Cal-CWLT is a public-private-university partnership:

How do I apply?

Once you are accepted into and are attending the UC Berkeley MSW program, applications for Cal-CWLT will be available in your 1st year.

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Child Welfare Leadership Training Grant

Masters Level Field Work in Child Welfare
$19,110 Grant
FAQs

Q1. Will I be required to work for a public county agency for at least one year after MSW?

Not necessarily. You are required to work for a year in a public OR a private agency that works with child welfare clients.

Q2. What additional classes will I be required to take?

Cal-CWLT students will engage in the same MSW curriculum as others, with the exception of 3 courses.

Q3. How many students will receive this grant annually?

Five students per year can be awarded this grant.

Q4. What if I want to be a manager or policy advocate in child welfare?

One of the five field placement opportunities will be reserved for students with these interests.

Do you work in child welfare? Do you want to get your MSW at UC Berkeley?

Cal-CWLT can help you pay for one year of the MSW program

The Cal-Child Welfare Leadership Training (Cal-CWLT) initiative is geared to ensure that master’s level students are prepared for leadership in child welfare practice and are motivated to work in child welfare settings following graduation.

Cal-CWLT provides a grant in the amount of $19,110 to help cover the cost of tuition, fees, and books during their second year of study.

Requirements of the grant

Students participating in this opportunity will be required to:

- Complete their second year field placement in the San Francisco County Human Services Agency or the Seneca Family of Agencies in San Francisco.
- Work in Child Welfare for at least one year following completion of their masters degree.
- Complete specified coursework in children’s issues during their masters studies.
- Be passionate about child welfare!