You are invited to...

The School of Social Work

Holiday Hallway

Friday, December 10, 2010
4:00 - 5:30 pm

528 Lindquist Hall and Social Work Hallway

We welcome students, alumni, field faculty, and other interested parties to help us celebrate the end of the Fall semester and the coming holidays.

Light refreshments will be served.
Hope to see you there!
Greetings!

With winter just around the corner, the tasks and challenges of fall semester are coming to a close. In October, Dr. Bolin, Dr. Lee, and I attended and presented papers at the Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education in Portland, Oregon. I also attended the National Association of Deans and Directors of Schools of Social Work (NADD) fall meeting, an all-day meeting held in conjunction with CSWE. This year, I was elected to a three-year term of office as a member of the Board of Directors of NADD. I feel honored to be elected to this office, and, as the director of a small/medium school, I look forward to sharing my perspective with colleagues from the public and private institutions across the United States. As always, accreditation is a hot topic at the CSWE conference. I was able to attend some sessions addressing various aspects of accreditation, which will be helpful to us as we begin our focused review of the curriculum in preparation for our upcoming reaccreditation review in 2013. This year, Dr. Brien Bolin was accepted for CSWE Site Visitor training, and received that training in Portland. This training and certification allows him to be a member of the CSWE site visit teams and gives him additional knowledge of accreditation requirements. We will undoubtedly benefit from the insight he gains through the training and program visits. Our faculty will begin this process with a retreat on November 19th to review the new accreditation standards and identify the components of our curriculum that address the requirements of the Educational Policy and Accreditation Standards (EPAS).

Our School’s Advisory Board has met regularly through the summer and fall, and I want to thank them for their continuing support of the School. Through their dedicated efforts, the Elwin Barrett Fund continues to move ever closer to the goal of full endowment. The Advisory Board has raised over two-thirds of the $15,000 needed for endowment! We appreciate their hard work and the donations of the attendees of the Brown Bag Lunches that are sponsored by the Advisory Board.

I want to thank and congratulate our students, staff, faculty, and community partners for a great fall semester and I look forward to seeing you at our Holiday Open House on December 10th!

---

**Field Notes**

**Sabrina Perez Glatt**

**Director of Field Practicum**

This is the last time you will see this particular picture to portray our regular “In the Field” article. Our Associate Director of Practicum, Courtney Boettcher Smith, will be sharing her talents with the Department of Veterans Affairs. Those who know Courtney know that she has a passion for the aging population and brought her medical expertise to the practicum program. She expanded our aging and medical placement options for our student’s learning. She also brought her enthusiasm for the profession of Social Work which translated to her work with the many communities, agencies, and particularly students, served by the practicum program. In a time of thanksgiving I am thankful for the time, energy, expertise, and dare I say, fun, I have had working with such a competent and giving social worker. I wish her well and look forward to working with her in her new capacity.

I cannot end this article and not be thankful for our many Field Instructors and On Site Supervisors educating our students in the field. I never take your time and efforts for granted and how you chose this way to give back to the profession. As we make our site visits, I think how due to your efforts, our students are helping kids stay in school or home; serving the poor, unemployed, homeless; children and adults who only wish to be safe; those whose trauma dampers their soul and survival; those who are suffering the affects of addictions those around them; those ending their life cycle and the bereavement of those left behind. Students you are a part of this and I am thankful for your service that goes beyond a grade. I look forward to what the semester will bring.
We set our clocks back one hour this week. We had time, extra time, if only an hour. Time to catch up, time to sleep in, and time to slow down. As I listened to NPR, a story ran on watches, time and its meaning. The story pointed out that we are surrounded by time and that getting lost in time is difficult in the modern era of clocks that surround us at every turn. Clocks are on our computers, cell phones, microwaves, in our cars, and other electronic devices. The story goes on to highlight that watches, a mechanical device that is strapped on our bodies, are making a comeback as a statement of fashion. Is time fashionable? As a sociological concept, time is connected to our collective consciousness in modern society. If you have an appointment at 10 o’clock in the morning, you had better not be late. If you are late to work you face being fired in the modern era. However, in more traditional societies, time was measured by the rise and fall of the sun or the changes in the seasons. We did not have to be on time, we just had to make sure tasks and meetings were completed.

