

Minor in Addiction Studies 2025-2026

Student Name:

Student ID:

Student Major:

Student Academic Advisor:

Date:

Please note: the Minor in Addiction Studies is **not** a minor program in Social Work. It is intended to provide students in helping disciplines, including social work, nursing, occupational therapy, education and psychology, with practical coursework in the field of addiction studies to fill a present need in the community.

(per the 201 KAR 35:050 "Curriculum of Study" regulation, 1 academic credit hour = 15 classroom hours). Classroom training represents only a portion of the CADC requirements and completion of the minor in no way ensures licensure.

Students must complete the following four required courses (12 credit hours). The School of Social Work will offer SW 330 and SW 420 every year. We schedule SW 410 and SW 435 in alternating years.

Required Courses:

_____	SW 330	Right, Wrong and It Depends: Applied Ethics for Helping Professionals	3
_____	SW 410	Trauma and Addiction	3
_____	SW 420	Addictions in Society	3
_____	SW 435	Counseling and Addictions	3

Students must also complete 6 credit hours of elective courses related to the knowledge and skills necessary to perform alcohol and drug counselor competencies. The School of Social Work will offer at least two of the following 3-credit elective courses each year. Students may also register to take 1-credit addiction-related continuing education courses offered by the School of Social Work for academic (elective) credit.

Elective Courses (choose 6 credit hours):

_____	SW 385	Social Justice Perspectives on HIV and AIDS	3
_____	SW 400	Spirituality and Addiction	3
_____	SW 405	Psychopharmacology	3
_____	SW 421	Addiction, Screening, Assessment & Treatment Planning	1
_____	SW 422	Motivational Interviewing for Addiction Treatment	1
_____	SW 423	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Addiction Treatment	1
_____	SW 424	Twelve-Step Facil. and Mutual-Help Groups in Addiction Trtmt	1
_____	SW 425	Case Management with Substance Abusers	1
_____	SW 426	Clinical Supervision of Substance Misuse Treatment	1
_____	SW 427	Crisis Intervention	1
_____	SW 428	Consultation and Record Keeping	1
_____	SW 430	Co-Occurring Disorders	3