

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - GREEN BAY
SOCIAL WORK PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS**

BSW A D M I S S I O N S A P P L I C A T I O N

THE APPLICATION CHECKLIST:

The following must be submitted to complete the application process:

- A completed Admissions Application form.
- A written personal statement.
- A transcript of academic work completed at UWGB.
- Two letters of reference.
- Caregiver Background Information Disclosure Form
- \$25.00 fee made payable to UWGB. Note: Your fee payment will only be processed if you are accepted into the Social Work major. If you are not accepted, your uncashed check will be mailed to you, at the permanent address indicated in your application, along with your notification letter.

ALL OF THE ABOVE ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED TOGETHER PRIOR TO THE REVIEW DATE. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE REVIEWED.

Materials Delivered to:

**Chairperson
Social Work Professional Programs
University of Wisconsin - Green Bay
2420 Nicolet Drive - Rose Hall 320
Green Bay, Wisconsin 54311-7001**

APPLICATION

I. APPLICANT CONTACT INFORMATION

1. Your Name (print): _____ Date: _____

2. Student I.D. _____ E-mail Address: _____

3. Permanent Address: _____ Local Address: _____

(Street)

(Street)

(City) (Zip)

(City) (Zip)

Telephone (____) _____ Telephone (____) _____

II. ACADEMIC PLANS

4. Do you plan on full-time or part-time study? _____ Full-time _____ Part-time

5. Are you interested in pursuing the child welfare emphasis in Social Work?

_____ Yes _____ No _____ Unsure

6. Social Work is a professional degree that does not require a complimentary major or minor(s). However, social work faculty encourage a double major, minor, or double minors that may compliment your studies in social work. If you have declared any other major or minor(s), please list them here:

Additional Program of Study:

Major/Minor

7. What is your anticipated date of graduation: _____

III. ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY CHECKLIST

8. Have you been admitted or are you currently enrolled at UW-Green Bay?

_____ Yes _____ No

9. Have you completed 27 credit hours either at UWGB or at another institution? Note: You will have to complete 48 credit hours before fall of admittance.

_____ Yes _____ No

10. Is your cumulative GPA higher than 2.5? Note: You need a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 in all college level work academic work taken during the past 5 years. (Note: Applications with GPAs close to 2.5 may be considered if the applicant shows major strengths in other areas.)

_____ Yes _____ No

List your cumulative GPA: _____

11. Have you submitted your caregiver background check?

_____ Yes _____ No

12. Please mark below the required support courses you have completed by indicating the grade you received next to the course. Put an "IP" for in progress next to the courses you are currently taking. (You need to have completed or be taking at least 4 of these courses. Details about these supporting courses can be found at: http://www.uwgb.edu/catalog/undrgrad/SWK_maj.htm)

_____ HUMAN BIO 102	_____ COMM SCI 301	_____ HUMAN BEHAVIOR
_____ ENG COMP 105	_____ "FAMILY" COURSE	_____ SOCIAL ENVIRON
_____ HUM DEV 210	_____ STATISTICS	_____ SOCIAL THEORY
_____ SOC WORK 275	_____ GOVERNMENT	_____ WOMEN'S STUDIES

IV. OTHER APPLICATION INFORMATION*

12. Other colleges or universities attended:

<u>College/University</u>	<u>Dates Attended</u>	<u>Degree/Major</u>

*All applicants must submit an unofficial UWGB transcript. Transfer students must also submit copies of transcripts of all coursework taken within the past 5 years (unofficial versions are acceptable). Documentation of coursework completed between the time of application and admissions review may be requested before final admissions decisions are made.

13. Job history (since high school):

<u>Job Title</u>	<u>Place of Employment</u>	<u>Dates</u>
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14. List your volunteer experiences, since high school, especially those relevant to social work: (Include dates.)

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Average number of hours per week</u>
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15. Discuss or list any other experiences which reflect your leadership and people-oriented skills.

V. PERSONAL STATEMENT.

Submit a personal statement with this application. Respond to each of the questions below. This statement will be reviewed for the thoughtful reflection given each question. In addition, your writing skills will be assessed.

1. What is your understanding of social work?
2. Why do you want to be a social worker, and how do your life experiences fit with this professional plan?
3. What do you see as your strengths and limitations, and how might these influence your suitability as a Social Worker?
4. What are your professional plans once you complete your undergraduate degree?

VI. REFERENCE LETTERS

Using the attached forms, submit at least two letters of reference on your behalf. One letter should be an academic reference from a college professor and one should be a non-academic reference. These letters should be completed by individuals who are in a position to evaluate your potential as a professional social worker. You can use references from your place of employment, volunteer or other membership experiences, or colleges/universities you attended. **Do not include references from personal friends or family members.**

List the names of references and how they know you.

Name

Relationship to you

Name

Relationship to you

VII. OTHER PROGRAMMING INFORMATION: CONFIDENTIAL and OPTIONAL

The Social Work Professional Programs at the University of Wisconsin - Green Bay is an accredited program. As such, it keeps a variety of data on those who apply to the Program. The following information is not required and does not affect the status of your application, but is used for statistical purposes. If you are comfortable providing us with the following information, it would be appreciated.

Your Age: _____ Gender: _____ Racial or ethnic origins: _____

Are you (or any of your siblings) the first in your immediate family to attend a four year university or college? Yes No

Do you consider yourself a member of a minority group that is not racially or ethnically oriented?
 _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain: _____

