AGENCY NAME: Florida Department of Corrections

ADDRESS: 3101 North Davis Highway

CITY: Pensacola  STATE: FL  ZIP: 32503

Office Hours: 8:00a-5:00p

Purpose or goal of agency:
To enhance public safety, through ensuring appropriate community supervision of offenders, recommending proportionate graduated sanctions when reporting violations in lieu of prison when appropriate, providing assistance to victims, conducting thorough investigations for the court, and reducing crime by assisting offenders with their reentry into society.

Intern duties:
Interns will be expected to complete assignments/ reports as given by the field training officer. The intern will be required to conduct interviews, complete investigations, accompany staff during interviews and other related duties as performed by the certified staff.

Description of what a student would learn from this placement:
The learning opportunities are limitless, in that this job covers a wide range of duties from counseling to the law enforcement spectrum. The student would be expected to work closely with the certified staff to learn every aspect of the job, including the interview process of offenders, as well as, but not limited to the composing of a final report. The interns will learn the process of conducting an investigation as well as the referral process for offenders to other resources. The intern will also learn court processes and court demeanor. The intern will learn about electronic monitoring and how it is utilized in the supervision of offenders. The intern will be exposed to the arrest process of offenders as well as other aspects of the job.

Agency Website:
http://www.dc.state.fl.us/