

**School of Social Work
University of Pittsburgh**

**MSW CURRICULUM GUIDE
(COSA – Community, Organization, and Social Action)**

Projected Program of Studies

Student's Name: _____ Projected Graduation Date: _____

Advisor's Name: _____

STATUS: _____ Full-Time _____ Part-Time FOCUS AREA: _____ (Human Services Management)

Advanced Standing – Eighteen credits (12 class; 6 field) is maximum for accredited BASW Programs. Twelve credits is maximum from Continuing Education or other post-baccalaureate programs. Enter Total Advanced Standing Credits, Name of Institution, and date degree conferred below. For any advanced standing and/or exemption, please check online advisement or the student's file in the Recorder's Office to ensure that appropriate forms have been completed and enter under appropriate courses below with the date completed.

<u>Total Credits</u>	<u>Name of Institution</u>	<u>Date Degree Completed</u>

Descriptive Statistics Prerequisite Completed? _____ Yes _____ No
(Must be fulfilled prior to enrollment in first term of MSW Program)

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Catalog Number</u>	<u>Generalist Requirements*</u>	<u>Term</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Grade Earned</u>
SWRES	<u>2021</u>	<u>Generalist Social Work Research</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWGEM	<u>2034</u>	<u>Social Work Practice w/ Diverse Populations</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWBEH	<u>2063</u>	<u>Human Behavior in the Social Environment</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWWEL	<u>2081</u>	<u>Social Welfare</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWGEM	<u>2098</u>	<u>Generalist Social Work Practice</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____

*Prerequisites for Specialized Practice Area requirements and for 2nd level required courses

<u>Specialized Practice Area Requirements</u>					
SWCOSA	<u>2084</u>	<u>Intro to Social Administration</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWCOSA	<u>2088</u>	<u>Community Organizing & Planning</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWCOSA	_____	<u>COSA Elective</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
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<u>2nd Level Required Courses</u>					
SWRES	_____	<u>2nd Research</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWBEH	<u>2008</u>	<u>2nd Human Behavior: Urban Environment</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____
SWWEL	<u>2087</u>	<u>2nd Social Welfare: Organizations & Public Policy</u>	_____	<u>3</u>	_____

(OVER)

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Catalog Number</u>	<u>Fieldwork</u>	<u>Term</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Grade Earned</u>
First Placement - Generalist Placement (6 credits total)					
SWGEM	2099	Generalist Fieldwork		3	
SWGEM	2099	Generalist Fieldwork		3	
Second Placement – Specialized Practice Area Placement (12 credits total)					
SWCOSA	2099	COSA Fieldwork		6	
SWCOSA	2099	COSA Fieldwork		6	
SWCOSA	2099	COSA Fieldwork			
SWCOSA	2099	COSA Fieldwork			
<u>General Electives (Include Certificate courses, if selected)</u>					

TOTAL REQUIREMENTS: 42 class + 18 fieldwork

All students must complete requirements of the generalist curriculum, specialized practice area curriculum, and 2nd level human behavior, social welfare, and research. Completion of certificate program requirements are optional and may extend total class credits beyond the minimum of 42.

Approved for Graduation:

 Advisor's Signature Date

 Student's Signature Date

5/2019

NOTE: Please refer to the Student Handbook for requirements regarding each of the certificate programs.