When clocks were developed centuries ago, the meaning of time slowly began to change. Now we manipulate time, try to save time, ask for more time on papers or projects, want to know what time events are scheduled, or wish to move forward or back in time. Time is a constant in our busy lives. It is easy to get myopic about how we see situations, events or happenings in our lives. We rush from classes, to practicum, to our jobs and to family without a chance for slowing down or reflection. We all have busy lives. We all are connected by time. Remember to make time for others, the times that you will soon be spending together during the holidays, and take time to relax.

What a busy fall this has been for the BSW Program. We have such enthusiastic students as demonstrated by thirteen of you participating in the Pumpkin Run. Maybe next year we can have a Social Work Team!!

We are in the process of making curricular changes in the Bachelor’s in Social Work Program and will be offering new courses. Some, due to student input. This will occur without adding additional courses. Once these curricular changes have been fully approved we will be coming to classes and informing you of these exciting changes.

We have completed the Admissions to the BSW Program for the Fall Semester. Welcome to you all. We look forward to having you in classes and working with you toward being a Bachelor level Social Worker!

Champions of Respect
Sabrina Perez Glatt

The School of Social Work was greatly represented in the recent events provided by the Sedgwick County Domestic Violence Coalition.

First was Champions of Respect, an award event held yearly by the Sedgwick County Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Coalition. One of our alum, and adjunct instructor, Colleen Fulford was awarded the recognition for Community Based Allies. For the first time college students were recognized for being Champions of the Cause. MSW student, Bobbie Alley and BSW student, Jessica Smith from WSU School of Social Work received these honors. Congratulations to them all.

The School of Social Work also hosted the education portion of the Coalition’s event. The presentation on “Strengthening Bridges: Improving Community Response to Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Assault” was held on main campus. This was well attended while thirteen area professionals from social services, medical, and law enforcement officials who worked in the area of Domestic Violence walked through a simulation of a domestic violence case. Highlighted was the roles and processes which families involved would go through, victim and offender. Feedback indicated the complicated issues in working in this area was a learning experience for the audience.
Greetings,

The Student Organization of Graduate Students (SWOGS) is pleased to announce that we have over 12 members. Thank you all who participated in the October Fall Break SWOGS Potluck, it was successful and truly enjoyable.

As the semester quickly comes to an end and we realize how grateful we are, take the time to remember that there are families all across the Wichita community who may be without during this Holiday Season. Currently SWOGS is doing a fundraiser to raise money for needy families in the Wichita Metropolitan area for the Thanksgiving Holiday season. This holiday fundraiser will allow families to be able to celebrate a Thanksgiving dinner with all of the favorite American holiday foods including turkey, dressing, rolls, and cranberry sauce.

Next Month SWOGS will be organizing a holiday toy drive for kids in the community, if you are interested in being involved or have families for referral contact any of the SWOGS officers. If you want more information on upcoming events that SWOGS has scheduled for the both fall and spring semester please feel free to contact Sabrina Perez Glatt.

Additionally if you are interested in joining SWOGS, contact the school of Social Work.

If you are an organization that would like to partner with SWOGS for a special event or a fundraiser, please let us know! Please contact us for any ideas or requests that you have. We would welcome input from students, staff and the community!

Have a wonderful holiday season. We hope to see you at the School of Social Work Holiday Party on December 10th, at 4:00.

2010-2011 SWOGS Officers:
- President: Philip Pettis
- Vice President: Susan McCoy
- Secretary / Treasurer: Rena Lee
- Faculty Advisor: Sabrina Perez Glatt

SWOGS — Social Work Organization of Graduate Students
Philip Pettis, President

Get involved! SOSW has plenty of opportunities for you to get involved, with short time commitments and larger projects as well. We’ve been reaching out to students by participating with booths at WelcomeFest for incoming college freshman, and on November 13th, we’ll have a booth at the DSI Invitational for high school seniors. We’ve also had a wonderful time participating in this year’s Pumpkin Run to benefit the Leukemia Society, and creating not-so-scary monsters at Trunk or Treat.

