

Society for Social Work Leadership in Health Care

The SSWLHC membership is comprised of social workers dedicated to addressing the psychosocial components of health and illness as leaders, both formally and informally. The organization promotes the universal availability and accessibility of health services including evidence based practices which contribute to optimal health outcomes. Our members work in hospitals, home care, hospices, school clinics, primary care settings, private agencies, managed care organizations, regulatory, research, long term care, and a wide range of other settings.

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As a student member you will have the opportunity to network and connect with social work experts in health care, develop and expand leadership skills, and gain access to a wide range of resources including mentorship programs.

Why Join?

Strengthen your Health Care Leadership Skills Through:

- Networking with national and international social work health care experts
- Individualized 1:1 mentorship program
- Accessing leadership tools and resources
- Participating on committees and initiatives
- Presenting at national conferences
- Keeping up to date with current events in health care via social media and listserv

Current membership benefits include:

- Access to Society Information, resources and career opportunities through SSWLHC's website
- Continuing education opportunities, including the annual meeting and conference
- Access to free online exemplars
- Exclusive members only discounts on educational programs
- Weekly emails regarding SSWHLC and industry updates
- Ability to participate in the mentorship program
- Access to the membership database
- Access to the membership List Serve

Our Vision Statement: To be the leading professional organization for social workers in healthcare.

Our Mission Statement: As the premier national and international organization for social workers in health care, we will empower members by providing access to evidence-based standards of practice, enhanced partnerships and collaboration, actionable support and education for direct care social workers, advocacy to inform local and national social policy and education for and connection with emerging and established leaders.