

Application for Membership Policy Students

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Student applicants must submit a completed and signed Application form, as established by the registrar. The content of the application will include information as required by the Social Work Profession Act, The Social Work Profession Regulation and the Manitoba College of Social Workers Amended and Restated Operating By-law. The application for membership form may include any other information requested by the Registrar relevant to the processing and evaluation of applications for membership as a student.

False or misleading statements, representations or declarations relating to an application for membership are cause for denial or revocation of membership with the Manitoba College of Social Workers.

Eligibility

Applicants must be:

- currently enrolled in a Manitoba social work program accredited by the Canadian Association for Social Work Education (CASWE) or a social work program approved by the Manitoba College of Social Workers, or
- a resident of Manitoba currently enrolled in a social work program accredited by CASWE, or Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), or National Indigenous Accreditation Board (NIAB), or approved by a social work regulatory body in another jurisdiction in Canada

Applicants are not eligible for student membership if:

- they hold a BSW or MSW degree accredited by CASWE/CSWE or a social work program approved by the College; and
- they are employed or volunteering within the scope of social work practice outside of their practicum

Application Fee

Each applicant must pay to the College fees as identified in the Fee Schedule approved by the Board. Post-dated payments will not be accepted.

Supporting Documentation

In addition to the application form, the following supporting documentation must be submitted in order for an application to be complete:

Proof of identity

Applicants must submit a legible copy of a Canadian government-issued form of photo identification. (i.e. passport, driver's license)

Verification of Enrollment in an Accredited or MCSW-Approved Social Work Program

Applicants must arrange for submission of:

- 1) Verification of current enrollment in a Manitoba social work program accredited by the Canadian Association for Social Work Education (CASWE) or a social work program approved by the Manitoba College of Social Workers or;
- 2) Verification of current residency in Manitoba and verification of current enrollment in a social work program accredited by CASWE, or CSWE, or NIAB, or approved by a social work regulatory body in another jurisdiction in Canada.

Verification of enrollment may include:

- Current Registration Record from an accredited/approved social work program
- A letter from representative of an accredited/approved social work program

Other forms of enrollment verification may be accepted at the discretion of the registrar.

References:

Social Work Profession Act (2009) – Sections 9(3), 10(2)
Social Work Profession Regulation (2014) – Section 9(1), 9(2)