



## Articulation Office – Counseling Services & Special Programs

### ADVISEMENT INFORMATION FOR TRANSFER MAJORS

#### **HUMAN SERVICES/SOCIAL WORK (CSUC, CSUFr, CSUF, CSULB, SDSU, CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY)**

Human Services workers offer support to families, the elderly, the poor, and others in need. They teach life and communication skills to people in mental health facilities or substance abuse programs. Human Services workers are usually under the supervision of social workers, psychologists, sociologists, and other professionals. Most are employed by agencies, shelters, halfway houses, and hospitals; individually working with clients or in group counseling. They also direct clients to social services and benefits.

The profession of Social Work, usually requiring a master's degree, aims at improvement of the quality of life for all people, and the enhancement of the human potential for full and productive participation in society. Social Work has particularly undertaken efforts to work with the disenfranchised groups in our society, to alleviate poverty and oppression and to empower at risk groups. Social Workers are employed in varied settings, including the major societal institutions: Health and mental health care, child welfare, family services, government, education, justice, aging services, recreation, labor and industry, and religion.

Listed below are Saddleback College (SC) courses that have been articulated with selected example universities, and represents lower-division preparation for the major. In addition, students are advised to complete General Education requirements prior to transfer.

When planning coursework, students are urged to contact a Saddleback College counselor, and refer to the college catalog and website(s) of the transfer campus, as well as the ASSIST state-wide articulation database as applicable for CSU and UC campuses: [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org)

**THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.**

#### **CSU CHICO**

##### **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK**

*The following courses must be completed with a grade of "C-" or better.*

**Lower-Division Core Requirements:** BIO 12 or a human biology course from a community college; ECON (2 or 4); MATH 10; PSYC 1; SOC 1

Refer to the CSU Chico catalog and ASSIST at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for additional information regarding this program.

#### **CSU FRESNO**

##### **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK**

**Lower-Division Requirements:** HS 100; ECON (4 or 2); HLTH 1;

**NOTE:** Students who have prior knowledge of Spanish, but lack fluency are encouraged to take additional coursework in Spanish.

Refer to the CSU Fresno catalog and ASSIST at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for further details regarding program requirements.



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#### **CSU FULLERTON**

##### **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HUMAN SERVICES**

Community college transfer students may apply a maximum of 12 units of coursework in Human Services or related fields, toward the 54-unit total required for the major. Transfer units must be approved by an advisor and the Program Coordinator at CSUF.

***Courses may be selected as follows (majors must achieve a grade of "C" or better in all courses included in the core curriculum and in the advisement track):***

***Lower-Division Core Courses:*** HS 100, (110\* **and** 150\*), MATH 10\* (in lieu of HSR 315); HS 120\* (in lieu of CSUF's PSYC 361 **or** CAS 312);

***\*NOTE:*** No upper-division credit granted by CSUF for HS 110, 120, 150; MATH 10.

***IMPORTANT:*** For transfer students who have completed an approved Alcohol and Drugs (CAADE-accredited program) or Eating Disorder Certificate Program at local community colleges, the CSUF Human Services program will accept up to eighteen (18) units of transfer credit for majors in the program. Students must show evidence of having completed the certificate program before transfer credit will be accepted.

***Per CSUF, the 18 transfer units may include the transfer courses listed above under "Core Courses" AND***

***Sample Alcohol and Drugs Certificate Courses:*** HS 170, 171, 172, 175, 182

***Sample Eating disorders Certificate Courses:*** HS 181, 185, 184

Refer to the CSU Fullerton catalog and the ASSIST website at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for additional information regarding this program.

#### **CSU LONG BEACH**

##### **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK**

***Lower-Division Requirements:*** BIO 113; PSYC 1; SOC 1; ANTH 2; MATH 10; HS 100, HS 110 **or** 150

***IMPORTANT:*** ***The Social Work program at CSULB is impacted.*** Students are advised to refer to ASSIST at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) and the CSULB catalog, and contact a CSU Long Beach department advisor for further details regarding supplemental criteria and GPA requirements.



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#### **SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY**

##### **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK**

**NOTE:** *The Social Work major is an impacted major.* Students are advised to refer to the SDSU catalog, the San Diego State University Transfer Admission Planner website at <https://sunspot.sdsu.edu/pubred/ltap.disp>, and ASSIST at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for additional information regarding program requirements.

**Lower-Division Preparation:** BIO 20; ECON (2 or 4); PSYC 1; SOC 1; MATH 10 and additional lower-division coursework to be completed after transfer.

**Foreign Language Requirement:** Proficiency equivalent to a Foreign Language level 3 is required, (Examples: FR 3, GER 3, SPAN 3, SL 3 at Saddleback College.)

#### **CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY**

##### **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY (EMPHASIS IN SOCIAL WORK)**

**Recommended Lower-Division Preparation:** MATH 10; ANTH 2; SOC 2, 1, 24

**AND twelve (12) credits of electives under sociology or anthropology.** Due to upper division credit requirement in the major and for BA degree, no more than two electives are recommended at the lower division level. Eligible electives: ANTH 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 21, 42; SOC 4, 5, 6, 10, 20, 21, 30

**General Education and Common Requirements:** Chapman University accepts either CSU G.E. Certification or IGETC Certification. Students are advised to consult with a Saddleback College counselor regarding additional coursework that can be completed prior to transfer in fulfillment of Chapman University's Common Requirements in quantitative reasoning, foreign language, world cultures, and human diversity.

#### **NOTES:**

- As each college/university has its own orientation to their Human Services/Social Work major, read the entire Human Services/Social Work major section in the catalog of each college/university to which you are considering transferring. Pay particular attention to the upper-division requirements.
- Contact each college/university that you are interested in. Ask them to send you information about their Human Services/Social Work program; selection criteria, GPA requirements, and other pertinent admissions information. Also, ask for information about their campus, services, housing, etc. Meet with college/university representatives when they visit Saddleback College.
- Visit each school to which you are considering transferring.
- Research careers related to your chosen major.
- For additional transfer information, consult Saddleback College's Transfer Student Home Page: [www.saddleback.edu/ss/tc/TRANSFERSTUDENTPAGE.html](http://www.saddleback.edu/ss/tc/TRANSFERSTUDENTPAGE.html), and ASSIST for CSU and UC campuses: [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org)