

# Human Services

## Associate of Applied Science Degree

2009-10 Academic Year

Major Code: 440701C

### About the Program

The Human Services program is designed to provide pre-employment training and education for entry-level social service workers and substance abuse counselors through classroom studies and practical experience. They may be serving people in such areas as senior services, crisis counseling, corrections, health, recreation, developmental disabilities, residential treatment or chemically dependent people and their families. The agencies provide inpatient and outpatient programs. Students are prepared during the second year of the program to take the exam that provides Certified Alcohol Drug Counselor (CADC) Level 1 certification.

Some courses in this program may not transfer to other institutions. Students intending to transfer should seek advisor assistance to determine transferability.

### Entry Requirements

Admittance to the program is on a first-come basis, selected from a list compiled beginning May 1 of every year. Students are required to take the college placement test to determine skill level and readiness in math, reading, and writing. As part of their training program, students must begin with the courses within their skill levels as determined by the placement test scores. In addition, students may also be required to enroll in classes that would increase their employability and success. Practicum placement may require passing a criminal history background check. The inability to pass this check may preclude completion of the program. Students in recovery seeking placement in substance abuse treatment programs may also be required to demonstrate two years' sobriety. More information is available from the Human Services Department.

### Advanced Standing

Coursework from accredited colleges and universities will be accepted in accordance with college policies and the Human Services Department head's approval. In order to ensure that coursework is current, social science courses over 10 years old must be reviewed and approved by the appropriate department head before being accepted toward core requirements. Each "2+2" Early College Credit student must meet with a faculty member to determine placement.

### Graduation Requirements

Students completing the required credits in this program with a grade of "C" or better and passing the counseling skills competency requirement as demonstrated through a series of videotaped counseling interviews will receive their degrees. Certain required courses are graded on a pass/no pass basis only. A grade of "P" for these courses indicates a student earned a "C" or better grade. Note: Effective summer term 2009, many general education courses went from three to four credits. The three-credit version of any art, writing, speech, humanities, or social science course will meet the same degree requirements as the new four-credit version. Students must still complete all required courses in this degree and at least 90 applicable credits to receive an associate degree.

A total of 660 hours of documented practicum (20 credits) is required. A minimum of four practicum seminars must also be completed.

### Prerequisites <sup>1</sup>

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
—	Approved 3-4 credit computer science class, CS120 or above (or documented computer proficiency) <sup>2</sup>	0-4
MTH60	Fundamentals of Algebra I or	
BT160	Business Math or higher level math	4
PSY101	Psychology of Human Relations	3
RD30	College Reading II (or designated placement test score as shown on current indicator chart)	4
SP111	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	4
WR121	English Composition I	4
		19-23

### Required First Year Courses

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
<b>First Term</b>		
HS100	Introduction to Human Services	3
HS170	Introduction to Practicum	3
PSY119	Life Processes	4
PSY201	General Psychology I	4
SOC243	Drugs, Crime and Addiction	4
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<b>Second Term</b>		
CG144	Introduction to Assertiveness	1
HS152	Stress Management	1
HS155	Interviewing Theory and Techniques	4
HS175	Ethics for Counselors	1
HS261C	Human Services Practicum and Seminar	3
PSY202	General Psychology II	4
PSY231	Human Sexuality	3
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<b>Third Term</b>		
HE199	Special Studies: HIV and Infectious Diseases	1
HS261D	Human Services Practicum and Seminar	4
HS115	Client Record Management	3
HS202	Counseling the Chemically Dependent Client I	3
LIB127	Introduction to Library Research Methods	1
PSY215	Life Span Human Development	4
		16
<b>TOTAL FIRST YEAR CREDITS</b>		<b>51</b>

### Required Second Year Courses

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
<b>Fourth Term</b>		
HDFS260	Child Abuse and Neglect	3
HS201	Family Dynamics	3
HS210	Motivational Interviewing	3
HS261D	Human Services Practicum and Seminar	4
PSY219	Introduction to Abnormal Psychology	4
		17
<b>Fifth Term</b>		
HS260	Group Counseling	4
HS261E	Human Services Practicum and Seminar	5
HS266	Crisis Intervention Strategies	3
HS268	Co-occurring Disorders: Introductory Theory and Counseling	3
		15

<b>Course No.</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>Sixth Term</b>		
HE261	CPR	1
HS261D	Human Services Practicum and Seminar	4
HS265	Counseling Theories	3
SOC213	Multicultural America	4
SOC230	Introduction to Gerontology	4
		16
<b>TOTAL SECOND YEAR CREDITS</b>		<b>48</b>
<b>TOTAL PROGRAM CREDITS</b>		<b>99</b>

### Approved Program Electives

<b>Course No.</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HS204	Counseling Chemically Dependent Client II	3

<sup>1</sup> All prerequisite courses are required for graduation and may include additional classes based on placement scores.

<sup>2</sup> Successful completion of CS101 or otherwise meeting the proficiency requirement within the last 10 years fulfills this requirement.

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