Advanced Standing MSW applicants who have below a 3.0 in a core course will have the ability to apply to the Advanced Standing option provided that they meet the conditions outlined in the policy below.

**Policy**

- Course repeat is limited to one course only.
- Course may only be repeated a maximum of one time.
- Courses may not be repeated if it falls in the Social Welfare Practice sequence, in the Human Behavior and the Social Environment sequence or is part of Practicum Seminar.
- The original course grade must be a C+ or 2.5 or higher in order to qualify for course repeat consideration.
- If a student repeats a course and earns a 3.0 or B grade or higher GPA in the class, then we accept the grade as meeting proficiency in the content. The two grades will not be averaged.
- Course must be repeated at a CSWE accredited BASW/BSW Program.
- If planning to repeat class at UW Tacoma, then permission of the instructor in consultation with the Social Work Program advising staff will be required prior to submitting an application. *Classroom availability and cohort size may impact final decisions.*

*Approved by the UW Tacoma faculty during autumn quarter 2006.*