



COUNCIL ON SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION

**Board of Accreditation (BOA)**

**Department of Social Work Accreditation (DOSWA)**

*Baccalaureate, Master's, and Practice Doctorate Social Work Program Accreditation*

## **Reaffirmation Fees and Related Expenses**

Below are the current costs associated with the reaffirmation process. Accreditation fees are subject to change by CSWE each fiscal year. **The program is invoiced for each fee in accordance with the program's timetable, and here is [how to make payments for these accreditation fees](#).**

- 1. Reaffirmation Eligibility Fee: \$2,500 per accredited program**  
The reaffirmation eligibility fee covers staff time to review and approve the materials submitted to determine institutional eligibility for the reaffirmation of the social work program's accreditation status.
- 2. Reaffirmation Fee: \$5,250 per accredited program**  
The reaffirmation fee covers the work of the staff in processing and reviewing program documents and that of the Board of Accreditation in reaching a decision regarding the program's compliance with the accreditation standards.
- 3. Self-Study Costs**  
Self-study costs will vary by program. Examples of expenses include faculty-assigned time, meeting expenses and other administrative costs.
- 4. Site Visit Expenses**  
All expenses related to the candidacy visit are borne by the program. Programs are to prepay all travel expenses and hotel, and reimburse the site visitor's out-of-pocket expenses, which may include, but is not limited to, ground transportation and meals.