

EWU PRE-SOCIAL WORK (2022-23) SCC – CShaffer

(See important program information on page 2-3)

Name _____ SID _____ Date _____ Counselor _____

With careful planning and coordination with your college Counselor, the completion of your Associate in Arts, AA-DTA, allows you to pursue your Bachelor's Degree at a four-year college or university, having completed most if not all of the general university requirements, along with many courses toward your major.

First Quarter

ENGL& 101 - English Composition I 5cr (COMMUNICATION)

GUID 102 - Strategies for Success 3cr (ELECTIVE)

*HLTH 101 - Health and Wellness 3cr (or other: HLTH 174/104/270) (HEALTH)

*PSYC& 100 – Intro to Psychology 5cr (SOCIAL SCIENCE)

Second Quarter

ENGL& 102- English Composition II 5cr (**2.7gpa**) (COMMUNICATION)

MATH 87 - Algebra for Math Literacy I 5cr (if needed based on assessment/placement)

*CMST& 210 - Interpersonal Communications 5cr (ELECTIVE)

Third Quarter

*CMST 227 - Intercultural Communication 5cr other Humanities/Diversity course (HUMANITIES- DIVERSITY)

MATH 88 - Algebra for Math Literacy II 5cr (if needed based on assessment/placement) (**linked to either 107 or 146**)

MATH& 107 - Math in Society or MATH& 146 Intro to Statistics 5cr (QUANTITATIVE/SYMBOLIC REASONING - Q/SR)

Fourth Quarter (Summer quarter)

*PE 187 2cr – (there are many Physical Ed classes you can choose from) (ACTIVITY)

*HIST& 136 or 214 – US History I or PNW History 5cr (or other Group B Social Science) (SOCIAL SCIENCE)

Fifth Quarter

*PHIL 110 - Intro to Ethics 5cr “**W**” (or check for other Writing Intensive Humanities sections) (HUMANITIES)

*GEOL& 101 - Intro to Physical Geology with Lab 5cr (MATH/SCIENCE)

SPAN& 121 - Spanish I 5cr (Choose between Spanish, ASL, or French) (HUMANITIES) (**EWU DEGREE REQUIREMENT**)

(If you have 2yrs of High School Foreign Language, you may choose a different Humanities course)

Sixth Quarter

*ASTR& 100 Survey of Astronomy 5cr (MATH/SCIENCE)

*SOC& 101 – Intro to Sociology 5cr or other Social Science (SOCIAL SCIENCE)

SPAN& 122 - Spanish II 5cr (if met through High School, take 5cr elective like CMST 250) (ELECTIVE)

Seventh Quarter

*ENVS 211 - Weather and Climate non-lab 5cr (there are many Sciences to choose from) (MATH/SCIENCE)

* POLS 125 - Intro Global Issues 5cr or MUSIC 109 - World Music 5cr (or other 5cr elective) (ELECTIVE/meets EWU Global Studies requirement)

SPAN& 123 Spanish III 5cr (if met through High School, take PSYC& 200 Lifespan Psychology 5cr) (ELECTIVE)

*HLTH 104 Stress Management 3cr (ELECTIVE)

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*When non bolded examples are used, students may choose **ANY COURSE from that area of Associate in Arts- Direct Transfer Agreement - AA-DTA - WORKSHEET** in COMMUNICATION/QSR/HUMANITIES/SOCIAL SCIENCE/MATH SCIENCE/HEALTH PE /ELECTIVES.

5cr are required in **“W”** Writing Intensive. Always check to make sure the class section you select for a **“W”**, is listed **“W”**.

5cr are required in **“D”** Diversity. CMST 227 or 226 meets both SCC and EWU’s Diversity requirement.

SOC& 201 meets EWU’s Global Studies requirement and SCC’s Social Science Group B option, as does POLS& 203, 125, or HIST 230.

EWU BASW Program

Applicant Instructions including information on Criminal Justice, Child or Adult Protective Services Involvement.

https://www.ewu.edu/cpp/wp-content/uploads/sites/24/2021/10/BASW_Application-Instructions_10-22.pdf

All application materials, including references, must be submitted by May 31, 2022.

