



McGill

School of
Social Work

SW100

Below is a list of organizations that have offered MSW field placements within the past few years. Not all sites have the capacity to take a student each year. All questions and concerns as well as preferences can be discussed with the MSW Field Coordinator, Nicole Mitchell.

HOSPITALS

McGill University Health Centre (MUHC)

Most hospital field placements require students be able to function in English and French. Hospital social work could be of interest to students in the Children and Families and Health and Social Care streams.

The MUHC includes the following hospitals:

1. Montreal General Hospital: Psychosocial Oncology In and Out Patient Psychiatry In Patient Orthopedic Trauma Care Palliative Care
2. Montreal Neurological Hospital: In Patient Brain Injury Neurological Disorders
3. Montreal Children's Hospital: In Patient Child Psychiatry Neonatal Oncology Intensive Care
4. Royal Victoria Hospital: In and Out Patient Oncology Internal Medicine

CIUSSS

Centre intégré universitaire de santé et de services sociaux - Public health and social services in Quebec are organized in regional Centre intégré universitaire de santé et de services sociaux, known as CIUSSS. These regional bodies include hospitals, services to populations with specialized needs, and Centre locaux de service communautaire (local community service centres) known as CLSCs. Proficiency in English and French is required for field placements in all the CIUSSS. These placements may be of interest to students in the Children and Families, Health and Social Care, and International and Community Development streams.

CIUSSS de l'ouest-de-l'île-de-Montreal (The West Island Health and Social Services Centre of Montreal) includes the following facilities:

1. West Montreal Rehabilitation Centre – Centre de réadaptation de l'ouest de Montreal Work with children and adults with intellectual or physical disabilities
2. Douglas Mental Health University Institute – Institut universitaire en santé mentale Eating Disorders Clinic First Episode Psychosis Rehabilitation and Community Housing Support Autism Spectrum Disorders Navigation Program
3. Centre Hospitalier de St. Mary – St. Mary's Hospital In Patient Geriatric Care In and

Out Patient Psychiatry:

4. Batshaw Youth & Family Services – Centre de la jeunesse et de la famille Batshaw Court ordered mandated work with children and families. Evaluation and Orientation Applied Measures Family Preservation Young Offenders Challenges
5. Lakeshore General Hospital In and Out Patient Psychiatry
6. St. Anne’s Hospital : general social work practice with older adults

CIUSSS du Centre-Ouest –de-l’île-de-Montreal (CIUSSS of Central West Island of Montreal) includes the following facilities:

CLSC: Centre locaux de services communautaires CLSC provide services focused on youth and families in crisis, adult mental health, needs of immigrants and refugees, homecare services, support to caregivers, as well as programs responding the specific needs of the local population.

1. CLSC Rene Cassin
2. CLSC de Benny Farm
3. CLSC de la Montagne
4. CLSC Cote des Neiges
5. CLSC Metro
6. CLSC Park Extension
7. Jewish General Hospital: In and Out Patient Psychiatry Oncology Neonatal Intensive Care Palliative Care
8. Montreal Association for the Blind (MAB) – Mackay Rehabilitation Centre Work with adults with vision loss and children with physical and intellectual disabilities

OMETZ

A community based human services agency founded on Jewish values offering employment, immigration, school and social services. Proficiency in English and French is required for a field placement. May be of interest to students in the Children and Families and Health and Social Care streams.

ADDICTIONS AND AUBSTANCE ABUSE

Social work with addictions and substance abuse may be of interest to students in the Children and Families and Health and Social Care streams.

- a) CRD Foster: Outpatient counselling and support to adults

CANCER SUPPORT

May require fluency in English and French. Social work with cancer patients and survivors may be of interest to students in the Health and Social Care and Children and Families stream.

1. West Island Palliative Care Residence Requires fluency in English and French: Inpatient support
2. West Island Cancer Wellness Centre Outpatient community based support

GERONTOLOGY/GERIATRIC

Field placements may be available in the following organizations. Social work with older adults may be of interest to students in the Health and Social Care stream.

1. Cummings Centre: Community based care for older adults suffering from memory loss, dementia, and Alzheimer's disease.
2. Alzheimer Society of Montreal: Requires fluency in English and French. Community based programs for adults suffering from Alzheimer's disease.

INDIVIDUALS and COUPLES

Field placements may be available in the following organizations. Social work with individuals and couples may be of interest to students in the Children and Families stream

1. Argyle Institute: Requires flexible availability. Supportive counselling and group work with adults experiencing distress.
2. McGill Domestic Violence Clinic: Individual and group work with perpetrators and victims of domestic violence.
3. The Open Centre: Individual and group work with nonconforming couples and individuals.

IMMIGRANTS and REFUGEES

Organizations working with immigrants and refugees require fluency in English and French. Social work with immigrants and refugees may be of interest to students in the International and Community Development, Children and Families, and health and Social Care streams.

1. Medecins du Monde : Advocacy and support to individuals and families without legal status
2. Montreal City Mission Just Solutions: legal and social support to immigrants and refugees, Mobile Legal Clinic: legal and social support for older immigrants

HOUSING, HOMELESSNESS and SHELTERS

Organizations working with homeless populations require fluency in English and French. Social work in this area may be of interest to students in the International and Community Development and Children and Families streams

1. Old Brewery Mission : Community based and residential support to homeless men

YOUNG PARENTS and FAMILIES

Social work with young parents and families may be of interest to students in the Children and Families and International and Community Development streams.

1. Maison Transitionnelle O3: Community based support and housing for young mothers

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT and RESEARCH

May be of interest to students in the International and Community Development, Children and Families, and health and Social Care streams.

1. Tyndale St George Community Centre : Community based work with children and families
2. Centre for Research Action on Race Relations (CRARR) : Advocacy, research and support to individuals experiencing discrimination
3. Social Justice Connection : Education and advocacy about global poverty and inequality

SCHOOL SOCIAL WORK

May be of interest to students in the Children and Families stream.

1. Riverside School Board : Providing support to students experiencing difficulty in school and their families, and educational reintegration to adults.
2. Centennial Academy : Providing support to students with learning difficulties and their families.

WOMEN'S CENTRES

Social work in these organizations require fluency in English and French, may be of interest to students in the International and Community Development and Children and Families streams.

1. Centre des Femme de St Laurent : Education and action to combat isolation, promote engagement and end discrimination
2. West island Women's Centre : Improving the quality of life of women through education and social and recreational activities.

OUT OF PROVINCE

Students may choose to do their field placement as a block placement in their home province or elsewhere in Canada. This list is a sample of some of the organizations where students have completed their placements.

1. Cornwall Community Hospital
2. Ottawa General Hospital
3. Children's Aid Society of Ottawa
4. Family Services Ottawa
5. Horizons Health Network Nova Scotia

INTERNATIONAL

Students interested in doing their field placement outside of Canada must submit an application to the Field Coordinator and obtain approval from the International Field Placement Review Committee.