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| |  | | --- | | **Social and Human Services, AS**  **[2022-2023 catalog]** | |  |   Return to {$returnto_text} Return to: [Programs of Study](https://catalog.fsw.edu/content.php?catoid=16&navoid=1616)  **Purpose**  The Associate in Science (AS) in Social and Human Services program prepares students for further education and careers in human services, counseling, social work, psychology, gerontology, or other related fields. Graduates may work under the supervision of counselors, social workers, psychologists, sociologists, and other professionals at hospitals, mental health clinics, residential facilities, or community service agencies.  Employment in Social and Human Services is projected to grow much faster than the average for all occupations. A growing elderly population and rising demand for social services are expected to drive demand. Employment and wages data for Human Services are published by the United States Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics at: [www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes211093.htm](https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes211093.htm)  **Program Structure**  This is an open enrollment program; upon admittance to the college, no additional application is required.  This program is a planned sequence of instruction consisting of 60 credit hours in the following areas: 15 credit hours of General Education Requirements, 36 credit hours of Program Requirements, and 9 credits in a Specialty Track or Electives. The curriculum includes a combination of classroom and field experiences.  Students who successfully complete all requirements for the Social and Human Services AS degree may concurrently earn the Human Services Generalist College Credit Certificate (CCC). By completing additional required coursework, students may also earn these certificates:   * Addiction Services College Credit Certificate (CCC) * Youth Development Services College Credit Certificate (CCC)   To earn each College Credit Certificate, the student must declare it as a Secondary Major. Please contact the program advisor for more information.  **Residency Requirements**  Students will complete a total of 100 internship hours in a Social and Human Services setting. HUS 2842L - Counseling Residency I will provide an environment in which to integrate the knowledge, theory, skills, and behaviors of the profession.  Some settings may require a criminal background check that includes fingerprinting and drug screening. Health history and proof of immunizations may be required. Students may also be required to complete pre-residency training or other activities. Students must provide their own transportation to and from their assigned residency sites.  **Board Certification Opportunities**  The Social and Human Services AS program is a member of the Council for Standards in Human Service Education (CSHSE) and supports the work of the Council in setting national standards for human services education. This distinction allows students to sit for the Human Services-Board Certified Practitioner Examination (HS-BCPE™). After passing the exam, earning the AS degree in Social and Human Services, and obtaining supervised post-graduate human services work experience, students will be eligible to apply for the Human Services-Board Certified Practitioner (HS-BCP™) credential. For more information, contact the program advisor or Center for Credentialing & Education at http://www.cce-global.org/Credentialing/HSBCP .  The Social and Human Services Program is a Florida Certification Board approved provider. Students who complete the Addiction Services CCC may meet training requirements for Florida board certification as a Certified Addiction Counselor. Students who complete the AS in Social and Human Services may meet the training requirements for additional board certifications. For more information, contact the Florida Certification Board at <https://flcertificationboard.org/>  **Course Prerequisites**  ***Many courses require prerequisites.*** Check the description of each course in the list below for prerequisites, minimum grade requirements, and other restrictions. Students must complete all prerequisites for a course prior to registering for it.  **Graduation Requirements**  Students must fulfill all requirements of their program to be eligible for graduation. To earn the AS in Social and Human Services degree, all courses must be completed with a grade of “C” or better, including General Education, Program, and Special Track Requirements or Electives. Students must indicate their intention to attend commencement ceremony by completing the Commencement Form by the published deadline. |
| **General Education Requirements: 15 Credit Hours**   * [ENC 1101 - Composition I](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * General Education Core Social Sciences (Students required by F.A.C. 6A-10.02413 to demonstrate Civic Literacy should take [AMH 2020](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616" \l "tt6513" \t "_blank) or [POS 2041](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616" \l "tt9552" \t "_blank)) **3 credits** * General Education Core Mathematics **3 credits** * General Education Core Natural Sciences **3 credits** * General Education Core Humanities **3 credits**   **Program Requirements: 36 Credit Hours**   * [HUS 1001 - Introduction to Human Services](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits**   **OR**  [SOW 2031](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616" \l "tt8564" \t "_blank) - Introduction to Social Work**3 credits**   * [HUS 1320 - Theories and Foundations of Crisis Intervention](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 1400 - Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 2200 - Dynamics of Groups and Group Counseling](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 2302 - Techniques of Interviewing](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 2842L - Counseling Residency I](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * PSY 2012 – Introduction to Psychology **3 credits** * CLP 1001 – Psychology of Success **3 credits** * CLP 2140 – Abnormal Psychology **3 credits** * SYG 1000 – Principles of Sociology **3 credits** * IDS 2891 - CREATIVE Capstone **3 credits** * SLS 1515 Cornerstone Experience **3 credits\***   **OR**  [HUS 2315 - Studies in Behavioral Modification](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits**  \* All incoming degree-seeking students who have earned fewer than 30 credits are required to take and successfully complete SLS 1515 - Cornerstone Experience in the first semester.  **Specialty Track or Electives: 9 Credit Hours**  **Choose one option:**    **Option 1: Addiction Services Track (9 Credit Hours)**   * [HUS 2404 - Working with Alcoholics and Other Drug Abusers](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 2411 - Introduction to Chemical Dependencies](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 2428 - Treatment and Resources in Substance Abuse](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits**   **Option 2: Youth Development Track (9 Credit Hours)**   * [DEP 2004 - Lifespan Development](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 1640 - Principles of Youth Work](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits** * [HUS 2540 - Building Stronger Families and Communities](https://catalog.fsw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=16&poid=1588&returnto=1616) **3 credits**   **Option 3: Electives (9 Credit Hours)**   * Any 1000 or 2000 level courses **9 credits** (Recommended: HUS 2315 if not taken above)   **Total Degree Requirements: 60 Credit Hours**  **Information** **is available online at: [www.fsw.edu/academics/](http://www.fsw.edu/academics/)****and on the School of Health Professions Home page at: [www.fsw.edu/sohp](http://www.fsw.edu/sohp)** |

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