

Licensed Clinical Social Worker Pathway

Must Attend:



Council on Social Work Education
Approved Program

Must Graduate With:



MSSW, DSSW or PhD
in Social Work

Get License:



Apply To:



Complete Supervision:



Take Exam:



Get License:



Kentucky Public institutions with a CSWE Approved SW Program

University of Louisville
University of Kentucky
Kentucky State University
Morehead State University
Murray State University
Northern KY State University
Eastern Kentucky University
Western Kentucky University

Total CSW Licensure Cost

Application Fee: \$25
Testing Fee: \$230
Licensure Fee: \$125
Total Cost: \$380

Total LCSW Licensure Cost

Application Fee: \$25
Testing Fee: \$260
Licensure Fee: \$200
Total Cost: \$485

KY Board of Social Work

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Application Requirements

[Apply at the KY SWB Website](#)

Minimum Education: MSSW or Higher
Post Graduate Practice Experience:
2 Years
Board Approved Supervision:
200 Hours 100 Individual/ 100 Group
Application Fee: \$25

Application will be reviewed and Exam Approval Letter will be sent to the applicant.

Supervision Requirements

Current:
Post Graduate Practice Experience:
2 years Full time/ 3 years part time
Board Approved Supervision:
200 Hours 100 Individual/ 100 Group
Incoming LCSW Requirement:
Active Practice for 5 years in previous jurisdiction

VALLO Impact:
Post Graduate Practice Experience:
2 years full time/ 3 years part time
Board Approved Supervision:
104 Hours 70 Individual/ 30 Group
Incoming LCSW Requirement:
Active Practice for 2 years in previous jurisdiction

ASWB Exam Requirement:

CSW: Clinical Level

Exam Fee: \$260

2019 National Pass Rate: 74.2%

Passed the Exam!

Mail the following documents to KY SWB:

ASWB Unofficial Score Report
Official Transcripts (Refer to Approval Letter)
Supervised Experience Documentation Form
Licensure Fee: \$200 for three years