

LEARNING AGENDA
SWK 651 & 652 - FIELD WORK III & IV
PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT, POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION

I. Basic Information

- A. Student name
- B. Field placement agency, address and phone
- C. Field Instructor name, title, education, and telephone number

II. Schedule

- A. Placement days and hours
- B. Beginning date
- C. Estimated ending date of placement

III. Formal Program Objectives: *(To be developed by the individual student within each of the following areas)*

Objective 1: [Develop an objective related to social justice]

Use the following to guide the development of tasks to meet the objective:

What do you need to learn about the agency, its mission, its community, the population served, the history, political base, demographics, etc that allows you to identify and analyze the pertinent social justice issues?

Objective 2: [Develop an objective related to knowledge of the agency and community]

Use the following to guide the development of tasks to meet the objective:

What do you need to learn and understand in regards to the agency's structure, programs, mission, laws and regulations, etc? How does the community and agency's mission intersect or conflict? What are the resources?

Objective 3: [An objective related to using theory and social work skills in agency practice]

Use the following to guide the development of tasks to meet the objective:

Identify skills and tasks related to practice in program development, policy and administration. Must be able to identify a theoretical framework and corresponding practice methods that are considered standard practice. This objective must also include tasks related to writing skills appropriate to the placement. The theories and skills must demonstrate sensitivity to the issues of race, gender, sexual orientation, religion/spirituality, ableness.

Objective 4: [An objective related to personal and professional growth in the social work profession]

Use the following to guide the development of tasks to meet the objective:

Identify growth areas and those areas that are strengths related to self as a practitioner. This should encompass not only practice skills but the awareness of personal biases.

Objective 5: [Develop an objective related to colleagues]

Use the following to guide the development of tasks to meet the objective:

Developing working relationships with colleagues and other professionals in the field agency. What skills will you develop and what tasks will assist specific to teaming?

Objective 6: [Develop an objective related to field instruction]

Use the following to guide the development of tasks to meet the objective:

How you will use supervision to develop and understand your role and skills as a social worker?

Student _____ Date: _____

Field Instructor _____ Date: _____

Faculty Field Liaison _____ Date: _____