

# Applying to the YSU/LCCC BSW Partnership

1. **Contact Karla Wyant, BSW Program Coordinator for the YSU / LCCC BSW Social Work Partnership Program** by e-mail at [kawyant@ysu.edu](mailto:kawyant@ysu.edu) or by calling (330) 518-7076 to set up an appointment to discuss the Admission Process and for a Record Review. *(Interested students should make an appointment by the end of the Spring semester if interested in starting the cohort program the following Fall semester as a pre-social work major).*
2. **If you receive Financial Aid, complete the FAFSA by February 15<sup>th</sup>** (late applicants may not maximize their financial aid opportunities). **NOTE: You must make YSU your primary school and LCCC your 2<sup>nd</sup> school in order for payment to be correctly distributed.**
3. **Complete a YSU Admissions Application ([www.ysu.edu](http://www.ysu.edu)) no later than August 1<sup>st</sup> for the Fall semester.** There is a \$45 non-refundable application fee. **In completing your application, please indicate the following:**

Question on Application	Answer (for most students)
Which best describes your application status?	Transfer Student
Which semester do you wish to enter?	Fall _____
Which type of degree seeking?	Bachelor
Check which college you wish to enter	Health and Human Services
What is your intended major?	Social Work LCCC (B)
	Pre- Social Work
	Lorain Campus

**Please note:** Admission to the University does not guarantee admission into the Social Work Program.  
**For assistance:** Contact the Office of Undergraduate Assistance by calling 1-877-468-6978.

4. **After completing the application, have all OFFICIAL transcripts sent from all colleges/universities you've attended, as well as your high school transcript.** These can be mailed directly to the YSU Undergraduate Admissions Office, Youngstown State University, One University Plaza, Youngstown, OH 44555.
5. **Once you receive your Letter of Acceptance to YSU and are able to "Log Into My YSU" through the YSU website, please** contact Karla via e-mail at [kawyant@ysu.edu](mailto:kawyant@ysu.edu) to provide your Banner ID Number (Y00\_\_\_\_\_). **After this step, overrides will be requested and your advisement hold will be released.**
6. **Register for classes after receiving an e-mail from the Social Work Department stating that overrides have been entered.** (Refer to "Course Schedule" in packet for each semester)
7. **Make sure to set up your YSU e-mail account upon admission, as all YSU e-mail correspondence will be sent to that address.**

8. **If you are getting Financial Aid, you must complete an “Ad Hoc Consortium Agreement” form** (available through YSU’s financial aid website- [www.ysu.edu](http://www.ysu.edu) by clicking on financial aid and then printable forms). **This form must be completed EACH semester you are dually enrolled for both YSU and LCCC classes.** Completed forms should be faxed to Gina McHenry, Associate Director of YSU’s Scholarship and Financial Aid Office (330- 941-1659). **For questions, please contact Gina McHenry at 330-941-1594.** (copy included in packet)
9. **When you receive a copy of your bill and registration from LCCC, fax both to Gina McHenry at 330-941-1659.**
10. **Go to [www.ysu.edu](http://www.ysu.edu) and “Log Into My YSU” to pay your bill, check your final grades, etc.**

### **Formal Admission to the Social Work Program**

- **While enrolled in SCWK 2644 you will receive an application for entry into the Social Work Program mid-semester** (prior to your third semester with YSU, you are considered a pre-social work major) **and return it to your instructor by the specified deadline.**
- **The Admissions Committee will review your application and student records to ensure that all necessary criteria have been met, and a Group Interview held.**

#### **Necessary criteria for admission include:**

- An overall GPA of 2.5 or better (both YSU and LCCC GPA will be taken into consideration)
- Successful completion (C or better) of the following LCCC courses: ENGL 161 & 162, CMMC 151, BIOG 152, SOCY 151 & 161, PSYH 151, PLSC 156, PHLI 174 & 161, RELG 181, SOWK 151 & 251, HMSR 111, and the following YSU courses: SCWK 2642 (Fall) & 2644 (Spring).
- Successful completion of the Group Admissions Interview
- Professional Letter of Recommendation

### **Field Work Application Process**

**While enrolled in SCWK 3737, you will receive a Field Work Application. In addition, you will meet with the Internship Coordinator to make arrangements for your placement.** (Prior to entry into Field Work your records will be reviewed and all necessary coursework must be completed)

### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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