

**University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee
Helen Bader School of Social Welfare
and
Milwaukee Area Technical College
Program – to – Program Articulation Agreement**

Milwaukee Area Technical College

Human Service Associate (A.A.S.)

University of Wisconsin –Milwaukee

Bachelor of Science (Social Work)

RATIONALE: MATC offers a two-year degree that focuses on preparing students for employment in schools, social service, or community corrections agencies specializing in providing assistance to individuals and/or groups of individuals. The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee’s baccalaureate degree program in social work seeks to enhance students’ understanding of the role of social work in society and the ways in which social forces shape the quality of service provided by the social service system. A bachelor’s degree has become necessary for social workers to function in that capacity and be certified by the State of Wisconsin.

Many Milwaukee–area students interested in careers in social work begin at MATC in order to move quickly into human service jobs, but later discover that they are interested in pursuing a bachelor’s degree. This articulation agreement formally recognizes the transfer of credits from the Human Services associate degree program at MATC to the Social Work bachelor’s degree program at UWM.

I. MATC General Education Courses

Students can use the UW Transfer Information System (www.uwsa.edu/tis) to view how MATC college-parallel courses transfer to UWM.

II. MATC Human Service courses will transfer to the social work program at UWM as follows:

MATC	UWM
HUMSVC 101 Intro to Human Services (3 cr)	SOC WRK 100 Intro to Human Services (3 cr)
HUMSVC 106 Field Work (5 cr)	SOC WRK 111 (3 cr)
HUMSVC 107 Field Seminar (3 cr)	SOC WRK 112 (1 cr)
HUMSVC 103 Group Work Skills (3 cr)	SOC WRK Elective * (3 cr)
HUMSVC 105 Introduction to Counseling (3 cr)	SOC WRK Elective * (3 cr)
AODA 109 Drug Use and Abuse (3cr)	SOC WRK Elective * (3 cr)
HUMSVC 115 Methods of Social Case Work (3 cr)	SOC WRK 310 Social Work Methods I (3 cr)
HUMSVC 118 Intro to Gerontology (3 cr)	SOC WRK 564 Social Services for the Aging (3 cr)
HUMSVC 121 Family Issues and Intervention (3 cr)	SOC WRK Elective * (3 cr)
HUMSVC 142 Multicultural Competency (3 cr)	SOC WRK 665 Cultural Diversity and Social Work (3 cr)
HUMSVC 144 Ethics in Human Service Professions	SOC WRK Elective * Social Work (3 cr)

(3 cr)

*These credits do not count toward the 42 credit social work major, but do count as general electives and for degree credit.

Additional Conditions:

1. Acceptance into the UWM program is based upon academic and non-academic criteria determined by the Helen Bader School of Social Welfare.
2. The UWM baccalaureate candidate must meet UWM's General Education and Cultural Diversity Requirements, and the Helen Bader School of Social Welfare's degree requirements.
3. Program-to-Program transfer courses/credits are accepted only for the degree specified in this agreement. A change of major invalidates these courses/credits for transfer unless they are approved within some other Program-to-Program Articulation Agreement for a different major at UWM.
4. Course equivalencies used in this articulation agreement are subject to change in the event that the course curriculum of the Human Services Associate Program undergoes revision.
5. Human Services courses must be posted on official transcript in order for students to receive credits from the agreement.
6. The maximum number of credits that can be transferred from MATC to UWM is 72.
7. Social Work majors must meet University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee requirements for admission, including a 2.0 cumulative grade point average on transferable credits. Admission to UWM does NOT guarantee admission to the Social Work program in the UWM Helen Bader School of Social Welfare.
8. This articulation agreement is effective as of September 1, 2005. Courses completed prior to that date would transfer according to prior transfer equivalencies.

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EFFECTIVE DATE:

This agreement is effective as of the date of signing and covers courses completed during the Fall 2005 semester and thereafter.