If you have questions about the BASW Program admission requirements or how to meet them, please contact **Dr. Kathryn DePaolis, BASW Program Director**, at (509) 359-4538 or kdepaolis@ewu.edu.

Eligibility to Apply:

Before you apply, you should meet these criteria:

1. Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 to apply for the BASW Program. Applicants with a GPA lower than 2.5 must provide a brief explanation in their online application explaining the reason behind their GPA not meeting the minimum requirement. These applications will be reviewed on a case by case basis.
2. Applicants must have earned a minimum of 80 college credits
3. Applicants must have no more than TWO EWU or DTA required classes remaining by the start of the BASW Program (courses that are in progress during the spring and summer quarter in which the student is applying may be counted toward meeting the preceding criterion).
4. Applicants must have completed English 201 or an equivalent course as part of their DTA transfer credits with a minimum grade of 2.7 (B-) at the time of their application.
5. Applicants must have completed Intermediate Algebra or Algebra Reasoning (MTHD 104 or MTHD 106 at EWU) or an equivalent course as part of their DTA transfer credits with a minimum grade of 2.0 (C) at the time of their application.
6. Applicants must have spent a minimum of 40 hours in a volunteer or paraprofessional capacity at the time of their application working in one place where the applicant’s primary responsibilities directly involved working with others in a helping process.
7. If you have questions about these criteria, how to meet them, or how to meet them before beginning the BASW Program, please contact Dr. Kathryn DePaolis, BASW Program Director, at (509) 359-4538 or kdepaolis@ewu.edu .

Criminal Justice, Child or Adult Protective Services Involvement:

When applicants have criminal justice, child protective services (CPS), or adult protective services (APS) histories, such backgrounds **can limit their opportunities in practicum placement and professional employment**. Although discussing one’s criminal justice, CPS or APS background does not automatically guarantee or preclude admission to the BASW Program, failure to disclose *all* of the circumstances of *any* adult record with Criminal Justice, CPS or APS at the time of application to the BASW Program is grounds for immediate dismissal from the program when any failure to disclose such information is discovered. Before practicum placement can begin some practicums may require students submit to a background check.

Disclosing criminal justice, CPS or APS involvement in an applicant’s history must include all of the following for each incident in their online application:

1. When the event(s) occurred;

2. What their age(s) was/were when the event(s) occurred;
3. What the specific event(s) were, with a clear description of the applicants' own behavior;
4. How the event was resolved, including any consequences to the applicant;
5. Any other information that is relevant for deciding about the appropriateness of the applicant working with vulnerable people.

Application Materials to Submit:

A complete online application must include all of these items:

1. A completed online application;
2. A BASW Program Eligibility Checklist (part of the online application);
3. Unofficial transcripts from all postsecondary institutions attended;
4. A BASW personal statement, as part of the online application, which must address in no more than 1200 words and no less than 350 words:
 - a. What is your primary reason for wanting to become a social worker?
 - b. What previous accomplishments of yours best prepare you to be a social worker?
 - c. What will be your greatest challenge in meeting the demands of the BASW Program, including full time coursework and 16 hours a week of practicum (during the second year of the Program) and what is your plan to address this challenge?
5. Email addresses from two 2 references (space provided in application):
 - a. One MUST be from someone directly familiar with your paid or volunteer work with people, who has supervised your work for at least 40 hours, such as:
 - i. Employment supervisors;
 - ii. Volunteer activity supervisors;
 - b. Other references may be from:
 - i. Faculty members – High school teachers are acceptable;
 - ii. Coaches;
 - iii. Civic or Academic club sponsors, such as science or chess club or gay-straight student alliance;
 - c. References *shall not* be from:
 - i. Family members;
 - ii. Family friends;
 - iii. Personal friends or romantic partners;
 - iv. Clergy other than those who were your supervisors;
 - v. Personal therapists, counselors or recovery program sponsors;
5. If applicable, a brief statement included in your online application about how an applicant shall complete the requirement that no more than two EWU or DTA required classes shall be outstanding by the end of summer quarter. If you answer no for an admissions criterion, a text box will appear for you to explain how you plan to meet that criterion before starting the BASW Program.
6. If applicable, a statement included in your online application about any and all criminal justice, CPS or APS involvement. The specific contents of that statement were described previously.