Proposed Professional Capabilities Framework for Social Workers

**Professional Capabilities**
- Values & Ethics
- Diversity
- Rights, Justice and Economic Wellbeing
- Knowledge
- Critical Reflection & Analysis
- Intervention and Skills
- Contexts and Organisations
- Professional Leadership

**Career Stages**
- Advanced Practitioner
- Senior Practitioner
- Practice Educator
- Social Worker Manager
- Newly Qualified Social Worker / Assessed & Supported Year in Employment
- Initial Qualification
- Assessment of readiness for direct practice
- End of first placement
- Entry to Social Worker
- End of qualifying programme
- Entry to NQSW/ASYE
- End of final placement
- Senior Social Worker
- Advanced Practitioner

**Level Specifications**
- as recommended by the Social Work Task Force