

Participating Schools

California State University, Bakersfield
California State University, Chico
California State University, Dominguez Hills
California State University, East Bay
California State University, Fresno
California State University, Fullerton
California State University, Long Beach
California State University, Los Angeles
California State University, Northridge
California State University, San Bernardino
California State University, San Marcos
California State University, Stanislaus
Humboldt State University
Loma Linda University
Sacramento State University
San Diego State University
San Francisco State University
San Jose State University
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Los Angeles
University of Southern California
University of California, Monterey Bay

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Social Work Education

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Title IV-E Master of Social Work Child Welfare Program



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Title IV-E Program

Fresno State's Title IV-E Program is administered through CalSWEC, University of California, Berkeley, and is one of 22 schools participating in the Child Welfare Education and Training Program.

Mission of CalSWEC

CalSWEC facilitates and supports statewide partnerships for the education and training of social workers to ensure culturally responsive, effective, and high-quality health and social service delivery to the people of California.



Goals

CalSWEC's mission is supported by the following goals:

- Preparing a diverse group of social workers for careers in human services, with special emphasis on child welfare, mental health, and aging fields.
- Defining and operationalizing a continuum of social work education and training.
- Engaging in evaluation, research and dissemination of best practices in social work.



Objectives

<http://calswec.berkeley.edu/calswec-graduate-and-alumni-stories>

Title IV-E Child Welfare Program

The MSW Title IV-E Child Welfare Program provides funds to full-time and part-time social work students who are preparing for careers directed toward child welfare practice in publicly supported social services and Tribal agencies. Full-Time Program - Full-time students are provided two years of support at \$18,500 per year. Students pay mileage, books and tuition out of this amount.

Part-time students are provided the cost of tuition and books (up to \$650 per semester) and mileage up to \$4,000 per year and parking allowance. Admittance to the part-time program is limited to current employees of CWS, DSS, or CDSS.

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Participation Requirements

Participant requirements include completion of:

- The Advanced Child Welfare course
- The Title IV-E Integrative Seminars
- Public Child Welfare internship
- Thesis/Project related to child welfare.
- Full-time employment search in a public child welfare agency or tribal social service agencies for two years of service.

Qualifications

Title IV-E participants must be admitted into the MSW Program. Priority will be given to:

- Current public child welfare employees who are qualified for admission to an MSW program;
- Applicants who reflect the diverse client populations currently served by public child welfare in California;
- Other qualified individuals with demonstrated commitment to careers providing high quality, culturally competent practice in public child welfare services.

Applicants who are current county or state social service employees must have a letter written by the director of the county's child welfare services approving their participation in the program. Only current employees may participate in the part-time program.



To Apply

Students interested in applying to the Title IV-E Child Welfare Program must first apply to the Fresno State MSW Program. A Separate application is needed to apply to the Title IV-E Program. Interested contact the Fresno State Title IV-E Program at 559.278.3076 or visit our website at www.csufresno.edu/socialwork. Official IV-E admissions is based on admissions to the MSW Program. Application deadline for Title IV-E is March 2, 2018.

AIR/SERVE Program

Aims to recruit American Indian Students into the Title IV-E Stipend Program. The AIR SERVE Program was initiated in 1981 at UC Berkeley through the American Indian/Alaskan Native Program in Social Welfare. The program was expanded in 2011 and now operates from the Northern, Central, And Southern regions. For more information regarding the AIR Program visit:

<http://calswec.berkeley.edu/CALSWEC/IV-E.html>
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