

# SOCIAL WORK DEGREE



School of Social Work

## Specialized Areas of Practice

- Mental Health
- Policy; legislation
- Child Welfare
- Domestic Violence
- Gerontology & Aging
- Anti-Human Trafficking & Exploitation
- Equality and Social Justice
- Forensics
- Substance Abuse
- Veterans
- Community Organizing
- Administrative & Management
- Crisis Intervention
- Adolescents and Family
- Health Care

## What is Social Work?

Social work is a profession devoted to helping people overcome challenges they face in everyday life. Social workers adhere to ethical principles based on social work core values. A professional degree in Social Work expands job opportunities as many jobs require an advanced social work degree.

## Where do Social Workers Work?

- Schools
- Behavioral Health programs
- Clinical Settings
- Mental Health Agencies
- Family Counseling Centers
- Child Therapy Clinics
- Court System
- Correctional Facilities
- Crisis Centers
- Colleges & Universities
- Treatment Facilities
- Hospitals
- Research Institutes
- Shelters
- Foster Family Agencies
- Non-profit organizations
- Private Practice Settings
- Public Child Welfare Agencies

## Social Work Degrees offered at CSUSB



**BASW:** The Bachelor of Arts in Social Work (BASW) is an entry-level degree in the profession of Social Work. Our CSWE accredited BASW program is an exciting and highly structured program that prepares students for employment as social workers in a variety of agencies and settings, along with further education in social work and related fields.

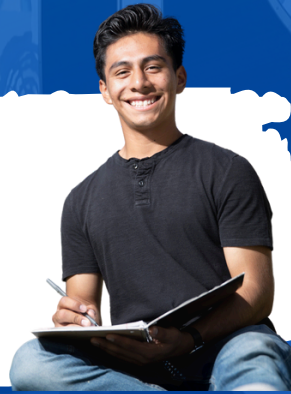


**MSW:** The Master of Social Work (MSW) degree is designed to prepare advanced social work practitioners as change agents in complex situations, leaders, and interprofessional and interagency collaborators. The MSW program emphasizes the National Association of Social Workers' core social work values, professionalism, and excellence in critical analysis.

**Offered at  
San Bernardino  
Campus and Palm  
Desert Campus**

California State University, San Bernardino School of Social Work offers social work degree programs at both campuses, the Palm Desert Campus and the San Bernardino Campus. Students can obtain a Bachelor of Social Work Degree (BASW) and a Master of Social Work Degree (MSW) at either campus. All social work students will receive education and training both in the classroom and at a practicum site.

**READY  
TO  
APPLY?**



Interested applicants must apply and be admitted to both the University and the School of Social Work

Apply to: BASW Program



Apply to: MSW Program



## Bachelor of Social Work (BASW) Degree Program

New students are admitted each Fall. Interested applicants must apply and be accepted to both the University and the School of Social Work for consideration. Current students and transfer students should plan to complete their social work application in the Fall Semester of their Sophomore year.

## Master of Social Work (MSW) Degree Program

The MSW Advanced Standing Program admits new students in the Summer. All other MSW degree options admit each Fall term.

## Practicum Education

Practicum education courses run concurrently with the Bachelor's of Social Work (BASW) Degree Program and the Master's (MSW) Degree Program. Practicum Education includes practicum placement, seminar, and professional events that are designed to create a learning experience that allows students to apply theory and demonstrate skills learned in the classroom.

## MSW Degree Options

- MSW Advanced Standing (1 year) , 35 units
- MSW Advanced Standing (2 year), 35 units
- Two year MSW program, 60 units
- Three year MSW program, 60 units
- Master of Social Work and Public Administration Concurrent Degrees Program, 73 units

On campus and online options



### San Bernardino Campus

5500 University Parkway, San Bernardino, CA  
Social Work Office: Social Behavioral Science  
(SB-423)



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### Palm Desert Campus

37500 Cook St, Palm Desert, CA  
Social Work Office: Roger Gateway (RG-211)

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