Minors

Human Services - Minor
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The Human Services minor is intended to provide students with an introduction to the human services profession and develop skills and knowledge associated with this field. The courses required for this minor help students acquire basic competencies such as communication, counseling and helping skills, knowledge of human services theory and awareness of the impact of race, gender, ethnicity, family, spirituality, government, education and social systems on the delivery of human services. Students in the 2015 catalog year and beyond may declare this minor.

Admission Requirements
- Have a minimum 2.5 overall GPA
- Complete the University General Education Program requirements or its equivalent, i.e. an A.A. degree from an approved Florida College System or State University System institution.

Minor Requirements
- Students should see an advisor prior to registering for classes.
- At least 12 hours in the minor must be earned at UCF.
- Students must earn a grade of “C” or better in all courses required for the minor.
- Must maintain a minimum overall MINOR GPA of 2.5.

Prerequisite Courses
- None

Required Courses (15 hrs)
- MHS 2090  Introduction to Human Services  3 hrs
- MHS 2330  Career Planning  3 hrs
- MHS 2441  Couples, Families and Intimate Relationships  3 hrs
- MHS 3052  Helping Skills for Human Service Providers  3 hrs
- MHS 3426  Diversity Issues in Human Services  3 hrs

Restricted Electives (3 hrs)
- Three semester hours of a restricted elective with PSY, SOW, DEP, EEC or EEX prefix (selected with advisor’s approval).

Foreign Language Requirements
- None

Total Semester Hours Required
- 18

Other Requirements
- No credit by exam (CLEP, Military Credit) may be used.
- Transfer credits from other colleges/universities may be considered.