ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Ohio University Social Work Program offers an MSW program that emphasizes service in rural environments and has been fully accredited since 2002. The advanced curriculum of the MSW program builds upon foundation content, integrating a focus of clinical practice with advanced field placement commensurate with a clinical concentration. The full time program leads to the MSW degree in two years.

The MSW is one of the top 10 growth fields of the 21st Century and is the practice degree held by 60% of all mental health professionals in the U.S.

Applications are due by January 14th.

For program admission requirements, visit: Social Work Requirements

PROGRAM GOALS

The MSW curriculum is designed to integrate all curricular areas mandated by the Council on Social Work Education. This design incorporates an integrated foundation curriculum, focusing on micro-, mezzo-, and macro practice, human behavior in the social environment, a history and contemporary understanding of social policy and the profession of social work with a foundation field experience.

RESEARCH/CREATIVE ACTIVITY AREAS

The two-semester research sequence during the advanced year of the MSW program requires that all students conduct a significant research project to assess an aspect of clinical field practice based upon practice, human behavior, policy and administrative theory and prior research as appropriate using quantitative and/or qualitative statistical software to analyze their data. Students present their research findings at the Research & Creativity Expo and during the program sponsored Spring Awards Ceremony.

MSW DEGREE OPTIONS

ADVANCED STANDING PROGRAM OPTION

Consideration is given only to those undergraduate social work graduates with superior academic standing and exceptional references.

2-YEAR FULL-TIME PROGRAM OPTION

There are 3- and 4-year part time MSW programs.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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