

Social Work, Certificate

School Art, Humanities, Social Sciences and Public Service

Program Description

The Social Work Certificate program is designed for those students who are seeking entry-level positions in the field of social work or are currently employed within an agency that will recognize this achievement with compensation and/or advancement.

Career Opportunities

This certificate is intended to increase a person's general knowledge of the field, interviewing skills, ability to run group sessions, understanding of psychological disorders and the facts about drugs and alcohol, treatment and prevention. Individuals completing this program will have advanced knowledge and skills to work in any setting providing direct care.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successfully completing this program, students will be able to:

- Utilize knowledge of the social work profession including types of clients, professional ethics, social service systems, diagnosis and treatment when working with clients and agencies.
- Demonstrate social work skills such as interviewing, group counseling and documenting.

Sugg. Term	Seq #	Course ID	Course Title	Cr	Prereq/Coreq(Co)	Options Available
1st Semester	1	PDV 101	First Year Seminar	1		
	2	Elective	Restricted Elective	3		
	3	SWK 155	Introduction to Social Work	3		
2nd Semester	4	SWK 157	Interviewing and Recordkeeping Skills	3	SWK 155	
	5	SWK 172	Drug and Alcohol Dependency	3		
3rd Semester	6	SWK 160	Group Process	3	SWK 155 and SWK 157	
	7	PSY 160	General Psychology	3		

Minimum Program Credits

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Restricted Electives: ASL 101; ASL 102; BIO 155; BUS 158; HIS 155; HIS 156; HIS 255; PHL 101; PHL 103; POL 155; POL 255; PSY 265; PSY 268; SOC 161; SPC 155; SWK 163; SWK 259;