# Berkeley Social Welfare

## UC Berkeley Graduate Certificate in Aging

Application and Academic Plan Worksheet

Eligibility			
First Name	Last Name		
Email Address	UCB SID#		
Name of UCB Graduate Degree Program Currently Enrolled in		Current GPA	

Coursework

#### **Required Anchor Course:**

SOC WEL 210C: Aging Processes

#### **Direct Practice Course:**

SOC WEL 245: Direct Practice in Behavioral and Health Settings across the Adult Lifespan	

#### Elective Courses: At least one additional course, valued at 2 units or higher:

SOC WEL 250M: Death and Dying	
PB HLTH C202B: Ethnic & Cultural Diversity in Health Status	
PB HLTH 204F: Culture, Public Health Practice, and Eliminating Disparities	
PB HLTH 204G: Research Advances in Health Disparities	
PB HLTH 216A: Biological Embedding of Social Factors	
PB HLTH 217C: Aging and Public Health	
PB HLTH C217D: Biological and Public Health Aspects of Alzheimer's Disease	

#### **Direct Practice Experience**

A minimum of 120 hours of field experience with or on behalf of elderly clients. Current MSW students can satisfy the field experience requirement as part of the normal field work hours required for the MSW (SOC WEL 410A&B or 412A&B). Students in other graduate programs outside of Social Welfare can obtain credit for their field work experience by enrolling in one unit of SOC WEL 198: Service Learning in Aging). Students must have completed the anchor course SOC WEL 210C before beginning their field experience, or be taking this course concurrently.

### Field Consultant Signature

Date:

Semester/Year Completed

Name of Field Consultant

\*\*Please attach to this application your brief statement describing your interest and experience in social work practice with and on behalf of aging and elderly clients.

Completed applications should be submitted to the Social Welfare Graduate Student Advisor at swmswadvisor@berkeley.edu