

HS 2420: Communication Skills for Human Services

1 Credit Hours

This course is a face-to-face course introducing students to interviewing skills used in a variety of settings. Communication skills learned in the course include relation-building techniques within a problem-solving model. Additionally, students learn skills to identify strengths and needs of others to assist them in setting goals. Students are required to role-play, videotape, and critique skills learned in the course.

Notes: This one-credit course is part of the Preprofessional Sequence for the major.

HS 2430: Advocacy in Action

1 Credit Hours

This course provides students with an introductory field/volunteer experience. Students complete specific agency projects and volunteer activities tailored to their schedule and interests. Upon successful completion of 30 hours of service and completion of self-reflection exercises, students will receive course credit.

Notes: This one-credit course is part of the Preprofessional Sequence for the major.

HS 2450: Prior Learning and Work Experience in Human Services

1-9 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Human Services major and Permission by the Department

This course is designed to account for a student's prior learning or work experience (i.e., the knowledge, skills, or competencies acquired through formal or informal education outside the traditional postsecondary academic environment). Students must submit the required artifact for assessment and assigning of credit as outlined by the department.

HS 2900: Working with Support Groups

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: (HS 2400 or HS 2420) and (HS Majors or Permission of Department)

This course introduces students to basic theory, skills, methods and values necessary to lead support groups. Students will develop, facilitate/co-facilitate issue oriented groups for different ages, genders, etc.