

Area of Interest: Social/Behavioral Sciences & Public Service

Certificate: Human Services

College Catalog: [2025-2026](#)



Program Location: All Campuses

Program Description: Human Services is a field committed to recognizing and meeting human needs through an interdisciplinary knowledge base. Students will be equipped with skills to understand human behavior through the social sciences and apply knowledge related to prevention, problem solving, and the overall quality of life of populations served. Engage in real world experiences that prepare you for a career in advocacy, case management or assessment.

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Area of Interest Website: [Social/Behavioral Sciences and Public Service- Central Arizona College \(centralaz.edu\)](#)

Legend

Bold Course=Required Course

Core Course (CC)

Semester 1

| | | COURSE | CREDITS | SEMESTER/GRADE | NOTES |
|--|----|---|-----------|---|-------|
| | CC | ENG101 English College Composition | 3 | | |
| | CC | PSY101 Intro to Psychology | 3 | | |
| | CC | SOC101 Intro to Sociology | 3 | | |
| | CC | SWU171 Intro to Social Work | 3 | | |
| | | Semester Credits: | 12 | Meet with your Advisor every Semester! | |

Semester 2

| | | COURSE | CREDITS | SEMESTER/GRADE | NOTES |
|--|----|--|-----------|--|-------|
| | CC | PHI105 Intro to Ethics | 3 | | |
| | CC | SOC202 Contemporary Social Problems | 3 | | |
| | CC | SOC220 Human Services Capstone Course | 3 | | |
| | | Semester Credits: | 9 | Finish strong-don't get distracted before finals! | |
| | | Total Certificate Credits: | 21 | | |

Arizona Resident Tuition for 2025-2026 is \$75 per credit hour; see [Paying for College](#). Financial aid may be available.

Career Information

CAC Career Center: centralaz.edu/career FREE CAC career resources and assistance.

O*NET OnLine: Visit onetonline.org and search for:

Occupations in Human Services, including:

- Education needed for specific occupations
- Occupation tasks, knowledge, skills and abilities
- Salary/wages for specific occupations (\$)

Transfer Information

CAC University Transfer Center: centralaz.edu/transfer FREE CAC transfer resources and assistance.

AZTransfer Administration of Justice Major Guide has a list of transfer programs at ASU, NAU, or UA.

Note: Use this Program MAP as a guide to choose courses with your advisor and track progress towards milestones and completion of program. Work with an advisor to customize your plan to align with your specific career and/or transfer goals.

Part-Time Students: Plans can be modified to fit the need of part-time students by adding more semesters.

Student Name:

Advisor Name:

Student ID Number: 880

Date: