MSW REGULAR/PART-TIME PROGRAM

This 20 course program can be completed in 3 to 4 years:

- 1. 3 year track Field internships are completed in years 2 & 3
- 2. 4 year track Field internships are completed in years 2 & 4

GENERALIST CORE COURSES (10 REQUIRED)

The 10 Generalist Core Courses must be completed before you can take the Specialization Core Courses. These should be completed during your first two years in the program.

| Course Prefix & Number | Course Title | Semester(s) Offered | Notes |
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| SOW 6105 | Human Behavior and Social Environment I | Fall, Summer | Recommended Year 1 |
| SOW 6106 | Human Behavior and Social Environment II | Fall, Spring | These can be taken in any order or together at the same time |
| SOW 6125 | Psychopathology | Fall, Spring, Summer | Recommended Year 1 |
| SOW 6235 | Social Welfare History and Policy | Spring | Recommended Year 1 |
| SOW 6404 | Social Work Research | Fall | Recommended Year 1 |
| SOW 6305 | Generalist Practice with Individuals | Fall | Take during your 2 nd year Co-Requisite: SOW 6532 |
| SOW 6306 | Generalist Practice with Organizations | Spring, Summer | Take during your 2 nd year Pre-Requisite: SOW 6305 |
| SOW 6618 | Clinical Social Work with Groups | Spring | Take during your 2 nd year Pre-Requisite: SOW 6305; Co-Requisite: SOW 6533 |
| SOW 6532 | Foundation Field Instruction & Seminar I* (Includes IPED and SAGE**) | Fall | Take during your 2 nd year Co-Requisite: SOW 6305 |
| SOW 6533 | Foundation Field Instruction & Seminar II* (Includes IPED and SAGE**) | Spring | Take during your 2 nd year Pre-Requisite: SOW 6532; Co-Requisite: SOW 6618 |

^{*200} field internship hours required as part of this course (about 16 hours per week). Eight of these hours are required to be during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm. A limited number of placements offer weekend and evening hours for the balance, but there is no guarantee that this will be available.

**IPED/ SAGE – A Field/Internship Education Requirement

The purpose of IPED (Inter-Professional Education Development) is to promote inter-professional education among health care professionals to enhance patient/client-centered quality of care and quality of life. Foundation-level MSWs, as part of their Foundation Field experience (SOW 6532 and SOW 6533), will participate in IPED with FAU Nursing and Medical students. IPED includes coursework in a face to face seminar or online format with focus on roles, communication, and health policy. The coursework is mandatory and a part of the field education program.

The purpose of SAGE (Senior Aging and Geriatric Educator) is to introduce students to benefits of working on interdisciplinary teams. Students will visit either Abbey Delray Retirement Community or Ruth Rales Weisman Center for this experiential learning experience with volunteer senior mentors who live there. Foundation-level MSWs, as part of their Foundation Field experience (SOW 6532 and SOW 6533), will participate in SAGE with FAU Nursing and Medical students. SAGE includes mandatory visits to Abbey Delray retirement community or Ruth Rales Weisman Center.

SPECIALIZATION CORE COURSES (6 REQUIRED)

You must complete the 10 Generalist Core Courses before taking any of the Specialization Core Courses. These should be completed during your 3rd year (3 year track) or 3rd and 4th year (4 year track) of the program.

| Course Prefix & Number | Course Title | Semester(s) Offered | Notes |
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| SOW 6348 | Advanced Theory and SW Practice with Adults and Families | Fall, Spring, Summer | Pre-Requisite: Completion of the 10 Generalist Core Courses |
| SOW 6646 | Advanced Theory and SW Practice with Elders and Families | Fall, Spring, Summer | Take the practice course that is closest to your field placement population with SOW |
| SOW 6655 | Advanced Theory and SW Practice with Children, Adolescents, and Families | Fall, Spring | 6535 Take the other two practice courses at any time during the 3 rd or 4 th year |
| SOW 6611 | Clinical Social Work with Families | Spring | Pre-Requisite: Completion of the 10 Generalist Core Courses Co-Requisite: SOW 6536 |
| SOW 6535 | Advanced Year Field Instruction and Integrative Seminar I* | Fall | Pre-Requisite: Completion of the 10 Generalist Core Courses Take during your 3 rd (3 year track) or 4 th year (4 year track); Co-Requisite: Either SOW 6348, SOW 6646, or SOW 6655 |
| SOW 6536 | Advanced Year Field and Integrative Seminar II* | Spring | Pre-Requisite: Completion of the 10 Generalist Core Courses & SOW 6535 Take during your 3 rd (3 year track) or 4 th year (4 year track); Co-Requisite: SOW 6611 |

^{*300} field internship hours required as part of this course (about 16 to 20 hours per week). Eight of these hours are required to be during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm. A limited number of placements offer weekend and evening hours for the balance, but there is no guarantee that this will be available.

MSW ELECTIVES (4 REQUIRED)

In addition to the Generalist and Specialization Core Courses above, you must also take 4 MSW electives during the program. The electives can be taken in any year or semester. Below is a list of electives that may be offered; not every elective is offered every semester.

(NOTE: If you took one of these classes as a BSW student, you will not be able to take it as an MSW student.)

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| SOW 6116 | Social Work and Trauma | | |
| SOW 6128 | Cognitive-Behavioral Theory and Techniques for Social Work | | |
| SOW 6153 | Social Work and Human Sexuality | | |
| SOW 6156 | Social Work and Positive Well-Being | | |
| SOW 6158 | Conflict Resolution | | |
| SOW 6296 | Ethical Issues in Contemporary Social Work Practice | | |
| SOW 6349 | Case Management | | |
| SOW 6377 | Administration and Supervision | | |
| SOW 6605 | Advanced Context of SW Practice in Healthcare | | |
| SOW 6626 | Social Work and Spirituality | | |
| SOW 6641 | Social Work with Aging Populations | | |
| SOW 6653 | Social Work Practice with Vulnerable Children and Families | | |
| SOW 6656 | Child Welfare | | |
| SOW 6678 | Loss and Grief: Individual, Family and Cultural Perspectives | | |
| SOW 6712 | Intervention in the Field of Addictions | | |
| SOW 6714 | Social Work Practice in Behavioral & Process Addictions | | |
| SOW 6786 | Social Work Practice with Survivors of Human Trafficking | | |
| SOW 6803 | Mindfulness and Social Work Practice | | |
| SOW 6930 | Special Topics | | |
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