

## Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

**INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY:** Discipleship Resident (up to 3 positions)

**LOCATION:** [SNAP2Jobs.org](http://SNAP2Jobs.org)

**ABOUT:** *SNAP2jobs is a Denver based 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that helps people on SNAP gain self-sufficiency through workforce training, 1:1 success coaching, and access to a network of employment and life resources. SNAP2Jobs provides a free 4-week online course that equips people with tools and practical strategies essential to taking a next step toward meaningful employment, and provides opportunities for participants to explore their relationship with God. The response thus far has been amazing! More than 200 people have expressed interest in the program – 75 are enrolled, and 25 are exploring their faith.*

*We seek to love our neighbors by offering resources to help overcome:*

- 1. Economic Poverty*
- 2. Relational Poverty*
- 3. Spiritual Poverty*

**TUITION CONSIDERATION:** \$3,000 per semester  
10% tuition discount  
Taxable Living Stipend: No

**ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT:** 8-15 hours per week

**BACKGROUND:**

Currently there are almost 500K people on food stamps in Colorado with nearly 80,000 located in the Denver Tri-County areas alone. Our clients may come from all faiths or no faith. As a new organization, we are seeking to enhance the effectiveness of our training programs, our spiritual outreach and follow-up, and drawing in and training more volunteer coaches.

**POSITION SUMMARY:**

For up to 3 Seminary students to provide deeper follow-up support to our clients who ‘opt-in’ to explore their faith journey; engage with 3 clients as a success coach; and support coach outreach strategies.

## QUALIFICATIONS:

- Aligned – with meeting the needs of people experiencing economic, relational, and spiritual poverty
- A Learner – a person who is open to learning new things about new people
- A Great Listener – a person who hears more than they talk
- A Heart to Serve – a person who values serving others
- Successful workplace experiences
- Students with degrees related to pastoral care, chaplaincy, discipleship, and counseling ministries are preferred.

## RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Provide personal follow-up and create opportunities to develop community with clients exploring their faith
- Engage clients as a success coach through the online 4-week training program
- Engage with management team to enhance client and coach outreach program objectives
- Interns will also be responsible for some administrative tasks, such as keeping records of their work with program participants.

**TO APPLY:** Email a resume and cover letter to:

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### DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM:

By Definition the Residency Program is an Internship and contains the following:

1. *Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;*
2. *This training is for the benefit of the trainee;*
3. *Resident is not a replacement for a regular employee, but works under close observation;*
4. *This program is considered to be of greater value to the trainee than to the employer;*
5. *Trainees are not necessarily entitled to a job at the completion of the program;*
6. *Employer and trainee understand that trainees are not entitled to wages for the time spent in training.*