

Abilene Christian University BACCALAUREATE SOCIAL WORK PROGRAM

ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

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Form AS4 (B) Duplicate and expand as needed. Provide table(s) to support self -study narrative addressing the *accreditation standards* below.

This form is used to assist the COA in the evaluation of the program's compliance with the accreditation standards below:

4.0.2 The program provides its most recent year of summary data and outcomes for the assessment of each of the identified competencies, specifying the percentage of students achieving program benchmarks for each program option.

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 Council on Social Work Education programs measure and report student learning outcomes. Students are assessed on their mastery of the competencies that comprise the accreditation standards of the Council on Social Work Education. These competencies are dimensions of social work practice that all social workers are expected to master during their professional training. A measurement benchmark is set by the social work programs for each competency. An assessment score at or above that benchmark is considered by the program to represent mastery of that particular competency.

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COMPETENCY	COMPETENCY BENCHMARK	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS ACHIEVING BENCHMARK			
		Program Option #1 (identify campus/delivery method)	Program Option #2 (identify campus/delivery method)	Program Option #3 (identify campus/delivery method)	Aggregate of All Program Options
Competency 1: Demonstrate Ethical and Professional Behavior	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Competency 2: Engage Diversity and Difference in Practice	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Competency 3: Advance Human Rights and Social, Economic, and Environmental Justice	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Competency 4: Engage In Practice-informed Research and Research-informed Practice	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100

Competency 5: Engage in Policy Practice	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	90			90
Competency 6: Engage with Individuals, Families, Groups, Organizations, and Communities	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Competency 7: Assess Individuals, Families, Groups, Organizations, and Communities	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Competency 8: Intervene with Individuals, Families, Groups, Organizations, and Communities	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Competency 9: Evaluate Practice with Individuals, Families, Groups, Organizations, and Communities	80% to achieve mean score of 3.5 on a 5-point scale on minimum of two measures on each behavioral indicator for the competency.	100			100
Any Additional Competency(ies) Developed by the Program		ACU residential program, face-to-face delivery.			

Competency was measured based on a 5 point scale for each area, with 3.5 (70) indicating demonstration of competency. Certain “artifacts,” assignments, or behaviors were measured using a rubric on a 5 point scale to measure each competency.

*N = 20