Our November/December event is a Hygiene Drive. Several organizations, including the Breakthrough Club, Interfaith Ministries and United Methodist Open Door have recognized a need and answered the call! The Head To Toe Hygiene Pantry began in October. To keep it going and help our local families in need, they need our help! We are collecting Hygiene items at the School of Social Work and drop boxes throughout campus starting now to December 17th. Items that are the most needed include laundry soap, toilet paper & feminine hygiene products. You could also donate disposable razors, toothpaste, and toothbrushes. If you would like to donate items and cannot find a drop box, or would like to have a drop box at your location, work or WSU, please contact Erin Haag at eckelly@wichita.edu

The last meeting of the semester will be held on December 2nd at 3:00 in the Student Social Work Lounge on the 5th floor of LH. We will be organizing volunteers to collect the hygiene items and discussing spring projects. Don’t forget to go to OrgSync to see our calendar and keep connected! This is open to all people with a vested interest in SOSW, not just members—we have different “groups” within the group. You’re welcome to join as a staff member, as a community member or a student!

If you are an organization that would like to partner with SOSW for a special event or a fundraiser, please let us know! Please contact us for any ideas or requests that you have. We would welcome input from students, staff and the community!

Have a wonderful holiday season. We hope to see you at the School of Social Work Holiday Party on December 10th, at 4:00.

2010-2011 SOSW Officers:
- President: Erin Haag
- Vice President: Tim Hunter
- Secretary: Shelby Batt
- Treasurer: Jamie Bailey
- Faculty Advisors: Natalie Grant & Sherry Chapman

— Student Organization of Social Work
Erin Haag, President

Get involved! SOSW has plenty of opportunities for you to get involved, with short time commitments and larger projects as well. We’ve been reaching out to students by participating with booths at WelcomeFest for incoming college freshman, and on November 13th, we’ll have a booth at the DSI Invitational for high school seniors. We’ve also had a wonderful time participating in this year’s Pumpkin Run to benefit the Leukemia Society, and creating not-so-scary monsters at Trunk or Treat.

Our November/December event is a Hygiene Drive. Several organizations, including the Breakthrough Club, Interfaith Ministries and United Methodist Open Door have recognized a need and answered the call! The Head To Toe Hygiene Pantry began in October. To keep it going and help our local families in need, they need our help! We are collecting Hygiene items at the School of Social Work and drop boxes throughout campus starting now to December 17th. Items that are the most needed include laundry soap, toilet paper & feminine hygiene products. You could also donate disposable razors, toothpaste, and toothbrushes. If you would like to donate items and cannot find a drop box, or would like to have a drop box at your location, work or WSU, please contact Erin Haag at eckelly@wichita.edu

The last meeting of the semester will be held on December 2nd at 3:00 in the Student Social Work Lounge on the 5th floor of LH. We will be organizing volunteers to collect the hygiene items and discussing spring projects. Don’t forget to go to OrgSync to see our calendar and keep connected! This is open to all people with a vested interest in SOSW, not just members—we have different “groups” within the group. You’re welcome to join as a staff member, as a community member or a student!

If you are an organization that would like to partner with SOSW for a special event or a fundraiser, please let us know! Please contact us for any ideas or requests that you have. We would welcome input from students, staff and the community!

Have a wonderful holiday season. We hope to see you at the School of Social Work Holiday Party on December 10th, at 4:00.

2010-2011 SOSW Officers:
- President: Erin Haag
- Vice President: Tim Hunter
- Secretary: Shelby Batt
- Treasurer: Jamie Bailey
- Faculty Advisors: Natalie Grant & Sherry Chapman

— Student Organization of Social Work
Erin Haag, President

Get involved! SOSW has plenty of opportunities for you to get involved, with short time commitments and larger projects as well. We’ve been reaching out to students by participating with booths at WelcomeFest for incoming college freshman, and on November 13th, we’ll have a booth at the DSI Invitational for high school seniors. We’ve also had a wonderful time participating in this year’s Pumpkin Run to benefit the Leukemia Society, and creating not-so-scary monsters at Trunk or Treat.

