

Bachelor of Human Services

Admission Requirements

Complete the Application and Admission Requirements for Baccalaureate Programs (<http://catalog.uaa.alaska.edu/academicpoliciesprocesses/admissions/undergraduate/>).

Graduation Requirements

- Complete the General University Requirements for Baccalaureate Degrees (<http://catalog.uaa.alaska.edu/undergraduateprograms/baccalaureaterequirements/>).
- Complete the General Education Requirements for Baccalaureate Degrees (<http://catalog.uaa.alaska.edu/undergraduateprograms/baccalaureaterequirements/gers/>).
- Complete the following major requirements with a minimum grade of C:

Code	Title	Credits
Core Courses		
HUMS A107	History and Systems of Human Services	3
PSY A150 or PSY A200	Lifespan Development Introduction to Behavior Analysis	3
HUMS A155	Introduction to Field Work and Human Service Practice	3
HUMS A225	Counseling in Human Service Practice	3
HUMS A295A	Human Services Practicum I	3
HUMS A295B	Human Services Practicum II	3
HUMS A321	Diversity Issues in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS A322	Introduction to Case Management in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS A353	Working with Individuals with Disabilities: A Human Service Perspective	3
HUMS A333	Alternative Dispute Resolution	3
HUMS A334	Family Mediation	3
HUMS A354	Clinical Approaches to Substance Abuse	3
HUMS A412	Ethical Issues in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS A414	Advanced Case Management for Human Services Professionals	3
HUMS A417	Substance Abuse Counseling for Human Service Professionals	3
HUMS/HS A420	Introduction to Program Evaluation	3
HUMS A435	Individual and Group Facilitation	3
HUMS A461	Crisis Intervention	3

HUMS A464	Leadership in Human Services: Models, Process and Contemporary Issues	3
HUMS A495	Human Services Practicum III	3
HUMS A224	Conflict and Collaborative Systems	3
HUMS A496	Human Services Integrative Capstone	3

Electives

Complete 9 credits from the following (consultation with faculty advisor recommended): 9

HUMS A125	Intervention and Prevention of High Risk Behaviors in Adolescents	
HUMS A123	Community Education and Prevention in Substance Abuse	
HUMS A190	Selected Topics in Human Service Practice	
HUMS A290	Selected Topics in Human Service Practice	
HUMS/DLS A200	Introduction to Children's Behavioral Health	
HUMS/DLS A205	Teaching Social Skills to Youth in Children's Behavioral Health	
HUMS/DLS A206	Positive Behavioral Supports in Children's Behavioral Health	
HUMS A350	Men and Masculinity	
HUMS/DLS A385	Working with Traumatized Children	
HUMS A390	Selected Topics in Human Service Practice	
HUMS A416	Substance Abuse and the Older Adult	
HUMS A490	Selected Topics in Family and Community Systems	

Total 75

A minimum of 120 credits is required for the degree, of which 42 credits must be upper-division.

Program Student Learning Outcomes

Students graduating with the Bachelor in Human Services will be able to:

- Demonstrate skills in assessing needs and providing services to individuals, families and groups.
- Apply the National Organization for Human Services (NOHS) Standards for Ethical Behavior to their professional work.
- Demonstrate skills in research design, data collection, and analysis.
- Demonstrate skills to effectively intervene with individuals from diverse populations.

Sample Plan

The academic plan below is one pathway through the degree/certificate. It incorporates all requirements, taking into account recommendations from program faculty. Each student's plan may vary according to their initial course placement (<https://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 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. Your personal academic plan can then be loaded into DegreeWorks** (<https://www.alaska.edu/uonline/>).

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

- **Course Prefix and Number:** in the far left column (example: COMM A111) link to a pop-up bubble with course descriptions, 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 (<https://catalog.uaa.alaska.edu/undergraduateprograms/baccalaureaterequirements/gers/>). GERs that also count toward degree/certificate requirements appear as a specific course in the plan (example: PSY A150). For these courses, "GER" is not indicated explicitly in the table, but if you click on the prefix and number, 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.
- **University 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 University Elective:** indicates a 300-400 level open selection of university courses to fulfill elective credits needed to meet the minimum total credits toward the degree/certificate. These courses must be upper-division (300-400 level) in order to meet General University Requirements for the particular degree/certificate type.

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
Fall		
HUMS A107	History and Systems of Human Services	3
MATH A104	Technical Mathematics	3
or	or Art of Mathematics	
MATH A115	or College Algebra for Managerial and	
or	Social Sciences	
MATH A121		

PSY A150	Lifespan Development	3
or PSY A200	or Introduction to Behavior Analysis	
WRTG A111	Writing Across Contexts	3
HUMS Program Elective		3
Credits		15

Spring

HUMS A155	Introduction to Field Work and Human Service Practice	3
WRTG A211	Writing and the Humanities	3
HUMS A225	Counseling in Human Service Practice	3
University Elective		3
GER Oral Communications		3
Credits		15

Second Year

Fall

HUMS A200	Introduction to Children's Behavioral Health	3
HUMS A255	Group Work in Human Service Organizations	3
HUMS A295A	Human Services Practicum I	3
HUMS A322	Introduction to Case Management in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS Elective		3
Credits		15

Spring

HUMS A256	Groups and Organizations	3
HUMS A295B	Human Services Practicum II	3
HUMS A321	Diversity Issues in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS A224	Conflict and Collaborative Systems	3
HUMS A353	Working with Individuals with Disabilities: A Human Service Perspective	3
Credits		15

Third Year

Fall

HUMS A333	Alternative Dispute Resolution	3
HUMS A412	Ethical Issues in Human Services Practice	3
HUMS A435	Individual and Group Facilitation	3
GER Humanities		3
GER Natural Sciences		3
GER Natural Sciences Lab		1
Credits		16

Spring

HUMS A334	Family Mediation	3
HUMS A414	Advanced Case Management for Human Services Professionals	3
HUMS A420	Introduction to Program Evaluation	3
GER Social Sciences		3

GER Natural Sciences		3
Credits		15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
HUMS A417	Substance Abuse Counseling for Human Service Professionals	3
HUMS A441	Cultural Attunement: Theories and Practice Models	3
HUMS A461	Crisis Intervention	3
HUMS A495	Human Services Practicum III	3
GER Humanities		3
Credits		15
Spring		
HUMS A464	Leadership in Human Services: Models, Process and Contemporary Issues	3
HUMS A496	Human Services Integrative Capstone	3
GER Fine Arts		3
GER Social Sciences		3
HUMS Program Elective		3
Credits		15
Total Credits		121