# COUNCIL ON SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION - FORM AS 4(B) (George Fox University) BACCALAUREATE SOCIAL WORK PROGRAM ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Form AS 4(B): A form required for Reaffirmation, Candidacy, and ongoing compliance per AS 4.0.3.

#### Submitting Form AS 4 for Reaffirmation Self-Study & Candidacy Benchmarks

This form is used to assist the COA in the evaluation of the program's compliance with the accreditation standard below:

**4.0.3:** The program uses Form AS 4(B) and/or Form AS 4(M) to report its most recent assessment outcomes for each program option to constituents and the public on its website and routinely up-dates (minimally every 2 years) its findings.

All programs accredited by the Council on Social Work Education's Commission on Accreditation (COA) are required to measure and report student learning outcomes. All students are assessed using a minimum of two measures on their mastery of the nine competencies that comprise the Educational Policy and Accreditation Standards (EPAS) and any additional competencies programs may choose to add. These holistic competencies reflect the dimensions (knowledge, values, skills, and cognitive & affective processes) of social work practice that all social workers are expected to master during their professional training.

Programs determine a percentage-based benchmark for each competency and determine an outcome-measure benchmark (minimum score) for each measure. The competency benchmark (which can differ for each competency) represents the minimum percent of students the program expects to have achieved the outcome measure benchmarks in both/all measures for each of the nine competencies. The program then determines the percentage of students that attained each outcome measure (e.g., minimum score or higher), and aggregates the percentages for both/all measures together to obtain the percentage of students demonstrating competence inclusive of two (2) or more measures. The result of aggregating both/all outcome measure percentages provides the percentage of students achieving the competency benchmark. An aggregated percentage at or above the competency benchmark is considered achievement of that competency. If the program has more than one program option, the program must report data for each program option, and also an aggregate of all program options combined to determine an overall percentage of students across all program options achieving the competency benchmark.

### Posting Form AS 4 for Ongoing Compliance with AS 4.0.3

Per the requirement of CSWE COA's recognizing body, the Council on Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA), and accreditation standard 4.0.3, programs must post this form publicly on its website and routinely up-date (minimally every 2 years) its findings. Upon request, programs must provide CSWE with the weblink to the published form on the program's website where it is accessible to the public. Data presented on the form must be collected within 2 years of today's date at all times.

### Summary of the Program's Assessment Plan | Generalist Practice

All students are assessed using a minimum of two measures on their mastery of the nine competencies that comprise the Educational Policy and Accreditation Standards of the Council on Social Work Education and any additional competencies programs may choose to add. Summarize the program's competency-based assessment plan. Programs may add/delete rows to accurately reflect the number measures included in the data presented.

Assessment Measure #1: Field Internship Final Evaluation (Competencies 1-10)					
Dimension(s) assessed:	Values				
	Skills				
	C/A Process				
When/where students are assessed:	End of Spring Semester of Senior				
	Year				
Who assessed student competence:	Agency Field Instructor				
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-	3				
10:					
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the	90%				
minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-10:					
Assessment Measure #2: Know Thyself Reflection Paper (Compet	ency 1)				
Dimension(s) assessed:	Cognitive/Affective				
When/where students are assessed:	Fall Semester Junior Year				
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course				
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-	3				
9:					
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the	90%				
minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:					
Assessment Measure #3: Social Justice Framework Paper (Competency 2 &3)					
Dimension(s) assessed:	Knowledge (Comp. 2)				
	Cognitive/Affective (Comp. 3)				
When/where students are assessed:	Fall Semester Junior Year				
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course				
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-	3				
9:					
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the	90%				
minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:					

Assessment Measure #4: Research Proposal and Literature Review (Competency 4)				
Dimension(s) assessed:	Cognitive/Affective			
When/where students are assessed:	Fall Semester Senior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			
Assessment Measure #5: Policy Brief (Competency 5)				
Dimension(s) assessed:	Skills			
When/where students are assessed:	Fall Semester Senior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			
Assessment Measure #6: Social Policy Analysis (Competency	(5)			
Dimension(s) assessed:	Cognitive/Affective			
When/where students are assessed:	Fall Semester of Senior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the	90%			
minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:				
Assessment Measure #7: Workbook Case Studies (Competency 6-9: I	ndividuals)			
Dimension(s) assessed:	Knowledge (Comp. 6-9) Skills (Compt. 6-9)			
When/where students are assessed:	Fall Semester Junior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			

