

# **Tohono O'odham Community College**



## Associate of Arts in Social Work

NAME:	TOCC ID:
TOCC EMAIL:	PHONE NUMBER:
TERM OF ADMISSION:	EXPECTED GRADUATION YEAR/TERM:
ADVISOR:	REQUIRED CREDITS FOR DEGREE: 61

## I. General Education Courses (37 cr):

- Tohono O'odham Himdag (7 cr): HIS 122 (3 cr) and select one from the following: THO 101, THO 106 (4 cr)
- Humanities and Fine Arts (6 cr): Any course from the General Education selection (Catalog p. 188)
- Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 cr). Recommended: PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology or SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology
- Lab-loaded Science course (courses with N in the prefix; 8 cr): Any course with prefix ANR, AST, BIO, CHM, PHY

Note: MAT 142H and courses ending in N (e.g., BIO 100N) are 4 cr. hrs unless otherwise indicated. The rest of the courses are 3 cr. hrs unless otherwise indicated.

COURSE	Course Name	SUBSTITUTE	SEMESTER	YEAR	CREDITS	GRADE
PREFIX		Course				
HIS 122	Tohono O'odham History and					
	Culture					
THO						
WRT 101	Writing I					
WRT 102	Writing II					
MAT 142H	College Mathematics					
Humanities and Fine Arts						
Social and Be	ehavioral Sciences					
Two Lab-loaded Science Course						

# II. Core Requirements (15 cr):

Course	Course Name	Substitute	SEMESTER	YEAR	CREDITS	GRADE
PREFIX		Course				
SWU 171	Introduction to Social Work					
SWU 291	Social Service Delivery Systems					
SWU 295	Foundation of Social Work Practice: Effective Helping in a Diverse World					
POS 110	American National Government					
ECN 202	Macro Economics					

## III. Electives (9 cr):

• Highly recommended for this degree: MAT 225 Basic Statistics. Choose any course designated with the following prefixes: ECE, PSY, SOC, SSE, SWU, TOC, or TOS.

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PREFIX		Course				

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Social Work is a professional field that aims to help individuals, groups, and communities alleviate social welfare issues such as mental health issues, poverty, homelessness, drug/alcohol addiction, family and community violence, and psychological and social aspects of physical illness. With an associate degree individuals can enter the field of social services as an entry level paraprofessional. To become a professional social worker, students must continue their education and complete a bachelor's degree in Social Work. TOCC prepares students to transfer to a university to complete their professional education.

#### **Program Learning Outcomes**

- 1. The Social Work Profession:
  - a. a. Students will explain the tenants of generalist social work practice and the social work profession.
  - b. Students will identify common careers, roles and responsibilities in social work practice.
  - c. Students will demonstrate professional interpersonal skills in order to assist someone seeking social services at the individual and group level.
  - d. Students will demonstrate the ability to professionally communicate through scholarly documentation and the use of technology.
- 2. Social Problems and Social Change:
  - a. Students will describe and discuss major human conditions that can result in the need for social services and the delivery of social welfare programs.
  - b. Students will explain the role of human rights, social welfare policy and the impact of such policies on individuals and society.
- 3. Professional Values and Ethics:
  - a. Students will demonstrate an understanding of the importance of professional values and ethics and define ethical dilemma situations, and how to appropriately mitigate them.
- 4. Engage Diversity and Difference in Practice:
  - a. Students will demonstrate cultural awareness and describe the sensitivity required to respectfully serve the Tohono O'odham and other diverse populations.
  - b. Students will identify cultural considerations in responding to the needs of marginalized populations.
- 5. Assessment, Planning, and Evaluation.
  - a. Students will demonstrate the ability to assess and interpret the needs of client systems at the micro, mezzo, and macro levels in order to address social problems and create positive social change.
  - b. Students will demonstrate the ability to develop a plan of action based on a person-in-environment perspective.
  - c. Students will demonstrate the ability to evaluate outcomes of client system interventions and describe the role of research and evidence-based practice.

Students interested in working with individuals who have substance abuse and addictions issues should also consider the Certificate in Substance Abuse and Addiction Studies.

#### Students:

You must secure official approval by your advisor(s) before submitting the **final** Program of Study. By signing or entering your name below, you agree to the following statement: "Students are responsible for complete knowledge of Academic Catalog requirements in their degree plan and for adhering to all policies in Academic Catalog and Student Handbook."

## Signature Panel:

Please indicate approval of the curriculum on the Program of Study by placing your signature (formal electronic signatures are permitted) in the space provided.

Student:	Date:
Faculty Advisor:	Date:
Academic Advisor	Date:
Registrar:	Date:
Dean of Academics:	Date: