

Application for Behavioral Health Partnership Program



The University of Akron

College of Health and Human Sciences



BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK CRITERIA

Students applying to the BASW Behavioral Health Partnership Program (B.H.P.P.) must:

- Be a current University of Akron student accepted into the Social Work program.
- Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- Meet all eligibility requirements for the field placement application process.
- Complete social work field practicum during their year of graduation.
- Complete a field placement beginning in Fall with an agency within the County of Summit Alcohol, Drug, and Mental Health (ADM) Board's network of care.
- Attend monthly meetings with the Behavioral Health Campus Coordinator.
 - ◊ Meetings may be held in person or virtually.
- Attend at least two Summit County ADM Board-sponsored events (e.g., the ADM Recovery Challenge 5K).
- (Optional) Obtain the Chemical Dependency Counselor Assistant (CDCA) certification.
 - ◊ *Note: Students are responsible for any associated fees.*
- Commit to working for one calendar year after graduation at a Summit County ADM Board agency or one of its contracted providers.
- Understand that participation in this program may limit the number of scholarships the student is eligible to accept.

MASTERS OF SOCIAL WORK CRITERIA

Students applying to the MSW Behavioral Health Partnership Program (B.H.P.P.) must:

- Be admitted to the University of Akron MSW program and be in their micro-specialization year.
- Maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Meet all eligibility requirements for the field placement process.
- Complete a field placement beginning in Fall with an agency within the County of Summit Alcohol, Drug, and Mental Health (ADM) Board's network of care.
- Attend monthly meetings with the Behavioral Health Campus Coordinator
 - ◊ Meetings may be held in person or virtually.
- Attend at least two Summit County ADM Board-sponsored events (e.g., the ADM Recovery Challenge 5K).
- Understand that participation in this program may limit the number of scholarships the student is eligible to accept.
- Commit to working for one calendar year after graduation at a Summit County ADM Board agency or one of its contracted providers.
- (Optional) Pursue the Cognitive Behavioral Theory (CBT) Certificate by selecting appropriate elective courses offered through The University of Akron.
 - ◊ *Note: This is not a required component of the B.H.P.P.*

For more information and application submission:

Visit uakron.edu/socialwork/bhpp or contact Sylvester Huston III, MSW, LISW Behavioral Health Campus Coordinator, at smh271@uakron.edu

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name:

Date of Birth: University:

Student ID:

Address:

City: State:

Zip/Postal Code: Country:

Phone Number: Email Address:

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Degree / Course	University / Institute	Year of Graduate	Current or Final GPA	City
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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Employer: Job Title:

Address:

Start Date: End Date:

Relevant Work or Field Experience:

Certifications or Licenses:

Employer: Job Title:

Address:

Start Date: End Date:

Relevant Work or Field Experience:

Certifications or Licenses:

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ESSAY QUESTIONS - WRITE 3 TO 4 WELL-ORGANIZED PARAGRAPHS

Why are you interested in participating in the Behavioral Health Partnership Program?

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How do you envision contributing to the field of behavioral health?

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