

For students entering September 2026

HYBRID MSW EXTENDED PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Year 1			Year 2			Year 3	
FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING
SW 409 Dynamics of Racism & Oppression (3)	SW 403 Macro Social Work Practice (3)	SWH 422 Substance Use and Social Work (3)** ONLINE	SW 446A Practicum Education (5)	SW 446B Practicum Education I (4)	SWH 414 Assessment & Diagnosis (3)** ONLINE	SW 447A Practicum Education I (4)	SW 447B Practicum Education II (4)
SWH 411 Human Behavior in the Social Environment (3)** ONLINE	SWH 441 Social Work Research (3)** ONLINE	Generalist Elective (3)	SW 421A Social Work Practice (3)*	SW 421B Social Work Practice (3)*	Elective (3)	SW 424A Advanced Clinical Practice (3)*	SW 424B Advanced Clinical Practice (3)*
				Elective (3)		SWH 404 Social Welfare Policy (3)** ONLINE	SWH 509 Evaluation in Social Work Practice (3)** ONLINE
						Elective (3)	
6	6	6	8	10	6	13	10
			Practicum Placement	Practicum Placement		Practicum Placement	Practicum Placement

Students are required to follow course sequencing in the program plan. Any deviations must be approved by your Academic Advisor.

Students may take no more than TWO courses in the summer session. Students using financial aid need to take a minimum of 5 credits to be eligible during the summer semester. Please contact Student Financial Services (x2001) with financial aid questions.

*Students must stay in the same section (day, time, and professor) of Practice (SW 421 and SW 424) for both Fall and Spring semesters.

**SWH courses can not be moved to another term, and must be taken in the term they are scheduled

All students in Practicum must also be concurrently registered for a Practice class:

All students in Year I Practicum: SW-446A/B register for Social Work Practice: SW-421A/B

All students in Year II Practicum: SW-447A/B register for Advanced Practice: SW-424A/B

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Generalist Electives: (not all are offered each term)

- SW 418 Crisis Intervention with Children and Adolescents
- SW 444 Hope, Empowerment & Mental Illness
- SW 448 Sexual and Gender Minority Populations
- SW 464 Understanding Suicide
- SW 472 Evidence-Based Practice
- SW 481 Social Work Health and Health Care
- SW 485 Mindfulness and Social Work Practice
- SW 486 Essential Elements Tele-Health
- SW 557 Clinical Practice with Immigrants and Refuge