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 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 15th (late applicants may not maximize their financial aid opportunities). NOTE: You must make YSU your primary school and LCCC your 2nd school in order for payment to be correctly distributed.

3. Complete a YSU Admissions Application (www.ysu.edu) no later than August 1st for the Fall semester. There is a $45 non-refundable application fee. In completing your application, please indicate the following:

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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 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 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 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, PHLY 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)

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