



## COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL & COMMUNITY SCIENCES

### BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

#### YEAR 1 FALL

PSY X012  
 General Education/Elective  
 General Education/Elective  
 General Education/Elective  
 General Education/Elective

**TOTAL: 15**

#### YEAR 1 SPRING

3	BSC X005 or BSC X085 or BSC X010	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3

**TOTAL: 15**

#### YEAR 2 FALL

SYG X000 OR SYG X010  
 POS X041  
 General Education/Elective  
 General Education/Elective  
 General Education/Elective

**TOTAL: 15**

#### YEAR 2 SPRING

3	ECO X013 or ECO X023	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3

**TOTAL: 15**

College of Social Work strongly recommends STA 2023 for mathematics coursework.

#### YEAR 3 FALL USE

SOW 3203 Introduction to Social Work  
 Elective  
 Elective  
 Elective  
 Elective

**TOTAL: 14**

#### YEAR 3 SPRING USE

3	SOW 3101 Human Behavior & Social Environment	3
3	SOW 4522 Multi-Cultural America in a Global Society	3
3	SOW 4341 Multi-Methods of SW Practice 1: Microsystem	3
3	SOW 3401 Research & Statistics for Social Work	3
2	SOW 3210 The American Social Welfare System	3

**TOTAL: 15**

#### YEAR 3 SUMMER USE

Elective		3
Elective		2

**TOTAL: 5**

#### YEAR 4 FALL USE

SOW 3102 Human Behavior & the Social Environment		3
SOW 4233 Social Welfare Policy & Program Analysis		3
SOW 4343 Multi-Methods of SW Practice II: Macro		3
SOW 4315 Case Management		3
SOW 4414 Data Management		2

**TOTAL: 14**

#### YEAR 4 SPRING USE

SOW 4510 Integrative Seminar/Field		9
SOW 4602 SW Practice in Mental Health and Health Care		3

**TOTAL: 12**

### The following is additional information for the Social Work major:

- Students can apply to start at USF during any semester, however, social work major cohorts will begin their coursework in either fall or spring semesters. The BSW Program is a full time, lock-step structured program with two different modalities: an in-person cohort and an online cohort. See program structure section below for more information. When applying through the Office of Admissions, please make sure to select the appropriate campus for the program modality you wish to pursue.
- Incoming transfer students are encouraged to make an academic advising appointment as a prospective student before applying to USF to ensure their coursework will transfer. Once ready to apply, transfer students can select the social work major on their USF admissions application. Students who meet the above outlined admissions criteria will begin the social work major upon admissions. Students who do not meet the admissions criteria yet will work with an academic advisor to complete it and then begin the social work major upon completion.
- All applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0.
- All pre-requisite courses must have been passed with a minimum of a C (no C-). The SOW3203 (Intro to Social Work) must be passed with a minimum of a B (no B-).

### Program Structure:

The BSW Program is a full time, lock-step structured program with two different modalities. The in-person cohort takes their coursework through the Tampa campus and will be on campus three days a week. The online cohort takes their coursework through the Sarasota-Manatee campus. It is a mixture of synchronous and asynchronous coursework, which means there will generally be two days of the week in which students are expected to be signed online for live virtual class sessions. Both cohorts include an 460 hour in-person field placement in the final semester of the program. This generally means that the student will be in their field placement Monday-Thursday from 8:00 – 5:00 PM with classes on Fridays.

Students interested in Social Work may email Justine Leigh at [justinen@usf.edu](mailto:justinen@usf.edu)

For general transfer advising inquiries please contact [transfer-advising@usf.edu](mailto:transfer-advising@usf.edu)

