

Bachelor of Human Services

Sample Plan

The academic plan below is one pathway through the degree/certificate. It includes all requirements, taking into account recommendations from program faculty. Each student's plan may vary according to their initial course placement (<http://catalog.uaa.alaska.edu/academicpoliciesprocesses/academicstandardsregulations/courseplacement/>), intended course load, additional majors and/or minors, and their placement into required prerequisite courses. Any change in the plan below can have an unforeseen impact on the rest of the plan. **Therefore, it is very important to meet with your academic advisor to verify your personal academic plan.**

Please review the following terms, definitions, and resources associated with the sample academic plan below.

- Each course in the far left column links to a pop-up bubble with a course description, prerequisite requirements, and associations with university requirements. For example, if a course fulfills a general education requirement, you will see that in the pop-up bubble.
- **GER:** indicates a General Education Requirement (<http://catalog.uaa.alaska.edu/undergraduateprograms/baccalaureaterequirements/gers/>). GERs that also count toward degree/certificate requirements appear as a specific course in the plan. For these courses, "GER" is not indicated explicitly in the table, but if you click on the course, you will see the course's GER status in the pop-up bubble.
- **Program Elective:** indicates a specific course selection determined by program faculty to fulfill a degree/certificate requirement. Students should seek assistance from their academic advisor.
- **Elective:** indicates an open selection of 100-400 level university courses to fulfill elective credits needed to meet the minimum total credits toward the degree/certificate.
- **Upper Division Program Elective:** indicates a specific 300-400 level course selection determined by the program faculty to fulfill a degree/certificate requirement. Students should seek assistance from their academic advisor.
- **Upper Division Elective:** indicates an open selection of 300-400 level courses to fulfill elective credits needed to meet the minimum total credits toward the degree/certificate. These courses must be upper division in order to meet General University Requirements for the particular degree/certificate type.

First Year

Fall	Credits
HUMS A107 History of Systems of Change	3
HUMS A122 Substance Use Disorder in Alaska	3
HUMS A225 Counseling in Human Service Practice	3
WRTG A111 Writing Across Contexts	3
GER Quantitative Skills	3-4
Credits	15-16

Spring

HUMS A155 Field Work and Human Service Practice	3
PSY A150 Lifespan Development or PSY A200 or Introduction to Behavior Analysis	3
GER Oral Communication Skills	3
GER Written Communication Skills (200-level)	3
Program Elective	3
Credits	15

Second Year

Fall

HUMS A255 Group Work in Human Service Practice	3
HUMS A288 Case Management in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS A295A Human Services Practicum I	3
GER Fine Arts ¹	3
Program Elective	3
Credits	15

Spring

HUMS A224 Systems of Conflict and Collaboration	3
HUMS A253 Human Services and Disabilities	3
HUMS A295B Human Services Practicum II	3
HUMS A321 Diversity Issues in Human Services Practice	3
Program Elective	3
Credits	15

Third Year

Fall

HUMS A333 Alternative Dispute Resolution	3
HUMS A355 Approaches for Working with Individual Clients	3
HUMS A412 Ethical Issues in Human Services Practice	3
GER Natural Sciences w/Lab	4
Program Elective	3
Credits	16

Spring

HUMS A414 Advanced Case Management for Human Services Professionals	3
HUMS A491 Qualitative Research and Evaluation in a Multicultural Environment	3
GER Humanities ¹	3
GER Natural Sciences ¹	3
Upper Division Program Elective	3
Credits	15

Fourth Year

Fall

HUMS A356 The Dynamics of Human Service Organizations	3
HUMS A417 Advanced Recovery Practice in Substance Use Treatment	3

HUMS A495	Human Services Practicum III	3
LEGL A340	Family Law	3
GER Humanities ¹		3
Credits		15
Spring		
HUMS A334	Family Mediation	3
HUMS A464	Leadership and Diversity in Contemporary Society	3
HUMS A496	Human Services Integrative Capstone	3
GER Social Sciences ¹		3
Upper Division Program Elective		3
Credits		15
Total Credits		121-122

¹ Choose a course that also fulfills the Alaska Native-Themed GER or Diversity & Inclusion GER.