

Core Values

1. Service
2. Social Justice
3. Dignity and Worth of the person
4. Importance of Human Relationships
5. Integrity
6. Competence

Ethical Standards

Ethical Principles (Based on 6 core values)

| Value | Ethical Principle |
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| Service | Social workers' primary goal is to help people in need and to address social problems |
| Social Justice | Social workers challenge social injustice |
| Dignity and Worth of the Person | Social workers respect the inherent dignity and worth of a person. |
| Importance of Human Relationships | Social workers recognize the central importance of human relationships |
| Integrity | Social workers behave in a trustworthy manner |
| Competence | Social workers practice within their areas of competence and develop and enhance their professional expertise |

