

Traditional Learning Opportunities for OU Practicum Students

BSW/FY Learning Activities:

- Compilation of community resources
- Attendance at board or task force meetings
- Inter-professional involvement
- Multi-disciplinary team participation
- NASW or other professional educational experience
- Diverse, cultural, or other special populations
- Application of critical thinking and HBSE theory
- Practice with clients: engagement, assessment, intervention, and evaluation
- Oral and written professional communication opportunities
- Data collection and/or evidence-based practice models
- Exploration of relevant social policy impact
- Client advocacy for justice
- Research client resources, assessment methods, evidence-based practices and research issues related to clients

Concentration Year Learning Activities:

- Assessments
- Treatment/Case planning
- Advanced case management
- Intervention/Implementation of treatment/Case plans
- Evaluation of outcomes
- Client documentation
- Organize/Participate in community meetings, case conferences, multidisciplinary team meetings, etc.
- Administration
- Budgeting/Funding development
- Community planning, development, organization
- Policy analysis, development, implementation
- Advocacy/Political advocacy/Governmental relations/Electoral politics
- Public relations
- Program development, evaluation, management
- Research client resources, assessment methods, evidence-based practices and research issues related to clients