# COUNCIL ON SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION - FORM AS 4(M) FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY MASTER'S SOCIAL WORK PROGRAM ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Form AS 4(M) A form required for Reaffirmation, Candidacy, and ongoing compliance per AS 4.0.3.

#### Submitting Form AS 4 for Reaffirmation Self-Study & Candidacy Benchmarks

This form is used to assist the Commission on Accreditation in the evaluation of the program's compliance with the accreditation standard below:

**4.0.3:** The program uses Form AS 4(B) and/or Form AS 4(M) to report its most recent assessment outcomes for each program option to constituents and the public on its website and routinely up-dates (minimally every 2 years) its findings.

All programs accredited by the Council on Social Work Education's (CSWE) Commission on Accreditation (COA) are required to measure and report student learning outcomes. All students are assessed using a minimum of two measures on their mastery of the nine competencies that comprise the Educational Policy and Accreditation Standards (EPAS) and any additional competencies programs may choose to add. These holistic competencies reflect the dimensions (knowledge, values, skills, and cognitive & affective processes) of social work practice that all social workers are expected to master during their professional training.

Programs determine a percentage-based benchmark for each competency and determine an outcome-measure benchmark (minimum score) for each measure. The competency benchmark (which can differ for each competency) represents the minimum percent of students the program expects to have achieved the outcome measure benchmarks in both/all measures for each of the nine competencies. The program then determines the percentage of students that attained each outcome measure (e.g., minimum score or higher), and aggregates the percentages for both/all measures together to obtain the percentage of students demonstrating competence inclusive of two (2) or more measures. The result of aggregating both/all outcome measure percentages provides the percentage of students achieving the competency benchmark. An aggregated percentage at or above the competency benchmark is considered achievement of that competency. If the program has more than one program option, the program must report data for each program option, and also an aggregate of all program options combined to determine an overall percentage of students across all program options achieving the competency benchmark.

#### Posting Form AS 4 for Ongoing Compliance with AS 4.0.3

Per the requirement of CSWE COA's recognizing body, the Council on Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA), and accreditation standard 4.0.3, programs must post this form publicly on its website and routinely up-date (minimally every 2 years) its findings. Upon request, programs must provide CSWE with the weblink to the published form on the program's website where it is accessible to the public. Data presented on the form must be collected within 2 years of today's date at all times.

## Summary of the Program's Assessment Plan | Specialized Practice

Assessment Measure #1: Student Performance Field Practicum Evaluation						
Dimension(s) assessed:	Skills, Knowledge					
When/where students are assessed:	SWRK 656: SWRK Field Instruction					
Who assessed student competence:	Field Instructor					
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for	3/5					
Competencies 1-9:						
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have	90%					
achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:						
Assessment Measure #2: Social Work Education Assessme	nt Project's (SWEAP)					
Dimension(s) assessed:	Knowledge					
When/where students are assessed:	The last semester of the MSW					
	program					
Who assessed student competence:	SWEAP Program Assessment					
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for	Above the national average					
Competencies 1-9:						
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have	80%					
achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:						
Assessment Measure #3: Children and Family Services Conc	entration Assessment					
Dimension(s) assessed:	Knowledge					
When/where students are assessed:	SWRK 656: SWRK Field Instruction					
Who assessed student competence:	Field Instructor					
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for	Students must select the correct responses for					
Competencies 1-9:	each competency.					
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have	80%					
achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:						
Assessment Measure #4: Mental Health and Substance Abuse Concentration Assessment						
Dimension(s) assessed:	Knowledge					

When/where students are assessed:	SWRK 656: SWRK Field Instruction
Who assessed student competence:	Field Instructor
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for	Students must select the correct responses for
Competencies 1-9:	each competency.
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have	80%
achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	

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## Assessment Data Collected during the Academic Year (2020-2021) Program Option #1: (Fayetteville State University Campus/Face-to-Face)

COMPETENCY	COMPETENCY BENCHMARK (%) (GENERALIST)	COMPETENCY BENCHMARK (AREA OF SPECIALIZED PRACTICE)	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS ACHIEVING BENCHMARK		
			Generalist Practice	Area of Specialized Practice #1 (Children and Family Services)	Area of Specialized Practice #2 (Mental Health and Substance Abuse)
			n = (60)	n = (15)	n = (17)
Demonstrate	will demonstrate	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	97%	97%	97%

Professional Behavior					
Competency 2: Engage Diversity	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	97%	97%	97%
Social, Economic,	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	99 %	100 %	99 %
Competency 4: Engage in Practice-informed Research and Research- informed Practice	this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	81 %	93 %	83 %
Engage in Policy Practice	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	81 %	80 %	82 %
Families, Groups, Organizations, and Communities		80% of students will demonstrate this competency	92 %	97 %	92 %
Individuale		80% of students will demonstrate this competency	95 %	100 %	96 %

individuals,	this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	94 %	100 %	94 %
and Communities	will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	88 %	84 %	89 %
Any additional Competency(ies) Developed by the Program					
Children and Family Services Specialized Practice Competencies					
Competency 1: Apply advanced knowledge and skills and be a catalyst for change for collaboration in family and children practice settings within civilian and military communities		80% of students will demonstrate this competency		74 %	

