but the one I am fascinated by is Jung and the Lost Gospels by Hoeller.

What dish would you bring to a Maps Counseling potluck?

"Depends on time of year, I suppose, but my chili is pretty good!"



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