

**STATEWIDE BLENDED REGULAR MSW PROGRAM**

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FORM**

**A. Documentation and affirmations required before your application can be reviewed.**

**MILEAGE – To be eligible for the program, applicants must live more than 30 miles from both the East Lansing and Flint program locations, and if out-of-state, within 50 miles of the Michigan border.** Please indicate below the distance from your residence to the East Lansing and Flint program locations using Mapquest. (Please upload copies of the printouts documenting the distances.)

Miles from your residence to Michigan State University, 655 Auditorium Rd., East Lansing, MI 48824

\_\_\_\_\_ miles

Miles from your residence to Mott Community College, 1401 East Court St., Flint, MI 48503

\_\_\_\_\_ miles

Michigan Resident:  Yes  No → \_\_\_\_\_ miles from Michigan border

**HIGH SPEED INTERNET ACCESS – Applicants must have easy access to high speed Internet service on a regular basis.** Homework, assignments, etc. will frequently require work at night and on weekends. Without easy access, it will not be possible to manage course requirements and complete the program. If you meet this requirement, please initial the statement below.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I have easy access to high speed Internet service on a regular basis.

**QUIET WORKSPACE FOR VIDEOCONFERENCE SESSIONS – Applicants must have a quiet workspace without distractions designated for the weekly videoconference sessions.** These videoconference sessions should be treated as formal class sessions, which means no children, partners, background music/television, etc. If you can commit to this requirement, please initial the statement below.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I have a quiet workspace with no distractions for the videoconference sessions.

**ATTENDANCE AT ALL REQUIRED SESSIONS – Applicants must be able to participate in ALL of the following required activities:**

- 1) Face-to-face orientation/instruction during one-week intensive MSW Summer Institute on the MSU campus in East Lansing each summer for three years (generally mid-August)

- 2) Videoconference sessions 2 hours per week on a weekday evening during Fall and Spring semesters – attendance is mandatory and points will be deducted for absences
- 3) Considerable time in the online environment (averaging 8-12 hours per week per course) every fall, spring, and summer semesters for three years to complete academic courses
- 4) Active participation in a field agency (guided by a learning contract) for two days a week during normal business hours during fall and spring semesters in the second and third years of the program

If you are able to commit to these activities, please initial the statement below.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I am able to commit to ALL of these instructional activities.

**Thank you for providing the information and committing to the relevant expectations. Be sure to upload this form to the Student Portal as part of your complete application. Incomplete applications will not be forwarded for review.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_