

2015 Social Work Advising and Degree Planning Guide

Admission Guidelines

A minimum of 30 credit hours, 2.50 GPA, "C" or higher in SOWK 1100, SOC 1010, BIOL 1040, POLS 1100, PSYC 1010, and MATH 1150; completion of at least 30 hours of work in a social service agency. Applications are accepted Sept. 30th for Spring Semester and January 30th for Fall semester. Application Forms are available on the department web page. Apply to the program during sophomore year. Grade of "C" or higher is required in all Degree Program Core Courses.

Courses that should be completed during the student's first two years

(Credit hours listed in parenthesis, *prerequisites in italics*)

GSW 1120 (3, *placement, or completion of GSW 1100 or 1110*)
BIOL 1040 (4)
MATH 1150 (3)
POLS 1100 (3)
PSYC 1010 (4)
SOC 1010 (3)
SOWK 1100 (3)

Additional Requirements

(Credit hours listed in parenthesis, *prerequisites in italics*)

SOC 3010(3, *SOC 1010*)
or PSYC 3110 (3, *PSYC 1010*)
PSYC 4050 (3, *PSYC 1010*)
2 BG Perspectives: Humanities & Arts * (6)
2 BG Perspectives: Social Science * (6)
2 BG Perspectives: Natural Sciences
Extra hours of BG Perspectives (*need 36 hours total*)

*One required *International Perspective* course and one required *Cultural Diversity in the U.S.* course must be taken.

Social Work Course Sequence and Prerequisites

The following courses require admission to the Social Work Program

DHS 3000 (3)

SOWK 2280 (3, *SOWK 1100, spring only*)

DHS 3300 (3)

SOWK 3250 (4, *DHS 3300, junior standing*) → SOWK 3290 (3, *DHS 3300, SOWK 3250*)
SOWK 4060 (3, *SOWK 3250*)

SOWK 3200 (3, *SOC 1010 and PSYC 1010*) → SOWK 3210 (3, *SOWK 3200*)

SOWK 3120 (3, *POLS 1100, fall only*) → SOWK 3220 (3, *SOWK 3120, spring only*)

SOWK 4100 (3, *fall only*) or 4200 (3, *fall only*)

SOWK 4230 (12) and 4300 (3) (Field Experience & Seminar) – taken AFTER all program core courses are completed. Students are encouraged to develop a detailed plan of study with their faculty advisor.