



Human Services Program - EVERETT

Two-Year Plan of Study for Students

Days/Times are available on the HSP website (classes are in the late afternoon or evening)

<https://wce.wvu.edu/hs/schedules-and-textbooks>

YEAR I			
FALL (12 credits)	WINTER (12 credits)	SPRING (12 credits)	SUMMER (? credits)
HSP 301 (4) HS Professionals & Personal Systems	HSP 303 (4) Interpersonal & Small Group	HSP 325 (4) Interviewing & Interventions	
HSP 302 (4) Intro to HS	HSP 340 (4) Intro to Field Studies	HSP 440 (4) Internship	
HSP 385 (4) Applied Research	HSP 455 (4) Diversity & Social Justice Dynamics	HSP 315 (4) Human Development	
Required Elective (4) – may be completed in any quarter			
ELECTIVES*	ELECTIVES*	ELECTIVES*	ELECTIVES*

YEAR 2			
FALL (12 credits)	WINTER (12 credits)	SPRING (12 credits)	
HSP 402 (4) Inequity in US Policies & Institutions	HSP 404 (4) HS Professionals & Community Systems	HSP 406 (4) HS Professionals & Global Systems	
HSP 440 (4) Internship	HSP 440 (4) Internship	Required Elective (4)	
HSP 435 (4) HS & Management	HSP 485 (4) Program Planning & Evaluation	Required Elective (4)	
ELECTIVES*	ELECTIVES*	ELECTIVES*	

*** STUDENTS MUST COMPLETE 180 CREDITS OF COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY COURSEWORK FOR B.A. DEGREE; ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES MAY BE NEEDED DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF TRANSFER CREDITS. ACADEMIC ADVISOR CAN ASSIST WITH DETERMINING HOW MANY ELECTIVES ARE NEEDED.**

Human Services Program Coursework

The 76 credit major includes coursework that fosters the development of knowledge, skills, theory, and experiences related to the human services professional. Students take 12 credits of required program electives in order to tailor the program to their personal interests. (Additional electives may be needed to reach the 180 credits necessary for the BA degree.)

Systems Coursework (20 credits)	Skill-Focused Coursework (28 credits)
<p><i>Students examine individual, interpersonal, small group, organizational, community, and global systems in relation to human services</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HSP 301 (4) – Human Services Professionals and Personal Systems • HSP 303 (4) – Interpersonal and Small Group Systems • HSP 402 (4) – Inequity in U.S Policies and Institutions • HSP 404 (4) – Human Services Professionals and Community Systems • HSP 406 (4) – Human Services Professionals and Global Systems 	<p><i>Students gain the knowledge and skills needed to be human service professionals</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HSP 302 (4) – Introduction to Human Services • HSP 315 (4) – Human Development and Human Services • HSP 325 (4) – Interviewing and Interventions for Human Services • HSP 385 (4) – Applied Research Methods • HSP 435 (4) – Human Services and Management • HSP 455 (4) - Diversity & Social Justice Dynamics • HSP 485 (4) – Program Planning and Evaluation
Field Studies (16 credits)	Human Services Electives (12 credits)
<p><i>Students spend 12 hours per week gaining professional experience in an approved human services setting</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HSP 340 (4) – Introduction to Field Studies • HSP 440 (12-16) – Internship and Seminar 	<p><i>Courses include topics such as:</i></p> <p>Abuse & Neglect, Addictions, Aging, Conflict & Dispute Resolution, disAbilities Children, Families, & Communities, Gender, Sexuality, & Human Services, Grant Writing, Health Promotion & Education, Mental Health, Poverty & Inequality, Social Welfare Policy, Trauma & Resilience, and Youth & Family Work</p>

* All students are required to complete their GURs, either at Western or by completing a Direct Transfer Degree (DTA) from a WA state community college