Our November/December event is a Hygiene Drive. Several organizations, including the Breakthrough Club, Interfaith Ministries and United Methodist Open Door have recognized a need and answered the call! The Head To Toe Hygiene Pantry began in October. To keep it going and help our local families in need, they need our help! We are collecting Hygiene items at the School of Social Work and drop boxes throughout campus starting now to December 17th. Items that are the most needed include laundry soap, toilet paper & feminine hygiene products. You could also donate disposable razors, toothpaste, and toothbrushes. If you would like to donate items and cannot find a drop box, or would like to have a drop box at your location, work or WSU, please contact Erin Haag at eckelly@wichita.edu

The last meeting of the semester will be held on December 2nd at 3:00 in the Student Social Work Lounge on the 5th floor of LH. We will be organizing volunteers to collect the hygiene items and discussing spring projects. Don’t forget to go to OrgSync to see our calendar and keep connected! This is open to all people with a vested interest in SOSW, not just members—we have different “groups” within the group. You’re welcome to join as a staff member, as a community member or a student!

If you are an organization that would like to partner with SOSW for a special event or a fundraiser, please let us know! Please contact us for any ideas or requests that you have. We would welcome input from students, staff and the community!

Have a wonderful holiday season. We hope to see you at the School of Social Work Holiday Party on December 10th, at 4:00.

2010-2011 SOSW Officers:
- President: Erin Haag
- Vice President: Tim Hunter
- Secretary: Shelby Batt
- Treasurer: Jamie Bailey
- Faculty Advisors: Natalie Grant & Sherry Chapman
**Student Accomplishments**

**Molly Sapp**

While the assertion “it is better to give than to receive” is a truth most fitting to those in the practice of social work, I believe I may have underestimated the profound power of receiving, from a client, the simple experience of knowing them. A few short weeks ago a very special gentleman came to my practicum for services. This client was both completely blind and profoundly deaf. I noticed that he was communicating with staff and other clients by having the person use their index finger to individually trace letters into the palm of his hand. He would then respond by writing back into their hand or on paper. I was elated to discover that he also knew sign language, as American Sign Language (ASL) was my choice for foreign language at Wichita State University.

I approached this gentleman and finger-spelled my name while he held the top of my hand. “M-O-L-L-Y,” I introduced myself, and he tried to pronounce my name. He was visibly delighted that someone at the agency knew sign language. He used his hands to scan my arms and hair so he could identify me by touch. Over the span of time this gentleman spent at my practicum, he taught me several new signs or signs I had forgotten. He also spent time getting to know me, while I had the privilege to learn about him. I learned that he loves teaching children sign language. In addition, I learned about his family and favorite past times. Other clients were genuinely attracted to his warm personality, and they spent time getting to know him as well. Everyone grew to care for him in a very exceptional way.

One female client watched as the gentleman and I signed back and forth. Afterwards, she spoke of how impressed she was by the ability to communicate more easily with sign language.

She had been spending time writing in his palm, while he wrote back to her on paper. She asked where I learned sign language, and I told her about my tutelage at Wichita State. By the time she left my practicum, she informed me that because of her interaction with this gentleman and her ability to observe ASL, she would be switching her college major to Special Education with ASL as her foreign language.

When it was time to discharge this gentleman, I found myself at a loss of words and signs. I wondered how I could possibly convey to him just how extraordinary and memorable my time with him had been. I stumbled through a goodbye, telling him how happy I was to have met him, that I wished him well, and to take good care of himself. I simply did not have the words to tell him what knowing him had meant to me. Two weeks later, while thinking of him still, I found the words: “I will never forget you.” Indeed, what a rare gift I received, in knowing him.

---

**Amy Mohr**

Amy Mohr has learned the importance of setting goals, both for her patients and herself, through her co-op position. Mohr is currently working as a substance abuse counselor at COM-CARE Addictions Treatment Services. “I work with adolescent boys at a detention facility and do substance abuse treatment with them. I also complete intakes on adults who are seeking substance abuse treatment,” Mohr said.

Learning about a career in social service has taught Mohr a great deal about herself. “Co-op has helped me set down clear goals for myself,” Mohr said. “It has helped me examine where I am in my career and what I want to improve on.” Mohr is confident in her job, but she knows she still has a lot to learn. “Co-op has helped me see ways that I can improve and how to approach my supervisor on helping me make these improvements.”

Watch Amy’s Co-op video.

---

**Faculty Accolades**

**Dr. Brien Bolin**


**Dr. Linnea GlenMaye**


**Dr. Kyoung Lee**


Community Events

Brown Bag Learning:
You Bring Your Lunch; We Serve the CEU’s

RISKY BUSINESS: RUNNING A NOT-FOR-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

Presentation Summary: Running a not-for-profit organization is not without risk. This presentation will highlight the potential for business risks, discuss the importance of communication and identify lessons learned.

