

Application Form

Masters of Social Work Program

Name _____

This form must be completed by all applicants to the UMD Masters of Social Work (MSW) Program. Information on the undergraduate degree and grade point average will be taken from transcripts; interest in social work can be reflected in the personal statement and reference letters; and information on academic preparation is also requested in the reference letters. You will have the opportunity to provide specific information on other admissions criteria below.

1. Are you applying for the 51 credit advanced standing program? (please check one)

___ no

___ yes — please list school from which you received an accredited BSW degree:

2. Prerequisite requirements include completion of at least 27 quarter credits (18 semester credits) in the social sciences in two or more disciplines; human biology and statistics are enrollment prerequisites. Please list the information on social science and enrollment prerequisites below:

	Course Number	Number of Credits	Course Title	Term Completed	College or University
a. Social Sciences (27 quarter credits required)					

b. Enrollment prerequisites

human biology					
statistics					

3. Applicants with professional experience in the human services are given some preference in admissions. Please list your paid and volunteer experiences in the human services below and describe these experiences more fully in your personal statement.

Paid Experience

Position Title	Position Duties	Begin Date (mo/yr)	End Date (mo/yr)	Average hours worked per week
<u><i>Sample title</i></u>	<u><i>Sample position duties</i></u>	<u><i>7/94</i></u>	<u><i>8/95</i></u>	<u><i>32</i></u>
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Volunteer Experience

Position Title	Position Duties	Begin Date (mo/yr)	End Date (mo/yr)	Average hours worked per week
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4. Sometimes special circumstances occur during an applicant's undergraduate experience result in a lower grade point average than one would have hoped to achieve. In the space provided below, please describe any special circumstances that you would like the admissions committee to consider:

5. Special consideration is given to persons based on experience working with under-represented or protected classes. Please describe any special consideration you are requesting in the space provided below: