



RAYMOND A. KENT SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK & FAMILY SCIENCE

Master of Science in Social Work

University of Louisville
60hr Program Degree Audit

Student Name:

Student ID:

Foundation Curriculum - The foundation curriculum promotes a generalist perspective in which the simultaneous impact of many systemic levels (individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities) on clients' lives is critically analyzed and recognized.

Course	Course Title	Semester Completed	Grade	Hours
SW 601	Human Behavior & Social Environment I			3
SW 602	Social Welfare Policy I			3
SW 603	Social Justice Practice			3
SW 604	Micro Practice (SW 604 & SW 670 concurrently)			3
SW 605	Macro Practice (SW 605 & SW 671 concurrently) - (prereq. SW 604)			3
SW 619	Human Behavior & Social Environment II (prereq. SW 601)			3
SW 622	Social Welfare Policy II (prereq. SW 602)			3
SW 626	Research Methodology & Design			3
SW 670	Foundation SW Practicum I (SW 604 & SW 670 concurrently)			3
SW 671	Foundation SW Practicum II (SW 605 & SW 671 concurrently)			3

Specialized Curriculum – Required to complete the above foundation curriculum before proceeding to specialized curriculum. The specialized curriculum seeks to develop the utilization and application of critical thinking on all levels – in reading professional writing and research, in students' practicum placements, in the classroom, and in the students' own thinking.

SW 640	EBP Indvidls Fams Groups (SW 640 & SW 672 concurrently) - prereq. SW 605			3
SW 641	Social Justice Policy (prereq. SW 603)			3
SW 642	Psychopathology (prereq. SW 605)			3
SW 668	Program Evaluation in SW (prereq. SW 626)			3
SW 672	Specialized SW Practicum I (SW 640 & SW 672 concurrently)			3
SW 673	Specialized SW Practicum II (SW 673 & SW 677 concurrently)			3
SW 677	Mezzo and Integrates SW (SW 673 & SW 677 concurrently) - prereq. SW 640			3

Three Electives – Student selected to further their areas of interest: If interested in clinical social work it is strongly advised that students familiarize themselves with the requirements in the state(s) in which they wish to practice. If a state requires or recommends certain electives, students may choose to enroll in those elective courses.

SW				3
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Total Hours				60

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- If you have a concentration, you must complete the required elective courses that coincide with that concentration.
- The following courses must be taken concurrently:
 - SW 604 & SW 670 must be taken at the same time and are not offered during the summer.
 - SW 605 & SW 671 must be taken at the same time and not offered during the fall.
 - SW 640 & SW 672 must be taken at the same time and are not offered during the summer.
 - SW 673 & SW 677 must be taken at the same time and not offered during the fall.
- Before enrolling, you must fulfill prerequisites for courses with prerequisites.
- Required to complete foundation curriculum before proceeding to specialized curriculum.
- Full time status in graduate school equals 9 credit hours during fall/spring semester and 6 credit hours in the summer.
- If you wish to enroll in summer courses, coordinate with financial aid (finaid@louisville.edu) to ensure funding is available for summer semesters.
- Please remember that you must meet the degree requirements of both programs if you are pursuing a dual degree. Please contact MSSW Advising at msswhelp@louisville.edu with any questions regarding your MSSW degree requirements.

60-Hour Curriculum Examples

The curriculum samples below illustrate how a student might plan out their curriculum for a fall, spring, or summer start. Students are not obligated to follow these examples. Students can choose a heavier or lighter course load based on their preferences. If you need assistance planning your graduate journey, contact an MSSW Advisor at msswhelp@louisville.edu.

Fall Start 2 Year Full-Time

Fall	Spring
SW 601 Human Behavior & the Social Environment I SW 602 Social Welfare Policy I SW 603 Social Justice Practice SW 604 Micro Practice SW 670 Foundation SW Practicum I	SW 619 Human Behavior & the Social Environment II SW 622 Social Welfare Policy II SW 626 Research Methodology & Design SW 605 Macro Practice SW 671 Foundation SW Practicum II
Fall	Spring
SW 641 Social Justice Policy SW 640 EBP Individuals, Families & Groups SW 668 Program Evaluation in SW SW 672 Specialized SW Practicum I Elective	SW 677 Mezzo & Integrated SW SW 673 Specialized SW Practicum II SW 642 Psychopathology Elective Elective
<i>Graduate in May</i>	

Spring Start 3 Year Full Example

First Year		
	Spring	Summer
	SW 601 Human Behavior & the Social Environment I SW 602 Social Welfare Policy I SW 603 Social Justice Practice	SW 619 Human Behavior & the Social Environment II SW 622 Social Welfare Policy II Elective
Second Year		
Fall	Spring	Summer
SW 604 Micro Practice SW 670 Foundation SW Practicum I SW 626 Research Methodology & Design	SW 605 Macro Practice SW 671 Foundation SW Practicum II Elective	SW 641 Social Justice Policy Elective
Third Year		
Fall	Spring	
SW 640 EBP Indvidls Fams & Groups SW 668 Program Evaluation in SW SW 672 Specialized SW Practicum I	SW 677 Mezzo & Integrated SW SW 673 Specialized SW Practicum II SW 642 Psychopathology <i>Graduate in May</i>	

Summer Start 3 Year Full/Part-time Example

First Year		
Summer	Fall	Spring
SW 603 Social Justice Practice	SW 601 Human Behavior & the Social Environment I SW 602 Social Welfare Policy I	SW 619 Human Behavior & the Social Environment II SW 622 Social Welfare Policy II Elective
Second Year		
Summer	Fall	Spring
SW 626 Research Methodology & Design	SW 604 Micro Practice SW 670 Foundation SW Practicum I Elective	SW 605 Macro Practice SW 671 Foundation SW Practicum II Elective
Third Year		
Summer	Fall	Spring
SW 641 Social Justice Policy	SW 640 EBP Indvidls Fams & Groups SW 668 Program Evaluation in SW SW 672 Specialized SW Practicum I	SW 677 Mezzo & Integrated SW SW 673 Specialized SW Practicum II SW 642 Psychopathology <i>Graduate in May</i>