Competency 2: Apply differentially the knowledge, skills, and values in leadership and advocacy within rural, urban and military communities and organizations from a multicultural perspective	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	84 %	
Competency 3: Conduct advanced family and children policy analysis and practice	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	81 %	
Competency 4: Apply knowledge and skills of advanced practice with families and children	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	83 %	
Competency 5: Conduct, evaluate, critically analyze and utilize qualitative and quantitative research and evaluation at an	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	89 %	

advanced level of collaboration in family and community practice settings			
Competency 6: Utilize and provide supervision and consultation in the delivery of advanced practice with families and children	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	90 %	
Mental Health and Substance Abuse Specialized Practice Competencies			
Competency 1: Apply advanced knowledge and skills and be a catalyst for change for collaboration in mental health and substance abuse practice settings	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		85 %
Competency 2: Apply differentially the knowledge,	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		86 %

skills, and values in leadership and advocacy within rural, urban and military communities and organizations from a multicultural perspective			
Competency 3: Conduct advanced mental health and substance abuse policy analysis and practice	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		86 %
Competency 4: Apply knowledge and skills of advanced practice in mental health and substance abuse settings	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		64 %
Competency 5: Conduct, evaluate, critically analyze and utilize qualitative and quantitative research and evaluation at an advanced level of collaboration in	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		86 %

mental health and substance abuse practice settings			
Competency 6: Utilize and provide supervision and consultation in the delivery of advanced practice in mental health and substance abuse settings	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		87 %

# OVERALL ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES (Aggregate Findings for All Students from All Program Options Combined)

### **Assessment Data Collected during the Academic Year (2020-2021)**

COMPETENCY	COMPETENCY BENCHMARK (%) (GENERALIST)	COMPETENCY BENCHMARK (AREA OF SPECIALIZED PRACTICE)	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS ACHIEVING BENCHMARK		
			Generalist Practice	Area of Specialized Practice #1 (Children and Family Services)	Area of Specialized Practice #2 (Mental Health and Substance Abuse)
			n = (60	n = (15)	n = (17)
I Demonstrate	will demonstrate	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	97%	97%	97%
Competency 2: Engage Diversity and Difference in Practice	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	97%	97%	97%
Competency 3: Advance Human Rights and Social, Economic, and	will demonstrate	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	99 %	100 %	99 %

Environmental Justice					
Research and	this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	81 %	93 %	83 %
Engage in Policy	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	81 %	80 %	82 %
Individuale	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	92 %	97 %	92 %
Individuale	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	95 %	100 %	96 %
Individuals,	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	94 %	100 %	94 %
with Individuals	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	88 %	84 %	89 %

Organizations, and Communities Any additional Competency(ies) Developed by the Program			
Children and Family Services Specialized Practice Competencies			
Competency 1: Apply advanced knowledge and skills and be a catalyst for change for collaboration in family and children practice settings within civilian and military communities	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	74 %	
Competency 2: Apply differentially the knowledge, skills, and values in leadership and advocacy within rural, urban and military communities and organizations from	80% of students will demonstrate this competency	84 %	

a multicultural perspective				
Competency 3: Conduct advanced family and children policy analysis and practice	wi	0% of students ill demonstrate is competency	81 %	
Competency 4: Apply knowledge and skills of advanced practice with families and children	wi	0% of students ill demonstrate is competency	83 %	
Competency 5: Conduct, evaluate, critically analyze and utilize qualitative and quantitative research and evaluation at an advanced level of collaboration in family and community practice settings	wi	0% of students ill demonstrate is competency	89 %	
Competency 6: Utilize and provide supervision and consultation in the	wi	0% of students ill demonstrate is competency	90 %	

delivery of advanced practice with families and children			
Mental Health and Substance Abuse Specialized Practice Competencies			
Competency 1: Apply advanced knowledge and skills and be a catalyst for change for collaboration in mental health and substance abuse practice settings	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		85 %
Competency 2: Apply differentially the knowledge, skills, and values in leadership and advocacy within rural, urban and military communities and organizations from a multicultural perspective	80% of students will demonstrate this competency		86 %

Competency 3: Conduct advanced mental health and substance abuse policy analysis and practice	w	0% of students vill demonstrate his competency		86 %
Competency 4: Apply knowledge and skills of advanced practice in mental health and substance abuse settings	w	0% of students vill demonstrate his competency		64 %
Competency 5: Conduct, evaluate, critically analyze and utilize qualitative and quantitative research and evaluation at an advanced level of collaboration in mental health and substance abuse practice settings	w	0% of students vill demonstrate his competency		86 %
Competency 6: Utilize and provide supervision and consultation in the delivery of advanced practice	w	0% of students vill demonstrate his competency		87 %

in mental health and substance abuse settings			

Link to the form on the FSU School of Social Work website: