Following is a list of organizations and agencies that have offered MSW field placements within the past few years. Not all sites have the capacity to take a student each year.

While students are invited to review this list and consider those organizations and areas of practice of interest to them, students are expected to discuss their interests with the MSW Field Work Coordinator who will assist in the selection of potential field sites based on student learning goals, professional goals and interests, previous placement and employment experience, and availability of qualified supervisors.

**HOSPITALS**

**McGill University Health Centre (MUHC)** Most hospital field placements require students be in their placement 2.5 days per week and 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**: field placements may be available in the following departments:
   - Brain Trauma Clinic
   - Psychosocial Oncology
   - In and Out Patient Psychiatry
   - In Patient Orthopedic Trauma Care
   - Radio Oncology
   - Palliative Care

2. **Montreal Neurological Hospital**: field placements may be available in the following departments
   - In Patient Brain Injury
   - Neurological Disorders

3. **Montreal Children’s Hospital**: field placements may be available in the following departments:
   - In Patient Child Psychiatry
   - Child sexual Abuse Clinic
   - Neonatal Oncology Intensive Care

4. **Royal Victoria Hospital**: field placements may be available in the following departments:
   - In and Out Patient Oncology
   - Internal Medicine
5. **Cedars cancer Centre:**
   Outpatient cancer treatment and palliative care

Jewish General Hospital: field placements may be available in the following departments:
- In and Out Patient Psychiatry
- Oncology
- Child Psychiatry
- Out Patient Oncology
- Neonatal Intensive Care
- Palliative Care

St. Mary’s Hospital: field placements may be available in the following departments:
- In Patient Geriatric Care
- In and Out Patient Psychiatry

Douglas Hospital Mental Health University Institute: field placements may be available in the following departments:
- Eating Disorders Clinic
- Short term In Patient Care
- First Episode Psychosis
- Borderline Personality Disorders
- Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
- Rehabilitation and Community Housing Support
- Autism Spectrum Disorders Navigation Program

Lakeshore General Hospital: field placements may be available in the following departments:
- In and Out Patient Psychiatry

Shriner’s Hospital: short term intervention with children with chronic health conditions and families.

**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 CLSC’s. 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.
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.

Field placements may be available in the following CLSC:

CLSC Metro  
CLSC Park Extension  
CLSC Rene Cassin  
CLSC Benny  
CLSC Pointe St Charles

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 Substance Abuse:** Requires students be in the field placement 2.5 days per week. Social work with addictions and substance abuse may be of interest to students in the Children and Families and Health and Social Care streams.

**Foster Pavilion:** Out Patient Counseling 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.

**West Island Palliative Care Residence**  
Requires fluency in English and French: In Patient support

**West Island Cancer Wellness Centre**  
Out Patient community based support
**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.

Donald Berman Maimonides Geriatric Centre
Residential care for older adults

Mount Sinai Hospital
Requires fluency in English and French
Palliative care, bereavement program, long-term care

Cummings Centre
Community based care for older adults suffering from memory loss, dementia, and Alzheimer’s disease

Alzheimer Society of Montreal
Requires fluency in English and French
Community based programs for adults suffering from Alzheimer’s

**CHILDREN**  Field placements may be available in the following organizations. Social work with children and families may be of interest to students in the Children and Families stream

Batshaw Youth & Family Centre
Court ordered mandated work with children and families. Field placements may be available in the following departments:
Evaluation and Orientation
Applied Measures
Group Homes
Family Preservation
Young Offenders
Challenges

Centre Marie Vincent centre d’intervention en delinquance sexuel
Requires fluency in French and English
Residential treatment program

Tyndale St George Community Centre
Community based work with children and families
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

Argyle Institute
Requires flexible availability
Supportive counseling and group work with adults experiencing distress

McGill Domestic Violence Clinic
Individual and group work with perpetrators and victims of domestic violence

Montreal Sexual Assault Centre
Requires fluency in English and French
Support and advocacy for victims of sexual assault

DISABILITIES  Field placements may be available in the following organizations. Social work with people with intellectual and physical disabilities may be of interest to students in the Children and Families and the Health and Social Care streams.

Centre de readaptation ouest montreal (CROM) /West Montreal Readaptation Centre
Work with children and adults with intellectual or physical disabilities

MAB-McKay Rehabilitation Centre
Work with adults with vision loss and children with physical and intellectual disabilities

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.

Medecins du Monde
Advocacy and support to individuals and families without legal status

Immigrant Workers Centre
Requires flexible availability. Advocacy and support to individuals and families

Montreal City Mission
Just Solutions: legal and social support to immigrants and refugees
Mobile Legal Clinic: legal and social support for older immigrants

UN High Commission for Refugees
Advocacy for and support to immigrants and refugees in legal process of obtaining status.

**Maison Bleu**
Support to multi cultural pregnant women and new mothers

**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.

**Old Brewery Mission**
Community based and residential support to homeless men

**Native Women’s Shelter**
Temporary shelter and support to indigenous women

**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.

**Head and Hands**
Community based health and legal services and social programs for young people in western Montreal

**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.

**Douglas Hospital Mental Health University Centre**
Research on mental health recovery

**McGill Centre for Research on Children & Families**
Research on effective programs and policies affecting children and their families

**Centre for Research Action on Race Relations (CRARR)**
Advocacy, research and support to individuals experiencing discrimination

**Social Justice Connection**
Education and advocacy about global poverty and inequality
NDG Food Bank
Requires fluency in English and French
Advocacy and education promoting food security and inclusion, food distribution program

Table de Quartier Sud Ouest
Requires fluency in English and French
Community development to promote social cohesion

**SCHOOL SOCIAL WORK** may be of interest to students in the Children and Families stream.

Riverside School Board
Providing support to students experiencing difficulty in school and their families, and educational reintegration to adults.

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.

Italian Women’s Centre
Advocacy and support to women in the Italian community of Montreal

Centre des Femme de St Laurent
Education and action to combat isolation, promote engagement, and end discrimination

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.

Children’s Hospital of Eastern Ontario
Toronto Sick Kids
Cornwall Community Hospital
Baycrest Hospital
Ottawa General Hospital
Children’s Aid Society of Ottawa
Family Services Ottawa
Horizons health network New Brunswick
Tearman Society Antigonish Nova Scotia
Immigrant Settlement & Integration Services Nova Scotia
Canadian Mental Health Association Ottawa
Canadian Centre for Victims of Torture and Trauma: Toronto

**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. This list is a sample of some of the organizations where students have completed their placements.

**Social Work Beyond Borders**
Projects in Lesotho, Ethiopia, Haiti

**Children & Families Across Borders**
Based in London, England, providing help to locate families of unaccompanied minors arriving in the UK

**Tubhumurize Association**
Based in Kigali, Rwanda, research, program development, and support to women and children who have experienced trauma and violence.

**Transitional Justice 1st Ireland**
Monica Williams

**Gabriella**
Based in the Philippines, grass roots organization working to defend and promote the human rights of women.