

UMBC UGC Program Changes & Other Request: Social Work (10113)

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Specifics (see instructions):

Addition of electives

For Social Welfare MINOR, please add 2 new electives as choices to meet the 9 credit elective requirement:

SOWK 369 Contemporary Issues, Cultures and Social Work Practice in Aging (3 credits)

SOWK 370 Social Work and the Criminal Justice System (3 credits)

For comparison these are the courses currently offered as electives:

Social Welfare Minor



Any of the following courses [9]

- [SOWK 200 - Social Issues - Social Action](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 240 - Information Technology in Social Work](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 311 - Introduction to Field Experience in Social Work](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 386 - Strengthening Family Structure](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 387 - Policies, Programs, and Services for Children](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 389 - Human Behavior II](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 371 - Social Work Practice in Aging](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 372 - Social Work and Health Care](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 373 - Demystifying the DSM: A Social Work Perspective](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 374 - Social Work with Immigrants and Refugees](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 377 - Women and Social Policy](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 390 - Special Topics in Social Welfare](#) (1.00 - 3.00)
- [SOWK 395 - Addictive Behavior Patterns](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 470 - Social Work Research](#) (3.00)
- [SOWK 499 - Independent Study](#) (1.00 - 3.00)

Rationale (see instructions):

The two new courses reflect new fields of practice and career paths for social workers.