

## Course Requirements for VAWC Certificate

- Violence and Abuse in Adulthood OR Violence and Abuse in Childhood (Advanced HBSE Requirement)
- Advanced Social Policy: Violence Against Women & Children (SWPS II: VAWC)
- Two electives related to violence against women and children, as approved by VAWC staff.

### **Coursework/assignments must be focused on issues of violence against women and children.**

- Approved electives include:
  - Violence and Abuse in Adulthood (if Childhood is taken as required course)
  - Violence and Abuse in Childhood (if Adulthood is taken as required course)
  - Clinical Social Work: Working with Survivors of Abuse and Trauma
  - Women's Issues
  - International Social Work
  - Social Work with Immigrants and Refugees
  - Adolescents at Risk
  - Child Welfare Management
  - Law and Social Work
  - Clinical Social Work with Families
  - Clinical Social Work with Children
  - Clinical Social Work with Adolescents
  - Clinical Social Work: Health Care
  - Play Therapy
  - Girls, Gangs, and Violence
  - SW Perspectives on AIDS /HBSE: AIDS
  - Current Issues in Developmental Disabilities
  - Chronic Illness & Disability
  - Human Sexuality for the Helping Professions
  - LGBTQ Issues
  - Victimology (Criminal Justice course)
  - Violent Crimes (Criminal Justice course)
  - Policy Perspectives on Poverty and Inequality (as of Spring 2014)
  - Special topics course- Children's Mental Health Services

*\*\*Other courses not listed may count towards the elective requirement. For approval of other courses as electives, please provide us with the course description and syllabus for the course.*