# **ACADEMIC LEARNING COMPACT**

## Social Work, M.S.W.

#### **Mission Statement**

The mission of the social work program is to prepare beginning generalist social work practitioners who demonstrate and practice the critical thinking skills, values, ethics, and knowledge delineated by the CSWE guidelines and the NASW Code of Ethics.

#### **Student Learning Outcomes**

UWF Social Work MSW degree graduates should be able to do the following:

#### Content

- Critically appraise social work theories as they pertain to working with individuals, families, groups, communities, and organizations.
- Analyze social and economic justice issues and the ingredients that constitute human rights.

## **Critical Thinking**

- Critically analyze interventions, programs processes, and outcomes to improve practice with individuals, families, groups and communities at all levels.
- Integrate cultural, gender, and other special life circumstances into social work practice.

#### Communication

• Communicate social work interventions at the individual, family, group, community, and organizational levels during experiential learning, case presentations, and written documents.

# **Integrity/Values**

- Evaluate ethical values or dilemmas.
- Demonstrate professional behavior in accordance with NASW Code of Conduct.

### **Assessment of Student Learning Outcomes**

Assessment will be conducted through the Foundation Curriculum Assessment Instrument (FCAI), the foundation field instrument and a capstone assignment rubric.

#### **Job Prospects for Social Work MSW Graduates**

- Child Protective Services
- Adoption Agencies & Foster Care Programs
- Schools and Day Care Centers
- Mental Health Centers
- Alcohol/Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment Programs
- Courts and Detention Programs
- Teen Counseling and Justice Centers

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