

BSW Field Education: SKILL SELF REPORT

NAME: _____ **AGENCY** _____ **DATE** _____

Please complete form and provide a copy to your Liaison and to your Field Instructor when you meet to formulate your Learning Plan Contract.

This Self-Report is designed to help you evaluate your level of perceived ability or perceived practice skill. Please review the scale below and insert the number at the end of each task that you believe best represents your current skill level:

- 5- I am able to complete this task independently
- 4- I require minimal guidance to complete this task
- 3- I require moderate guidance to complete this task
- 2- I require extensive guidance to complete this task
- 1- I do not believe that I am able to perform this task at this time

SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE RELATED SKILL	SCORE
DIRECT PRACTICE RELATED SKILLS	
Interview a Client for the first time	
Develop an intervention plan for a client/client system	
Develop a behavioral contract with goal of changing behaviors	
Implement an intervention plan with a client	
Terminate a relationship with a client/client system	
Model or demonstrate appropriate/alternative behaviors for a client	
Conduct an interview with a family	
Facilitate a small group intervention	
CRITICAL THINKING	
Define and/or assess a client's presenting problem	
Assist client in the selection of a problem to work on	
Identify all the individual and systemic components of the client/client system	
Evaluate an intervention with a single client	
Evaluate an intervention with a group of clients	
CULTURAL COMPETENCE	
Interview a client from a different racial or cultural background	
Practice with knowledge related to clients diversity	
Practice with skills related to clients diversity	
COMMUNICATION	
Work collaboratively with other colleagues and students	
Seek out the expertise of others to improve understanding	
Present on a client or program in front of an audience	
Use communication skills differentially across client populations	
THEORY AND EVIDENCE BASED PRACTICE	
Identify effective client-centered strategies and interventions	
Locate published research relevant to client/client systems	

SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE RELATED SKILL	SCORE
ETHICS	
Use the NASW code of ethics to guide practice and professional development	
POLICY AND ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE	
Recognize the role of agency in promoting positive outcomes	
Recognize the agency barriers that may prevent positive outcomes	
Evaluate program effectiveness within your agency	
Evaluate impact of agency policy on client outcomes	
SELF-CARE	
Understand the role of compassion fatigue in the social work profession	
Recognize the red-flags that may lead to compassion fatigue	
Understand how to complete a life long-Self-Care plan	
Recognize how to counterbalance work with personal life	
SOCIAL JUSTICE	
Advocate within your agency for a client's rights	
Advocate within another agency for a client's rights	
Recognize how the NASW and other political venues can advocate for change	

Please answer the following questions regarding leadership

- Leadership skills are important skills to have as a social worker
Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
- Agency leadership has an impact on client outcomes
Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
- I am familiar with different leadership styles
Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
- I know my leadership style and can describe it
Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
- When you are successful in your job, happiness will follow
Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
- I envision myself in a leadership position in social work field in my future
Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

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