We are the Change Makers.





DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK







OVERVIEW

Social workers are committed to relieving suffering, affecting social change, and enabling people to overcome obstacles and lead productive lives. They practice in a variety of settings, helping individuals, families, groups, and communities to resolve problems. The program prepares students for both beginning practice and for graduate school. For those going on to graduate school, it is often possible to enter a one-year accelerated master's program.



Pass rate for M.S.W. state licensure **Increase** in full-time M.S.W. students



Low student-to-faculty ratio allows for more individual attention.



Job outlook projected to grow 15% from 2016-2026, much faster than average.

2018-19 SNAPSHOT



3 CAMPUSES 269 ENROLLED STUDENTS

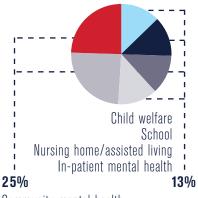
92% Female

46% From historically underrepresented groups

127 DEGREES AWARDED

B.S.W. | M.S.W | PH.D

2016 EMPLOYMENT SURVEY



Community mental health Aging/gerontology

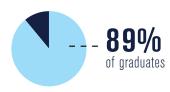
CAREERS

Social workers are needed in a variety of educational, health care, government agency, community, and private practice settings:

Child protective services
Foster care/adoption services
Family preservation services
Hospital social services
Home health care
Specialized medical settings

Public health services
Substance abuse services
Corrections services
Youth court services
Gerontology services
Gero-psychiatric social work

Psychiatric hospital social work Therapeutic group home services Developmentally disabled services School social work Community mental health practice Medical social work in clinics



Found employment within six months of graduation.

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