



MSW Online degree with Specialty in Mental Health and Substance Misuse
Advanced Curriculum – FALL START – 12 Month
 38 CREDITS (Advanced Standing) or 35 CREDITS (Traditional)

Student Name: _____ Mav ID #: _____

Semester/Year	Courses by Semester*		Credit Hours
Fall 2024 <i>(Submit Field Application¹; Decide if Thesis or Nonthesis²)</i>	<u>8 Week Courses</u> SOCW 5311 – Advanced Micro Practice	<u>8 Week Courses</u> SOCW 5352 – Direct Practice in Mental Health and Substance Misuse	15
	<u>16 Week Courses</u> SOCW 53XX – Integrated Theory & Practice Course ³ SOCW 5313 – Research & Evaluation Methods II OR SOCW 5323 Program Evaluation SOCW 5353 – Social Policy and Mental Health Policy		
Spring 2025	<u>8 Week Course</u> SOCW 5354 – Principles of Substance Misuse Treatment	<u>8 Week Course</u> SOCW 53XX – Integrated Theory & Practice Course ³	13
	<u>16 Week Courses</u> SOCW 5482 – Advanced Field (SPLIT – 240 hours) SOCW 53XX – Advanced MHSM Elective ⁴ (SOCW 5396 if Thesis Option)		
Summer 2025 <i>(Apply for Graduation in MyMav⁵)</i>	<u>14 Week Courses</u> SOCW 5483 - Advanced Field (SPLIT - 240 hours) SOCW 5395 – Integrative Seminar (SOCW 5398 if Thesis Option)		7 or 10
	<u>11 Week Course</u> SOCW 53XX – Advanced MHSM Elective ⁴ (Advanced Standing with BSW Standing Only)		

* Courses subject to change; Updated 11/2023

Academic Advisor Name: _____

Academic Advisor Signature: _____ Date: _____

¹Students will apply for field through Tevera after receiving an email with application instructions. To apply for field, students pay a one-time fee for Tevera that covers the entire MSW degree (\$225 through Tevera or \$272 through the bookstore; paying through the bookstore allows the fee to be charged to student’s financial aid); if students paid for Tevera in their foundation year, they do not pay again in the advanced year.

²If thesis is selected, notify advisor to revise degree plan (you may remain in cohort) and begin working with a thesis advisor; if you don’t have a thesis advisor in mind, email the Director of Graduate Programs for guidance.

³ SOCW 5314 Intimate Partner Violence
 SOCW 5316 Stress, Crisis, and Coping
 SOCW 5318 Death & Dying

SOCW 5315 Brain and Behavior
 SOCW 5317 Palliative Care
 SOCW 5319 Suicide Prevention and Intervention

⁴ SOCW 5355 Military Social Work
 SOCW 5357 Group Dynamics and Social Work Practice
 SOCW 5359 Military Families
 SOCW 5361 Military Trauma

SOCW 5356 Seminar in Cognitive-Behavioral Intervention Strategies
 SOCW 5358 Treatment of Children and Adolescents
 SOCW 5360 Treatment of Military Populations

⁵ This is different than the commencement ceremony. Applying for graduation is required to complete the degree and receive diploma.