WTAMU SOCIAL WORK FAQS

When should I apply to the program?

• When you have completed courses: SOCW 2315, SOCW 2361, SOCW 3301, and SOCW 3302, AND have your core classes completed, you can apply to the social work program. If you are in the semester of finishing the aforementioned, you can apply to the program. Sequencing is very important (see back page for a flow chart). Acceptance into the program is mandatory to register for practice courses: SOCW 4310, SOCW4341, SOCW 4383, SOCW 4688/4698

What if I have core classes left to take?

• You should take those classes prior to applying to the program. Applications to the program are accepted each full semester. If you are scheduled to take SOCW 4383, 4310, or 4341, you must be in the program before being registered into those classes.

I don't have a 2.50 GPA. What should I do?

• You will not be admitted to the program until your GPA reaches 2.50. You may need to retake courses to increase your GPA.

What do I need to apply to the program?

- You can find an application form on our webpage: <u>http://www.wtamu.edu/academics/social-work-program.aspx</u>
- Two letters of reference and an unofficial transcript (found in Buff Advisor Student Planning).
- Your proposed plan of study (accessible in Buff Advisor Student Planning)
- Review and signature of Academic Integrity Pledge in application form
- An updated degree plan

When do I need to and how do I file for a degree plan?

• When you have reached 45 credit hours, you need to apply for a degree plan. You can file online at: <u>https://apps.wtamu.edu/forms/degree.php</u>. If you are unsure of your catalog year, refer to Student Planning in Buff Advisor.

When are program applications accepted?

• Applications will indicate due dates, as they depend on the semester for which you are applying. Late applications *will not* be accepted!

Other information:

You can access the BSW Program Manual and information about field practicum on the program webpage.

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We are honored to have you in our program!

Overall Structure of the Social Work Program

