



ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE
HUMAN AND SOCIAL SERVICES –
GERONTOLOGY MAJOR

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Health and Public Services Division

Human Services and Justice Studies Department

| TECHNICAL Course Number | Course Title | Credits | Pre- and Co-Requisites | Completed Sem./Year |
|------------------------------------|---|----------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| GER121 | Introduction to Gerontology | 3 | | |
| GER122 | Psychosocial Aspects of Aging++ | 3 | | |
| HJS250 | Human Services and Justice Studies Practicum and Seminar | 3 | CJS221 or GLS123 or SWK130 or CDC222 | |
| SWK121 | Introduction to Social Welfare++^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency | |
| SWK124 | Methods in Practice I++ | 3 | SWK121 | |
| SWK125 | Substance Abuse^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency | |
| SWK126 | Human Behavior in the Social Environment++^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency | |
| SWK130 | Methods in Practice II++ | 3 | SWK124 | |
| SWK224 | Poverty in the U.S.++ | 3 | SWK121 and ENG124 | |
| SWK230 | Social Services for the Elderly++ | 3 | ENG124 | |
| | Total | 30 | | |
| NON-TECH Course Number | Course Title | Credits | Pre- and Co-Requisites | Completed Sem./Year |
| SSC101 | Student Success Seminar^^ | 1 | <i>Take first semester</i> | |
| BIO127 | Human Biology | 4 | | |
| BUS122 | Basic Economics^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency | |
| COM121 | Effective Speaking | 3 | | |
| ENG124 | College Composition ^ | 3 | Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency | |
| ITD122 | Computer Applications for Professionals^ | 3 | ITD100 or Proficiency | |
| MTH108 or MTH124 | Explorations in Modern Mathematics^ or Statistics^Ω | 3 or 3 | <i>Check for prerequisites</i> | |
| PSC121 | Political Science | 3 | | |
| PSY121 | General Psychology^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency | |
| SOC121 | Sociology^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency | |
| SOC225 | Cultural Diversity++ | 3 | | |
| | Total | 32 | | |
| | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 62 | | |

^Based on SSC placement scores.

^^To promote student success, this course should be taken in the first semester.

++Minimum grade of "C" required.

Ω MTH124 should only be taken by students planning to transfer to a four-year institution.

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FULL-TIME STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

Course Sequence

The semester-by-semester listing below provides the normal scheduling option for full-time associate degree students who plan to finish in two years.

| <u>First Semester</u> | | <u>Credit Hours</u> | <u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u> |
|------------------------|--|---------------------|--|
| SSC101 | Student Success Seminar^^ | 1 | <i>Take first semester</i> |
| COM121 | Effective Speaking | 3 | |
| ENG124 | College Composition^ | 3 | Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency |
| GER121 | Introduction to Gerontology | 3 | |
| SOC121 | Sociology^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency |
| SWK121 | Introduction to Social Welfare+++^ | <u>3</u> | IDS102 or Proficiency |
| | | 16 | |
| <u>Second Semester</u> | | | |
| BIO127 | Human Biology | 4 | |
| ITD122 | Computer Applications for Professionals^ | 3 | ITD100 or Proficiency |
| MTH108 | Explorations in Modern Mathematics^ | 3 | |
| or | or | or | <i>Check for prerequisites</i> |
| MTH124 | Statistics^Ω | 3 | |
| SWK124 | Methods in Practice I++ | 3 | SWK121 |
| SWK224 | Poverty in the U.S.++ | <u>3</u> | SWK121 and ENG124 |
| | | 16 | |
| <u>Third Semester</u> | | | |
| PSY121 | General Psychology^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency |
| SOC225 | Cultural Diversity++ | 3 | |
| SWK125 | Substance Abuse^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency |
| SWK126 | Human Behavior in the Social Environment+++^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency |
| SWK130 | Methods in Practice II++ | <u>3</u> | SWK124 |
| | | 15 | |
| <u>Fourth Semester</u> | | | |
| BUS122 | Basic Economics^ | 3 | IDS102 or Proficiency |
| GER122 | Psychosocial Aspects of Aging++ | 3 | |
| HJS250 | Human Services and Justice Studies Practicum and Seminar | 3 | CJS221 or GLS123 or SWK130 or CDC222 |
| PSC121 | Political Science | 3 | |
| SWK230 | Social Services for the Elderly++ | <u>3</u> | ENG124 |
| | | 15 | |
| | TOTAL CREDITS | 62 | |

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