

AA Human Services – Addiction Studies Option

PHILOSOPHY:

This curriculum is designed to fulfill the educational requirements needed to work in the addiction field. The program emphasizes addiction issues in Native Communities and gives students the unique opportunity to study these in a tribal college setting.

EXPECTED LEARNER OUTCOMES:

Students will:

1. Create a written case file that meets professional standards in the addiction field.
2. Prepare and present an addiction counseling lecture.
3. Demonstrate counseling skills needed to work with addiction issues.
4. Demonstrate self-knowledge and personal growth.
5. Identify the pharmacology and physiology of psychoactive drugs.
6. Apply principles of addiction professional ethical behavior.
7. Distinguish multi-cultural and diversity competency skills needed to work with individuals and groups.
8. Know current theories of addiction counseling.
9. Understand the multiple and complex issues addiction counselors must be aware of.
10. Satisfy the Montana state education component to become eligible for a Licensed Addiction counselor.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

Students will complete the GENERAL EDUCATION and the PROFESSIONAL CORE degree requirements as outlined in appropriate sections of the catalog. These specific General Education requirements are required.

GENERAL EDUCATION	
General Education Humanities: HUM 213: Chippewa and Cree Religion & Philosophy (3 credits)	35 CREDITS
General Education Math: M 145: Mathematics for the Liberal Arts (4 credits)	
General Education Natural Science: BIOH 101: Fund of Human Biology (3 credits) & BIOH 102: Fund of Human Biology Lab (1 credit)	
General Education Social Sciences: PSYX 100: Intro to Psychology (3 credits)	
PROFESSIONAL CORE	
AD 155: Intro to Addiction Studies (3 credits)	35 CREDITS
AD 160: Family Group Dynamics (3 credits)	
AD 170: Multi-Cultural Counseling (1 credit)	
AD 195: Addiction Counseling (3 credits)	
AD 250: Addiction Treatment Modalities (3 credits)	
AD 265: Case Management (3 credits)	
AD 275: Group Dynamics (3 credits)	
AD 283: Addiction Assessments (2 credits)	
AD 284: Pharmacology & Physiology of Addiction (3 credits)	
AD 285: Ethics and Confidentiality (1 credit)	
AD 290: Human Services Addiction Studies Capstone Co-occurring Disorders (3 credits)	
PSYX 270: Abnormal Psychology (3 credits)	
SOCI 101: Intro to Sociology (3 credits)	
TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	70 CREDITS