

Attachment 1

Child Welfare Concentration Mission and Goals

(approved at MSW Curriculum Committee 11/12/10)

1. CW Mission Statement:

The primary mission of the Indiana University School of Social Work Child Welfare tract is to educate students to be critical thinking, research informed, continuously learning, ethical and effective social worker prepared for child welfare practice.

2. CW Goals:

Students will demonstrate ability to:

- Critically evaluate child welfare laws and policies and their impact on individuals, families and communities.
- Apply and evaluate theories and models of practice for ethical and effective child welfare practice with individuals, families and communities.
- Advocate for disadvantaged and oppressed populations engaged in the child welfare system.

Leadership Concentration Mission and Goals

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1. Leadership Mission Statement:

IUSSW's Leadership Concentration prepares graduates to leverage organizational practices, social structures, and social policies to bring about social and economic justice in a changing global community.

2. Leadership Goals:

- Prepare all MSW graduates regardless of concentration to provide basic administrative and managerial services.
- Enable Leadership Concentration graduates to assume administrative and managerial roles in social work practice.
- Enable Leadership concentration graduates to engage in transformative practice in communities, organizations, and policy arenas.
- Use research and best practices to support excellence in leadership.