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The University of Guelph is committed to the integrity of its student records, therefore, each student is required to provide either on application for admission or on personal data forms required for registration, his/her complete, legal name. Any requests to change a name, by means of alteration, deletion, substitution or addition, must be accompanied by appropriate supporting documentation.

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Bachelor of Applied Science - Major Family and Community Social Services - Social Service Workers' Diploma

The Family and Community Social Services program is designed for students who want to help individuals, families and communities to overcome the issues and concerns in their lives. The students who have chosen this program indicate a desire for careers (and graduate level study) in the areas of social work, family therapy, community development, counselling, family law, mediation and agency administration. Our program offers an ideal combination of theory and experiential learning to provide students the necessary background to enter the workforce in the social services sector or for admission to graduate and professional programs of study.

All graduates will be prepared for membership in the Ontario College of Social Workers & Social Service Workers.

Students are required to complete 18.25 core family and community social service credits, and 2.50 general elective credits in order to be eligible for graduation. Students must complete these requirements in order to be eligible to graduate with both the university honours degree (awarded by the University of Guelph) and the college diploma (awarded by Humber). No option exists to graduate with only one of the above listed credentials as the program is fully integrated.

Conditions for Graduation

In addition to meeting all program specific course and credit requirements, students must have a minimum 60% cumulative average in order to be eligible for graduation. Students will not normally be eligible to graduate while on Probationary status or Required to Withdraw status. A student denied graduation while on Probationary status or Required to Withdraw status may submit a request for Academic Consideration to the Academic Review Sub-Committee.

Practicum Placement

Foundation Practicum - 200 hours

Seminar and supervised field placement where students will have the opportunity to take part in the day-to-day operations of a social services agency. Students will work under the direct supervision of a professional staff person, have the opportunity to observe social services procedures and practices, and take part in serving clients with direction from agency staff.

Intermediate Practicum - 400 hours

Seminar and supervised field placement in a community of social service agency providing students with an in-depth experience of front-line work in a human services agency under direct supervision. Students will develop work habits such as serving clients effectively, and how to navigate moral, ethical, clinical, and political issues as they emerge in placements.

Advanced Practicum - 400 hours

Seminar and supervised field placement in a community or social service agency providing students with an in-depth experience of front line work in a human services agency under direct supervision. Agency field supervisors and course instructors may raise professional, ethical, attitudinal, and practical issues which are important for students to address. The advanced practicum includes the writing of a major thesis relating to a critical aspect of the students' practicum.

Total Practicum Hours - 1000 hours

Family & Community Social Services - Schedule of Studies

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Semester 1		
AHSS*1110	[0.50]	Introductory Psychology: Dynamics
AHSS*1130	[0.50]	Principles of Sociology
AHSS*1190	[0.50]	The Political Process & Social Work
FCSS*1000	[0.50]	Social Work in Canada
0.50 electives		
Semester 2		
AHSS*1200	[0.50]	Issues in Social Welfare
AHSS*2040	[0.50]	Early and Middle Childhood Development
AHSS*2120	[0.50]	Couple and Family Dynamics
FCSS*1010	[0.50]	Social Issues and Social Environments
FCSS*1020	[0.50]	Interpersonal Communication Skills
Semester 3		
FCSS*2000	[0.50]	Counselling I: Theory and Practice
FCSS*2010	[0.50]	Working with High Risk Populations
FCSS*2020	[0.50]	Introduction to Field Practicum
FCSS*2050	[0.50]	Human Sexuality
SCMA*2040	[0.50]	Research Methods for Social Science
Semester 4		
AHSS*2080	[0.50]	Ethical and Professional Issues in Human Services

AHSS*2090	[0.50]	Supporting Families: Research and Applications
FCSS*2040	[0.75]	Foundation Practicum I
FCSS*3040	[0.50]	Counselling II: Theory and Practice
0.50 electives		
Semester 5		
AHSS*3020	[0.50]	Working with Communities
AHSS*3040	[0.50]	Foundations of Social Gerontology
FCSS*3001	[0.75]	Intermediate Practicum
SCMA*3040	[0.50]	Quantitative Methods for Social Science
0.50 electives		
Semester 6		
FCSS*3002	[0.75]	Intermediate Practicum
FCSS*3010	[0.50]	Working With Groups: Theory and Practice
FCSS*3020	[0.50]	Developing a Culturally Sensitive Practice
FCSS*3060	[0.50]	Crisis Intervention: Theory and Practice
0.50 electives		
Semester 7		
FCSS*4000	[0.50]	Family Theory and Therapy
FCSS*4010	[0.50]	Agency Admin. & Community Relations
FCSS*4021	[1.00]	Advanced Practicum
FCSS*4030	[0.50]	Social Work and the Law
Semester 8		
FCSS*4022	[1.00]	Advanced Practicum
FCSS*4040	[0.50]	Empowerment Oriented Case Management
FCSS*4060	[0.50]	Family Mediation & Conflict Resolution
0.50 electives		