Assessment Measure #8: Take Home Final and In-Class Role Play (Competency 6-9: Families)				
Dimension(s) assessed:	Knowledge (Comp. 6) Skills (Comp. 7) Cognitive/Affective (Comp. 8) Values (Compt. 9)			
When/where students are assessed:	Spring Junior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			
Assessment Measure #9: Theory Based Group Design Project (Competer	ncy 6-9: Groups)			
Dimension(s) assessed:	Skills (Compt. 6, 9) Knowledge (Comp. 7, 8)			
When/where students are assessed:	Spring Semester Junior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			
Assessment Measure #10: Agency Analysis Paper (Competency 6-9: C	organizations)			
Dimension(s) assessed:	Cognitive/Affective (Comp. 6, 9) Knowledge (Comp. 7, 8)			
When/where students are assessed:	Spring Semester Senior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			
Assessment Measure #11: Community Evaluation and Change Innovation Project (Co	mpetency 6-9: Communities)			
Dimension(s) assessed:	Skills (Compt. 6-9)			
When/where students are assessed:	Spring Semester Senior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			

Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			
Assessment Measure #12: Position Paper (Competency 10)				
Dimension(s) assessed:	Values			
When/where students are assessed:	Spring Semester Senior Year			
Who assessed student competence:	BSW Faculty assigned to course			
Outcome Measure Benchmark (minimum score indicative of achievement) for Competencies 1-9:	3			
Competency Benchmark (percent of students the program expects to have achieved the minimum scores, inclusive of all measures) for Competencies 1-9:	90%			

### **Directions for completing Form AS 4**

Indicate the benchmark percentage for each competency. The competency benchmark is the percent of students the program expects to have achieved both/all outcome measure benchmarks. Programs calculate the percentage of students achieving each outcome measure benchmark, then calculate the percentage of students achieving each competency inclusive of two or more measures for each program option. Programs with multiple program options must present data for each program option, and in aggregate inclusive of all program options per competency. Programs may add/delete columns to accurately reflect the number of program options offered. *This is a required form.* The assessment data table may be altered to accurately reflect the number of program options offered and additional program-developed competencies program. However, beyond these formatting alternations, the program may not alter the content of this form.

## Assessment Data Collected during the Academic Year (2022-2023)

COMPETENCY	COMPETENCY BENCHMARK (%)	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS ACHIEVING BENCHMARK			
		Aggregate of Students from All Program Options	Program Option #1 (identify location/delivery method)	Program Option #2 (identify location/delivery method)	Program Option #3 (identify location/delivery method)
		42 = (Number of students)	42 = (Number of students)	n = (Number of students)	n = (Number of students)
	90%				
Competency 1:	of students will				
Demonstrate	demonstrate	98%	98%	NA	NA
Ethical and	competence				
Professional	inclusive of 2 or				
Behavior	more measures				
	90%				
Competency 2:	of students will				
<b>Engage Diversity</b>	demonstrate	95%	95%	NA	NA
and Difference in	competence				
Practice	inclusive of 2 or				
	more measures				
Competency 3:	90%				
Advance Human	of students will				
Rights and Social,	demonstrate	93%	93%	NA	NA
Economic, and	competence				
Environmental	inclusive of 2 or				
Justice	more measures				
Competency 4:	90%				
Engage in	of students will				
<b>Practice-informed</b>	demonstrate	94%	94%	NA	NA
Research and	competence				
Research-	inclusive of 2 or				
informed Practice	more measures				

Competency 5: Engage in Policy Practice	90% of students will demonstrate competence inclusive of 2 or more measures	95%	95%	NA	NA
Competency 6:	90%				
Engage with	of students will				
Individuals,	demonstrate	92%	92%	NA	NA
Families, Groups,	competence				
Organizations,	inclusive of 2 or				
and Communities	more measures				
Competency 7:	90%				
Assess	of students will				
Individuals,	demonstrate	93%	93%	NA	NA
Families, Groups,	competence				
Organizations,	inclusive of 2 or				
and Communities	more measures				
Competency 8:	90%				
Intervene with	of students will				
Individuals,	demonstrate	96%	96%	NA	NA
Families, Groups,	competence				
Organizations,	inclusive of 2 or				
and Communities	more measures				
Competency 9:	90%				
<b>Evaluate Practice</b>	of students will				
with Individuals,	demonstrate	88%	88%	NA	NA
Families, Groups,	competence				
Organizations,	inclusive of 2 or				
and Communities	more measures				
	90%				
Any additional	of students will				
Competency(ies)	demonstrate	95%	95%	NA	NA
Developed by the	competence				
Program	inclusive of 2 or				
	more measures				