

## Field Placement Learning Objectives and Practice Behaviors

BSW & MSW Generalist (1 <sup>st</sup> Year)	Advanced Standing & MSW Clinical (2 <sup>nd</sup> Year)	Social Leadership Concentration (Main Campus only)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Observe and participate in conducting interviews and comprehensive assessments with individuals/families</li> <li>• Conduct community needs assessments</li> <li>• Develop professional documentation and communication skills</li> <li>• Provide referrals to community resources</li> <li>• Attend and participate in interdisciplinary staff meetings</li> <li>• Attend and participate in community meetings</li> <li>• Discuss how legislation impacts agency programs</li> <li>• Demonstrate professional behavior in written/oral communication and interactions with staff and clients</li> <li>• Review the NASW Code of Ethics</li> <li>• Co-facilitate/facilitate groups</li> <li>• Engage in innovative thinking and problem-solving to advance social work practice</li> <li>• Learn evidence-based practices and evaluation processes</li> <li>• Engage in advocacy at the micro, mezzo, and macro level practice</li> <li>• Understand leadership roles and responsibilities within the agency</li> <li>• Develop and practice professional boundaries and self-care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Integrate generalist level skills with clinical practice skills</li> <li>• Observe, participate in, and lead individual, couples, and/or family therapy sessions</li> <li>• Facilitate or co-facilitate group therapy sessions</li> <li>• Conduct biopsychosocial assessments</li> <li>• Administer additional assessment tools and self-report measures to monitor progress</li> <li>• Complete documentation of services</li> <li>• Perform crisis intervention and other risk assessments</li> <li>• Engage in treatment planning</li> <li>• Demonstrate professional use of self with clients through clinical techniques and professional boundaries</li> <li>• Apply ethical decision-making skills to issues specific to clinical social work</li> <li>• Communicate professional judgments to other social workers and collaborate with other professionals to coordinate treatment interventions</li> <li>• Critically select, apply, and evaluate best practices and evidence-based interventions</li> <li>• Recognize and manage personal biases</li> <li>• Research and apply knowledge of diverse populations</li> <li>• Advocate for the creation and revision of practices and tools that support anti-oppressive practice</li> <li>• Use the evidence-based practice process in clinical assessment and intervention with clients</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participate in agency and coalition meetings</li> <li>• Develop positive relationships with stakeholders and community partners</li> <li>• Conduct community needs assessments</li> <li>• Become familiar with community resources and how to access services</li> <li>• Assist with community education and awareness campaigns</li> <li>• Engage in community outreach efforts</li> <li>• Assist with grant writing</li> <li>• Organize advocacy efforts</li> <li>• Monitor, track, and analyze proposed legislation</li> <li>• Create policy briefs</li> <li>• Utilize statistical software to analyze data in quantitative and qualitative research projects</li> <li>• Conduct focus groups and surveys</li> <li>• Engage in program development, monitoring, and evaluation</li> <li>• Assist with developing annual reports</li> <li>• Create annotated bibliographies</li> <li>• Write literature reviews</li> <li>• Attend relevant conferences</li> <li>• Write articles, briefs, and/or blogs</li> <li>• Develop training and/or curriculum</li> <li>• Create infographics</li> <li>• Propose solutions to organizational barriers and engage in solution-focused conversations with supervisors</li> <li>• Obtain, analyze, and engage in feedback regarding agency budget, funding sources, and overall fiscal health</li> </ul>