

Center for Life Long Learning and Outreach Education

Providing research based professional development opportunities for social workers and social service providers throughout the state of Colorado

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Goals/Activities

- Provide MSW programs to individuals in Colorado
- Provide continuing educational opportunities for both Colorado BSW and MSW social workers including certificate programs
- Partner with Cooperative Extension in providing consultation and educational opportunities for their employees
- Evaluate the need for outreach education within Colorado
- Provide training for human service agencies and Colorado Human Services Department and their constituencies
- Conduct evaluation of distance education and continuing education programs

The Center for Life-long Learning and Outreach Education (CLOE) was developed to reach out to the people of Colorado, especially CSU School of Social Work (SOSW) alumni, as well as social workers and social service providers in the rural areas of the state. CLOE's mission is to administer and integrate degree and non-degree educational programs that extend outside the on-campus degree programs of the SOSW while maintaining high-quality programs that are consistent with the mission and goals of the SOSW, the College of Applied Human Sciences, and Colorado State University.

The CLOE professional development opportunities are offered through



partnerships with the CSU Division of Continuing Education, CSU Extension, United Way, Colorado Head-Start, and many other community and state organizations. Through these efforts, SOSW faculty, students, and alumni become resources for the further development of community capacity throughout the state.

Our current outreach education programs include:

- Distance MSW degree program
- Graduate certificate in mediation
- Annual professional development colloquiums in Grand Junction and Colorado Springs
- A series of one-credit courses on various topics
- Individually-developed training and courses in collaboration with partners