Learning Objectives: This presentation will help Social Workers and potential CEOs to: 1) increase awareness of business risks in a not-for-profit organization; 2) develop an understanding of key business practices critical to an agency; and, 3) identify successful communication strategies to a variety of audiences.

Presenter: Deb Voth is President of Rainbows United, Inc. and joined the agency in 1993. She has been instrumental in directing the agency during restructuring, and is committed to leading the organization into the future. Additionally, Voth oversees day-to-day operations and supervises Targeted Case Management Services, Family Support Services and Mental Health Services. She works closely with state and local officials to address developmental disability and Early Childhood issues in our state.

Voth is a graduate of the University of Kansas, Lawrence with a Bachelors in Education and a Master’s degree in Education from Wichita State University.

Prior to coming to Rainbows, she served as Director at Early Education Center in Hutchinson for 13 years. A life-long advocate for children with disabilities, Deb serves on many local and state organizations including appointment by the Governor to the Kansas Early Childhood Interagency Coordinating Council.

Offering 1.5 CEU’s from the WSU School of Social Work
$10.00 tax-deductible donation (cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover) Receipts available.

Wednesday, November 17, 2010 from 12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m. (11:45 a.m. registration at the door)
State Office Building, 230 E William, SRS Room 3080
(one block south of Douglas between Broadway & Market) - plenty of parking caddy-corner South East from SRS building.
Pre-registration not required. Doors open at 11:45 am.

Bring your own lunch. Beverage vending machines are available in the building.
Call WSU School of Social Work at (316) 978-7250 if you have questions.

Future Brown Bag Learning opportunities on the second Wednesday of the month (more or less):
Jan. 12, ’11, Pam Cornwell, LCMFT, Youthville: What They Teach Us About Survival—Children With Complex Trauma
Feb. 9, ’11, Topic: Sex Crimes - more information to follow
Mar 9, ’11, Topic: Deaf and Hard of Hearing - more information to follow
Apr 13, ’11, Topic: Communities in Schools - more information to follow

Sponsored by the WSU SSW Advisory Board for the
Dr. Elwin Barrett Social Work Fund: Supporting the growth of the WSU School of Social Work

If you know of a community offering that should be included in our newsletter, please contact Trisha at trisha.wenrich@wichita.edu or (316) 978-6518.
**Community Events**

**Save the Date!**

**POWER Conference 2011**

The 2011 POWER Conference will be held March 4, 2011. Please save this day on your calendar and join us next year for the POWER Conference!

---

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Faith Home Health & Hospice, LLC**

Make a difference, while gaining experience.

Faith Home Health & Hospice, LLC provides hospice services to patients with an anticipated life expectancy of 6 months or less. Our hospice services provide quality care with a personal touch. We have many opportunities for volunteers to enhance the quality of life of our patients and families. These include:

- Visiting with patients to allow the caregiver a short break.
- Providing companionship by listening to music or reading to the patient.
- Writing letters, recording memories and reminiscing with favorite photos.
- Sitting with the patient and providing emotional support at the end of life for those who do not have family members present.
- Assisting with office support for the hospice program.

In addition to providing a valued service for our patients and their families, hospice volunteering is an excellent way of gaining experience, especially for individuals interested in medical careers or gerontology. If you wish additional information or would like to complete a volunteer application, please contact Cathy Jones at (316) 618-6800.

---

**Tinsel & Tears Camp**

- **What is it?** A 4 hour camp to assist families with their holiday grief, help start conversations, and begin new traditions together
- **Who can come?** Any family with children between 3 and 18 years of age who has had someone die (the death may have been last week or 10 years ago) - Do not have to have participated in past groups at Kidscope
- **Do I need to pre-register?** We prefer that you do just so we’ll have enough supplies and food available for every family. Register by calling Kidzcope at (316) 263-3335
- **Where & when is camp?**
  - Saturday, November 27th at Westlink Christian Church, 2001 N Maize Rd from 10 am - 2 pm
  - Saturday December 4th at Church of the Magdalen, 12626 E 21st St N from 1 - 5 pm
  - Both days have the same activities, so choose the day that works best for you!
- **How much does it cost?** Nothing. Cost has been covered by generous donors.
- **Can I help?** Yes, we need people to bake cookies, help at events, provide snacks for either event day. Monetary donations are always accepted.

