

Bachelor of Social Work

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College of Health Sciences (CHS) Department of Social Work

Major Code 281A
CIP Code 44.071
Non-Teaching

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General Education.....44

Major Requirements that may also satisfy General Education requirements.....13

Required Cognate Courses:

*BIO 1102 ____ (4) Biology in Society II or upper level course with significant human biology content and approval of Chair

*ECO 2030 ____ (3) Principles of Economics

*PSY 1200 ____ (3) Psychology: Historical, Social & Scientific Foundations

*SOC 1000 ____ (3) The Sociological Perspective or *SOC 1100 ____ (3) Social Problems in American Society

PSY 2401 ____ (3) Abnormal Psychology (Pre: PSY 1200) or SOC 2020 ____ (3) Social Deviance

*ANT 1415 ____ (3) Understanding Culture or *ANT 2420 ____ (3) Gender, Race, & Class

Note: *Up to 13 sh from cognate courses may count towards General Education requirements
(actual number dependent on perspectives).

Overall GPA and Major GPA of 2.5 are required for admission to the Professional Sequence and for graduation. A minimum grade of "C" is required for each social work course and each required cognate course. Minimum of 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be completed at Appalachian.

Required Major Courses.....52 sh

A. Foundation Level Social Work Courses (15 sh)

SW 2010 ____ (3) Professional Social Work in Contemporary Society (Pre: Prerequisite: at least 2nd semester freshman standing)

SW 2020 ____ (3) The American Social Welfare System

SW 2615 ____ (3) Cultural Competence in the Helping Professions

SW 2630 ____ (3) Human Behavior & the Social Environment

(Pre: BIO 1102 or its equivalent, PSY 1200, and SOC 1000 or SOC 1100)

SW 3000 ____ (3) Basic Skills for the Social Work Profession

(Pre: PSY 1200, and SOC 1000 or SOC 1100; or consent of BSW Program Director)

B. Professional Sequence Courses (34 sh)

Admission to Professional Sequence (or permission of the Department) required for all courses.

SW 3330 ____ (3) Social Welfare Politics, Programs, Issues [WID]

(Pre: Admission to the professional sequence or consent of BSW Program Director. Coreq: ECO 2030.)

SW 3850 ____ (3) Social Work Research Methods I

(Pre: Quantitative Literacy or MA 0010, and admission to the professional sequence, or consent of BSW Program Director)

SW 3870 ____ (4) Social Work Research Methods II (Pre: SW 3850)

SW 4000 ____ (3) Social Work Practice with Individuals and Families

(Pre: admission to the professional sequence or consent of BSW Program Director)

SW 4010 ____ (3) Social Work Practice with Groups

(Pre: admission to the professional sequence or consent of BSW Program Director)

SW 4020 ____ (3) Social Work Practice in Communities and Organizations

(Pre: admission to the professional sequence or consent of BSW Program Director)

SW 4650 ____ (12) Social Work Field Instruction

(Co-req: SW 4690; Pre: Completion of all social work required courses and cognate courses and permission of the field committee)

SW 4690 ____ (3) Senior Seminar: Issues & Ethics for Field & Profession [CAP] (Co-req: SW 4650)

C. Choose one social work elective (3 sh)

(Specially approved Special Topics courses may be counted as an elective)

SW 4210 ____ (3) Social Work and the Law

SW 4220 ____ (3) Social Work and Substance Dependence

SW 4240 ____ (3) Social Work Practice in Healthcare

SW 4250 ____ (3) Spirituality, Religion, and Secularism in Social Work

SW 4270 ____ (3) School Social Work

SW 4280 ____ (3) Social Work Issues in Developmental Disabilities

SW 4365 ____ (3) Social Work Practice with Children and Families

SW 4555 ____ (3) Death, Dying, and Living

SW 4565 ____ (3) Human Sexuality and Affectional Relationships

SW 4630 ____ (3) Programs & Services for Older Adults

Electives.....20

Note: 2 sh of free elective outside the major discipline are required

(Minor - Optional)

TOTAL122