

## INTENSIVE WEEKEND PROGRAM Curriculum at a Glance

### 3 Year Program: 60 credits

<b>1<sup>st</sup> year students:</b> order of generalist courses are not yet determined; courses differ by location								
Courses	FALL	Course dates	Courses	SPRING	Course dates	Courses	SUMMER	Course dates
NC course	Writing for Social Workers & Field Orientation	Sept –Oct	Course 1	[502]HBSE (or SWP 1 or other generalist)	Jan –Feb	Course 1	[501] Social Work Practice 2 (or other generalist, when SWP 1 is Nov/Dec)	May – June
Course 1	[500] Social Work Practice 1 (or other generalist)	Nov –Dec	Course 2	[504] SWPS I (or other generalist or [501] SWP 2 – when SWP 1 is Nov/Dec)	Mar – April	Course 2	506 Div/Opp (or other generalist)	July - Aug
Practicum	[605] Generalist Field Practicum 1A (1.5 credits)	Sept – Dec	Practicum	[611] Generalist Field Practicum 1 (1.5 credits)	Jan - May	Practicum	[552] Generalist Field Practicum 2B (1.5 credits)	May – Aug
Fall Credits - 4.5 credits			Spring Credits - 7.5 credits			Summer Credits – 7.5 credits		
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> year students</b>								
Course 1	[505] Research I	Sept –Oct	Course 1	[tbd] HBSE Dist. Or Clinical Assessment & Diagnosis (formerly Psychopathology)	Jan - Feb	Course 1	[585] SWPS 2 or R2	May- June
Course 2	[507] Clinical Assessment and Diagnosis (formerly Psychopathology) or HBSE Dist.	Nov –Dec	Course 2	[511] Clinical Social Work I	Mar – April	Course 2	[596] Supervision & HR Management or other elective)	July -Aug
Practicum	[556] Generalist/Clinical Field Practicum 2 (1.5 credits)	Sept-Dec	Practicum	[624] Clinical Field Practicum 3 (1.5 credits)	Jan- May	Practicum	[629] Clinical Field Practicum 3 (1.5 credits)	May -Aug
Fall Credits - 7.5 credits			Spring Credits - 7.5 credits			Summer Credits – 7.5 credits		
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> year students</b>								
Course 1	[595] Methods of Social Work Research 2 or SWPS 2	Sept –Oct	Course 1	[tbd] CSW Distribution Requirement [or elective]	Jan - Feb	Course 1	tbd] Prescribed Elective	May – June
Course 2	[512] Clinical Social Work 2	Nov –Dec	Course 2	[595] Prescribed Elective [or CSW dist req]	Mar – April			
Practicum	[628] Clinical Field Practicum 4 (1.5 credits)	Sept-Dec	Practicum	[633] Clinical Field Practicum 4A (1.5 credits)	Jan- May			
Fall Credits – 7.5 credits			Spring Credits - 7.5 credits			Summer Credits -3 credits		

Successful completion of the generalist curriculum courses and the statistics requirement is required before beginning the specialized curriculum.

- Courses in the Intensive Weekend program are sequential, one course following another. There is some overlap between courses.
- Classes meet one weekend a month, Saturday and Sunday, from 9am – 5pm. Students prepare online the month preceding class and between class meetings. Preparation includes a synchronous online class, usually held on a Saturday morning each month, as well as asynchronous online Discussions and assignments.
- Although students are provided with a calendar of class dates at the start of the program, the order of courses may change based on the needs of the program or students. Students who have met some of the requirements before beginning the program, may be able to replace by taking a course with another cohort, if available and prerequisites have been met.
- Field hours are integrated with academic courses: 8 hours per week the first year; 10 hours in years 2 and 3; a modestly accelerated field schedule is possible for students entering the program with 9 or more graduate credits.
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The 60 credit MSW program encompasses 2 Distribution Requirements and 3 electives drawn from the categories below. Distribution courses and electives are assigned to each cohort. Although informed by student interests. The following courses have typically been offered in the Intensive Weekend program:

**HBSE Distribution Requirements**

- Adolescents at Risk
- Social Work with Immigrants and Refugees
- Violence and Abuse in Adulthood
- Violence and Abuse in Childhood
- Loss Across the Lifespan
- Addictive Behaviors

**Clinical Social Work Distribution Requirements**

- CSW: Children
- CSW: Adolescents
- CSW: Families
- CSW: Mental Health
- CSW: Survivors of Abuse and Trauma

**Other Electives**

- Solution Focused Therapy
- Play Therapy
- Supervision and Human Resource Management
- Theories of Management and Strategic Planning