---

**Wichita Habitat for Humanity**

Wichita Habitat for Humanity has weekday volunteer opportunities through the end of November. If you have 4 hours that you could give to help a family fulfill their dream of homeownership, please call Glenda at (316) 269-0755. We have volunteer opportunities Tuesday - Friday from 8:30 - noon or 1:00 - 4:00. Thank you for giving of your time and talent.

---

**Tinsel & Tears Camp**

- **What is it?** A 4 hour camp to assist families with their holiday grief, help start conversations, and begin new traditions together
- **Who can come?** Any family with children between 3 and 18 years of age who has had someone die (the death may have been last week or 10 years ago) - Do not have to have participated in past groups at Kidscope
- **Do I need to pre-register?** We prefer that you do just so we’ll have enough supplies and food available for every family. Register by calling Kidzcope at (316) 263-3335
- **Where & when is camp?**
  - Saturday, November 27th at Westlink Christian Church, 2001 N Maize Rd from 10 am - 2 pm
  - Saturday December 4th at Church of the Magdalen, 12626 E 21st St N from 1 - 5 pm
  - Both days have the same activities, so choose the day that works best for you!
- **How much does it cost?** Nothing. Cost has been covered by generous donors.
- **Can I help?** Yes, we need people to bake cookies, help at events, or provide snacks for either event day. Monetary donations are always accepted. Need social workers and others to donate a little time to help facilitate this event. For more information, contact charlene@kidzcope.org.
Employment Offerings

Are you looking for an exciting career opportunity? Join our team of substance abuse treatment professionals.

**Licensed Clinical Mental Health Professional**

CKF is looking for individuals with a solid understanding of substance abuse and mental health issues and services to manage part of our treatment team. The duties of this position include providing clinical supervision and direction to our team of dedicated substance abuse treatment and mental health professionals in the delivery of patient care; including assessments and referral, education programs and individual and/or group therapy. Applicants for this position must have a Master’s Degree in a Human Service field and be a licensed clinical mental health professional (LSCSW, LCP, LCMFT, LCPC) in the State of Kansas for a minimum of 2 years. Applicants must also have Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselor certification or be eligible to test for certification.

*Competitive Salary *Retirement Plan *Health Insurance *Work at Home possibilities
Pre-Employment Drug Screen, Background Check and current valid Driver’s License are required.

Equal Opportunity Employment

Apply online at [www.c-k-f.org](http://www.c-k-f.org) or submit a resume and references to:

Central Kansas Foundation
Attn: Michael Chambers
P.O. Box 2117
Salina, Kansas 67402-2117

Deadline for applications is Nov15, 2010 at noon.

---

**Wichita**

- Client Interaction Zone (KIZ) Attendant
- Chief Advancement and Innovations Officer
- Permanency Specialist
- Account Services Representative
- Bilingual Receptionist
- Functional Family Therapist

**Garden City**

- Foster Care Worker

**Dodge City**

- Youth Care Worker
- Case Manager - PRTF

**Newton**

- Youth Care Worker

---

**Youthville**

Youthville has several openings. Applicants can visit the website at [www.youthville.org](http://www.youthville.org) to complete an application.

---

**New Hope**

New Hope Heartland, a Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility for girls ages 12-21 located in Norwich, KS has the following openings:

**Residential Counselor (Part-time/Pool)**

This position is responsible for the supervision and management of emotionally disturbed adolescents within a Therapeutic Residential Milieu. Must be at least 21 years of age with a HS diploma or GED.

**Registered Nurse (Evening/PRN)**

Must possess a valid Nursing license in the State of Kansas. Psychiatric experience preferred.

Please send resumes to: resumes@heartlandhr.com or call (620) 478-2255.

---

**KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES**

**Social Worker Supervisor**

The West Region SRS is now recruiting for a Social Worker Supervisor position in the Garden City Service Center. This is a full-time benefits eligible position. Primary responsibilities of this position will be to supervise Social Workers and Special Investigators to ensure the protection of children.

