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10701 EAST BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OH 44106

Social Work Graduate Education Program Application for Field Experience

This form **MUST** be completed and returned to Social Work Service Office no later than Completion of this form does not guarantee placement for field work at the VA for this academic year or future years. All applications will be considered based on availability of the VA to provide adequate supervision for all placements.
Email completed form to: Carl.Lake@va.gov or FAX completed form to: (216) 707-7975, ATTN: Social Work Graduate Student Program

APPLICANT INFORMATION

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

DRIVER'S LICENSE #: _____ VETERAN STATUS: YES _____ NO _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

SCHOOL: _____

FIELD LIAISON: _____ CONTACT EMAIL/PHONE: _____

PERIOD OF FIELD EXPERIENCE: _____

REQUIRED NUMBER OF HOURS PER WEEK: _____ PER SEMESTER: _____

ANTICIPATED DATE OF GRADUATION: _____

PRACTICE AREA (SELECT ONE) : MICRO _____ MACRO _____

AREAS OF FIELD INTEREST (please rate your top preferences 1-3)

_____ Mental Health _____ Substance Abuse _____ Inpatient Medicine/Surgery

_____ Homelessness _____ Geriatrics _____ Families/Caregivers

_____ Long Term Care _____ Outpatient Primary Care _____ Homecare

PLEASE ATTACH A RECENT RESUME AND STATEMENT OF INTEREST TO THIS APPLICATION

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST

Your Statement of Interest should be a good representation of your written skills and professional abilities. Please use the following questions to guide your 2-3 pages (typed and double-spaced) response:

- 1. Why do you want to work at the VA and what, specifically, makes you a good candidate to work here?**
- 2. How does the Veteran population interest you professionally?**
- 3. What are your goals for this field experience?**

*****Please do not forget to include your resume*****