

**Human Services Technology (A45380)**

Official Program Description registered with the NC Community College System:

The Human Services Technology curriculum prepares students for entry-level positions in institutions and agencies which provide social, community, and educational services. Along with core courses, students take courses which prepare them for specialization in specific human service area. Students will take courses from a variety of disciplines. Emphasis in core courses is placed on development of relevant knowledge, skills, and attitudes in human services. Fieldwork experience will provide opportunities for application of knowledge and skills learned in the classroom.

Graduates should qualify for positions in mental health, child care, family services, social services, rehabilitation, correction, and educational agencies.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon completion of the Human Services Technology program, the graduate should be able to:

- Analyze human behavior and development from historical, biological, psychological and sociological perspectives.
- Apply principles related to the diversity of peoples and cultures in the therapeutic relationship.
- Apply practical principles related to the Human Services profession.
- Apply critical reasoning, problem-solving abilities, and communication skills in clinical practice.
- Employ professional and ethical behavior in clinical practice.

**Degree Awarded**

The Associate in Applied Science Degree-Human Services Technology is awarded by the College upon completion of this program.

**For More Information**

The Human Services Technology program is in the Allied Health and Public Services Division. For more information call (919) 739-6796, or visit us at our web site at [www.waynecc.edu](http://www.waynecc.edu).

**Admissions**

- A high school diploma or the equivalent is required.
- A placement test in English, mathematics, reading and computer skills are required to determine entry-level courses that match individual needs.

Students must demonstrate competency in Math Skills by attaining minimally acceptable scores on the ASSET, ACCUPLACER/CPT, or COMPASS placement test or course completion prior to receiving a degree as follows:

1. ASSET Numerical >41 AND either ASSET Elementary Algebra >41 or ASSET Intermediate Algebra >36;
2. or COMPASS Algebra >46;
3. or Accuplacer/CPT = 55
4. or completion of MAT 070 with a grade of C or better.

**First Step To Enroll:**

Call the Admissions and Records Office at (919) 739-6720.

|   | Contact Hours | Semester Credit Hours |
|---|---------------|-----------------------|
| <b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>                   |               |                       |
| ACA 111 College Student Success.....    | 1             | 1                     |
| ENG 111 Expository Writing .....        | 3             | 3                     |
| HSE 110 Intro to Human Services .....   | 4             | 3                     |
| HSE 112 Group Process I.....            | 3             | 2                     |
| PSY 150 General Psychology.....         | 3             | 3                     |
| SOC 210 Introduction to Sociology ..... | 3             | 3                     |

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| <b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>    |   |    |           |
| DDT 110                   | Developmental Disabilities .....          | 3  | 3         |
| ENG 114                   | Professional Research and Reporting ..... | 3  | 3         |
| HSE 123                   | Interviewing Techniques.....              | 4  | 3         |
| HSE 125                   | Counseling.....                           | 4  | 3         |
| PSY 241                   | Developmental Psychology .....            | 3  | 3         |
| 15                        |   |    |           |
| <b>SUMMER TERM</b>        |   |    |           |
| BIO 161                   | Introduction to Human Body ....           | 3  | 3         |
| CIS 110                   | Introduction to Computers .....           | 4  | 3         |
| COE 110                   | World of Work .....                       | 1  | 1         |
| 7                         |   |    |           |
| <b>THIRD SEMESTER</b>     |   |    |           |
| COE 111                   | Co-op Work Experience I.....              | 1  | 1         |
| COE 115                   | Work Experience Seminar .....             | 10 | 1         |
| HSE 210                   | Human Service Issues.....                 | 2  | 2         |
| HSE 225                   | Crisis Intervention .....                 | 3  | 3         |
| PSY 141                   | Psychology of Death and Dying             | 3  | 3         |
| PSY 281                   | Abnormal Psychology .....                 | 3  | 3         |
| 13                        |   |    |           |
| <b>FOURTH SEMESTER</b>    |   |    |           |
| COE 121                   | Co-op Work Experience II.....             | 10 | 1         |
| GRO 120                   | Gerontology .....                         | 3  | 3         |
| HEA 112                   | First Aid & CPR.....                      | 3  | 2         |
| PSY 183                   | Psychology of Addictions .....            | 3  | 3         |
| SOC 220                   | Social Problems.....                      | 3  | 3         |
|                           | Humanities/Fine Arts Elective ..          | 3  | 3         |
| 15                        |   |    |           |
| <b>Total Credit Hours</b> |   |    | <b>65</b> |