Minimum Requirements: License to practice social work in the State of Kansas at the time of hire and one year of experience as a social worker. An Employment summary must be completed and submitted in order to be considered for this position. You can complete one on line at [www.jobs.ks.gov](http://www.jobs.ks.gov), select West Jobs, Requisition #166742. Or contact Denise Voss at (785) 462-6760 x 207 or email denise.voss@srs.ks.gov.

SRS is an ADA/EOE committed to a diverse workforce.

---

**KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**

**Parole Officer I**

The Kansas Department of Corrections is accepting applications for a Parole Officer I position in the Wichita Parole Office. This position provides direction and counsel to an assigned caseload of adult offenders released on parole to assist in their understanding and meeting of the requirements of parole. Work includes assisting offenders with personal, social, financial, family, employment or psychological problems as they reintegrate into the community. This position works to establish, coordinate and participate in community projects designed to enhance the rehabilitation and reintegration processes by working with various community service agencies and law enforcement authorities. Work hours are 8:00 am to 5:00 pm (M-F) with some evening hours required.

Bachelor’s degree with 24 credit hours in criminal justice, social sciences, or behavioral sciences. A candidate for a Parole Officer I must possess a valid driver’s license.

Mark Your Calendar!

Upcoming Dates:

November 15 ......................... MSW Information Night
November 24-28 ..................... Thanksgiving Break (no classes)
December 9 .............................. Last day of Fall Semester classes
December 10 ......................... Study Day
December 11-17 ...................... Finals
December 12 ............................. Fall Commencement
December 23-January 2 ........... Holiday Closing
January 17 .............................. Martin Luther King Holiday (no classes)
January 18 ............................. Spring Semester begins
February 1 ............................ MSW Program Application & Graduate School Application Due
March 4 ............................... POWER Conference

In Memoriam

The School of Social Work mourns the loss of Gloria Tuttle, who passed away on October 8. She was known as “Mrs. Tuttle” to the many students who were awarded Tuttle Scholarships over the last 15 years. The Tuttle Scholarship fund was established in 1994 in honor of her husband, Edward H. Tuttle, who initiated the BSW Program and was the Program’s first Director. Gloria Tuttle was a untiring supporter of the School of Social Work and she took great care and pride in connecting with the students who were the fortunate recipients of the Tuttle undergraduate scholarships and graduate fellowships. Gloria Tuttle was an enthusiastic and loyal supporter of the School and we will miss her enormously. Her gracious spirit and kind compassion will live in our hearts for years to come.

Tuttle, Gloria J. Bailey, 83, beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend, retired Alcoa secretary, passed away October 8, 2010. She was known for her sweet, caring personality. Gloria was a member of Wichita State University Women’s Association Dames. She enjoyed and was devoted to her family and friends. She was preceded in death by husband, Edward Tuttle. Survivors include sons, Steve (Sharon) Bailey of Wichita and Chris (Carol) Bailey of Foothill Ranch, CA; brother, Jack (Judith) Lembke of Wichita; grandchildren, Samuel (Amber) Bailey of Scottsdale, AZ, James (Alicia) Bailey of Andover, Courtney and Christopher Bailey of Foothill Ranch, CA; great-grandchildren, Caroline, Audrey, Noah and Ethan Bailey. Memorials may be sent to WSU Women's Association Scholarship Fund or Harry Hynes Memorial Hospice, 313 S. Market, Wichita KS 67202. Condolences may be offered at www.resthavenmortuary-cemetery.com. Read more: http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/kansas/obituary.aspx?n=gloria-j-bailey-tuttle&pid=145867919&fhid=4860#ixzz123cSBLa3

Sandra Lyon, LSCSW, ended her long battle with cancer and passed away on Wednesday, September 22, 2010. Sandra was a graduate of the WSU BSW Program and went on to earn her MSW from the University of Kansas. Sandra graciously agreed to assume a full time Instructor position with the WSU School of Social Work in 2006/2007. Over the years, Sandra also taught many courses for us as an adjunct professor. As Executive Director of Episcopal Social Services, Sandra will be remembered as a visionary leader in the practice community. Her students admired her for her knowledge of advanced administrative practice and her courage in “fighting” city hall to ensure the survival of programs and services for the most at-risk residents of our city. She will be missed as an excellent instructor and tireless advocate for the poor. Read more: http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/kansas/obituary.aspx?n=sandra-lyon&pid=145561837&fhid=4860#ixzz156F3saKS