

Course Outline



COURSE NAME: SOWK 255
Practicum II

Dec 2025 for Winter 2026

SOWK 255: Practicum II Seminar

6 Credits – 3 hours per week

Course Description

The student will demonstrate competency of acquired theoretical skills as applied in a field placement. Practicums are organized with consideration of relevant personal or practice backgrounds, learners' academic needs, areas of interest and organization fit. Subject to certain conditions, students may also complete their practicum in their workplace. As part of this course, learners will be supported through scheduled discussions with their practicum instructor and peers. This instructor-guided reflective, integration seminar is designed to support experiential learning. Note: Prior to entering practicum (SOWK 155 and SOWK 255), Social Work faculty evaluate learners using an assessment tool call Professional Suitability or Overall Suitability. Any deficiencies identified will be discussed with students and a collaborative support plan will be implemented to support students in addressing deficiencies. Following the reassessment, if there continues to be deficiencies, students may not be placed in practicum.

Pre-Corequisites

SOWK 110, 120, 125, 130, 201, 220, 210, 230, NATST 201

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

By attending the weekly practicum seminar meetings, and partaking in the practicum placement hours, students will be provided the opportunity to learn about the helping profession in a safe and supportive manner.

Upon successful completion of the course, the student shall be able to:

- Develop skills for working within a human service agency
- Develop skills in relationship building
- Practice human services practice skills
- Take responsibility for their learning
- Understand and work within the parameters of a professional Code of Ethics
- Have an understanding of the role of a social worker
- Develop a sound understanding of how social service agencies deliver programs to populations in need
- Understand the function of human service agencies in our society
- Have some understanding of funding sources for social service delivery

Evaluation

Assessment Type	Pass/Fail
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of all 360 hours of practicum • Completion and submission of the learning journal • Completion of the practicum presentation • Completion and submission of artifact assignment • Completion and submission of all practicum documents • Satisfactory written evaluations from the practicum placement • Attendance at all scheduled integration seminar 	Pass
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-compliance with any of the above 	Fail

Course Completion Requirements

Pass all Requirements

Grading Scale

4.0	A+	93-100
4.0	A	85-92.9
3.7	A-	80-84.9
3.3	B+	77-79.9
3.0	B	74-76.9
2.7	B-	70-73.9
2.3	C+	67-69.9
2.0	C	64-66.9
1.7	C-	60- 63.9
1.3	D+	55-59.9
1.0	D	50-54.9
0.0	F	0-49.9

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