PROPOSAL: Interpersonal Practice Concentration in the Master of Social Work

Background

The Graduate Studies Council of the Faculty Senate has approved changing the name of the Interpersonal Practice concentration within the Master of Social Work program to Clinical Social Work. This change:

- better reflects current terminology in the field.
- is thought to be more recognized within the profession.
- is inclusive of both interpersonal and intrapersonal aspects of human behavior.
- is consistent with the State of Michigan’s Social Work licensure designation.

Recommended Action

Change the name of the Interpersonal Practice concentration within the Master of Social Work program to Clinical Social Work.