



Loma Linda University
School of Behavioral Health

Department of Social Work and Social Ecology
4-Year MSW Program Curriculum: Online Program (Fall Cohort)
2022-2023

Year 1: Generalist Curriculum				
Fall				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 513	Human Behavior in a Culturally Diverse Environment	Blended	4	Wednesday 6:30-8pm
SOWK 514	Social Welfare History and Policy	Blended	4	Wednesday 8:00-9:30pm
Quarter Total			8	
Winter				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 548	Research Methods	Blended	5	Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm
Quarter Total			5	
Spring				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 647	Integrated Behavioral Health	Asynchronous	2	N/A
SOWK 584	Special Topics in Social Work	Asynchronous	2	N/A
Quarter Total			4	
First Year MSW Total Units			17	

Year 2: Generalist Curriculum				
Summer				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
RELR 540	Wholeness and Health	Asynchronous	3	N/A
SOWK 681	Behavioral Health Policies and Services	Asynchronous	2	N/A
Quarter Total			5	
Fall				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 519	Practice III: Organizations and Communities	Blended	3	Wednesday 7:30-9:30pm
SOWK 574	Practice V: Social Work Administration	Blended	3	Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
SOWK 578	Field Orientation (one day orientation)	Synchronous	0	Monday 5:30-9:30pm
SOWK 757A	Generalist Practice Consultation	Blended	1.5†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			6	

Year 2: Generalist Curriculum (continued)				
Winter‡				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 517	Practice I: Individuals	Blended	4	Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm
SOWK 585	Legal and Ethical Aspects in Health and Behavioral Health	Asynchronous	3	N/A
SOWK 757A	Generalist Practice Consultation	Blended	1.5†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			7	
Spring				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 518	Practice II: Groups	Synchronous	3	Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm
SOWK 757B	Generalist Practice Consultation	Blended	1.5†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			3	
Second Year MSW Total Units			21	

Year 3: Clinical Practice Specialization				
Summer				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 510	Diversity Theory in Practice and Research	Blended	3	Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
SOWK 520	Practice IV: Families	Blended	3	Wednesday 7:30-9:30pm
SOWK 787B	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	1.5†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			6	
Fall				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 695A	Advanced Research Methods	Blended	2	Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
SOWK 651	Medical Social Work	Asynchronous	2	N/A
SOWK 757C	Generalist Practice Consultation	Blended	3†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			4	
Winter‡				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 695B	Advanced Research Methods	Blended	2	Wednesday 6:30-8pm
SOWK 695C	Advanced Research Methods	Blended	2	Wednesday 8-9:30pm
SOWK 787C	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	2†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			4	

Year 3: Clinical Practice Specialization (continued)

Spring

Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 613	DSM	Blended	4	Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm
BHCJ 550	Fundamentals of DBT	Asynchronous	2	N/A
SOWK 787A	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	2†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			6	
Third Year MSW Total Units			20	

Year 4: Clinical Practice Specialization

Summer

Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 648	Co-occurring Processes and Interventions	Blended	3	Wednesday 7:30-9:30pm
SOWK 663	Crisis and Trauma Interventions	Blended	3	Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
SOWK 787B	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	2†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			6	

Fall

Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 661	Psychodynamic Theory	Blended	4	Wednesday 7:30-9:30pm
SOWK 787B	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	2†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			4	

Winter‡

Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 617	Global Practice	Asynchronous	3	N/A
SOWK 787C	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	2†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			3	

Year 4: Clinical Practice Specialization (continued)				
Spring				
Course		Format	Units	Day/Time*
SOWK 662	Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies	Blended	4	Wednesday 7:30-9:30pm
SOWK 675	Supervision	Blended	3	Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
SOWK 787C	Clinical Practice Consultation	Blended	2†	Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm
Quarter Total			7	
Fourth Year MSW Total Units			20	
Total Course Units			78	
Total Professional Practicum Units			21	
Grand Total of Course and Professional Practicum Units			99	

* All courses are online and are either synchronous (fully face-to-face via Zoom), asynchronous (no scheduled Zoom meetings), or blended (a combination of synchronous and asynchronous formats).

†A total of 480 SOWK 757ABC practicum hours and 60 seminar hours must be completed by the end of Fall Quarter of Year 2. Additionally, a total of 600 SOWK 787ABC practicum hours and 60 seminar hours must be completed by the end of Spring Quarter of Year 3. This averages approximately 10-12 hours per week. This averages approximately 10 hours per week. These are non-academic clinical training units. They do not count toward the 78-unit total and are charged at a significantly lower rate.

‡Qualifying Review to be taken at the end of Winter Quarter in Year 2.