

Highland Community College  
**Associate in General Studies – Human Services**  
(63 total credit hours minimum)

The AGS degree in Human Services has four areas of concentration to choose from. The concentrations are:  
▶ Allied Health                      ▶ Early Childhood                      ▶ Family, Child and Juvenile                      ▶ Gerontology

Page 1 and 2 are requirements for all for concentrations

**BASIC SKILLS (15 Credits)**

- ENG 101 Composition I (3)**
  
- ENG 102 Composition II: Literature and Research**  
OR **ENG 103 Composition II: Rhetoric and Research (3)**
  
- SP 106 Public Speaking**  
OR **SP 101 Oral Communications (3)**
  
- MAT 100 Beginning Algebra**  
OR **MAT 108 Contemporary Math**  
OR **higher level mathematics (3)**
  
- Physical Education (1)**
  - \_\_\_ PE 112 Personal & Community Health (3)
  - \_\_\_ PE 119 Tennis (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 121 Volleyball (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 122 Archery (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 124 Weightlifting I (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 129 Basketball (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 134 Golf (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 135 Running Awareness (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 139 Lifetime Fitness (2)
  - \_\_\_ PE 140 Advanced Weightlifting/Condition I (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 141 PE for Men (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 240 Advanced Weightlifting/Condition II (1)
  - \_\_\_ PE 241 Weightlifting II (1)
  
- Computer Literacy (1)**
  - \_\_\_ **BUS 181 Micro App I: Word Processing (1)\***  
**\*Required class for Allied Health & Gerontology**
  - \_\_\_ BUS 130 Microcomputer Applications I (3)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 132 Micro App. I: Outlook (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 133 Micro App I: Spreadsheet (3)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 136 Micro App I: Desktop Publishing (3)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 139 Micro App I: Word Processing (3)
  - \_\_\_ **BUS 181 Micro App I: Word Processing (1)\***
  - \_\_\_ BUS 182 Micro App I: Database Manage (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 183 Micro App I: Spreadsheet (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 185 Micro App I: Desktop Publishing (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 186 Micro App I: Integrated Software (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 188 Computer Applications I: Windows (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 189 Micro App I: Electronic Bus Pres (1)
  - \_\_\_ BUS 246D Micro App I: Web Design (2)
  
- COL 103 College Success (1)**

**HUMANITIES and FINE ARTS (6 Credits)**

- Select from 2 DIFFERENT areas.**
- Art\*\***
    - \_\_\_ A 101 Art Appreciation (3)
    - \_\_\_ A 107 Drawing I (3)
    - \_\_\_ A 201 Art History Survey: Prehistoric to Medieval (3)
    - \_\_\_ A 202 Art Hist Survey: Renaissance to Contemp (3)
  
  - Foreign Language\*\***
    - \_\_\_ LG 101 Spanish I (5)
    - \_\_\_ LG 102 Spanish II (5)
    - \_\_\_ LG 201 Spanish III (3)
  
  - History**
    - \_\_\_ HIS 101 United States History to 1877 (3)
    - \_\_\_ HIS 102 United States History since 1877 (3)
    - \_\_\_ HIS 103 History of Western Civilization I (3)
    - \_\_\_ HIS 104 History of Western Civilization II (3)
    - \_\_\_ HIS 202 Introduction to Ancient History (3)
    - \_\_\_ HIS 204 Readings in Western Civilization I (3)
  
  - Library Science**
    - \_\_\_ LS 102 Children's Literature (3)
  
  - Literature**
    - \_\_\_ ENG 104 Introduction to Literature (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 202 American Lit: Pre-Colonial to Civil War (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 208 Introduction to Short Story (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 209 American Lit: Reconstruction to Pres (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 210 World Lit: Beginnings to Renaissance (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 211 World Lit: Enlightenment to Present (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 212 British Literature: Middle Ages to 1800 (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 213 British Literature: 1800 to Present (3)
    - \_\_\_ ENG 215 Diverse Voices in Literature (3)
  
  - Music**
    - \_\_\_ M 103 Music History/Appreciation (3)
    - \_\_\_ M 146 Musical Theatre History (3) (= to TH 146)
    - \_\_\_ M 162 Introduction to World Music (3)
    - \_\_\_ M 223 History of Jazz (3)
  
  - Philosophy**
    - \_\_\_ PHI 101 Introduction to Philosophy (3)
    - \_\_\_ PHI 102 Introduction to Ethics (3)
    - \_\_\_ PHI 103 Logic & Critical Thinking (3)
    - \_\_\_ PHI 105 Religions of the World (3)
  
  - Photography**
    - \_\_\_ PHO 107 History of Photography (3)
  
  - Speech**
    - \_\_\_ SP 103 Oral Interpretation (3)
    - \_\_\_ SP 105 Interpersonal Communication (3)
  
  - Theatre\*\***
    - \_\_\_ TH 105 Introduction to Drama (3)
    - \_\_\_ TH 108 History/Appreciation of Theatre Arts (3)
    - \_\_\_ TH 146 Musical Theatre History (3) (= to M 146)
    - \_\_\_ TH 208 Film Appreciation (3)

**\*\*NOTE:** Suggested Humanities and Fine Arts for the **Family, Child and Juvenile** concentrations are: Art, Foreign Language and Music or Theatre

### **NATURAL & PHYSICAL SCIENCES (5 Credits)**

#### **Natural Sciences**

- BS 101 College Biology with lab (5)
- BS 104 Human Anatomy with lab (4)
- BS 105 Human Physiology with lab (4)
- BS 107 Intro to Environmental Sci. with lab (4)
- BS 110 Nutrition (3)
- BS 112 Nutrition for Health, Fitness and Sports w/Lab(5)
- BS 201 General Zoology (5)
- BS 202 General Botany with lab (5)
- BS 203 Microbiology with lab (5)

#### **Physical Science**

- PS 101 College Physical Science with lab (5)
- PS 102 Concepts of Physics with lab (4)
- PS 104 Physical Geology with lab (4)
- PS 107 General Chemistry with lab (5)
- PS 108 Astronomy with lab (4)
- PS 111 College Chemistry I with lab (5)
- PS 112 College Chemistry II with lab (5)
- PS 203 General Physics I with lab (5)
- PS 204 General Physics II with lab (5)
- PS 210 Organic Chemistry I with lab (5)
- PS 215 College Physics I with lab (5)
- PS 216 College Physics II with lab (5)

### **ALL CONCENTRATIONS**

**Note:** Prior to enrolling in HMS 250 Human Services Practicum, students must be American Heart Association First Aid/CPR certified.

## **ALLIED HEALTH**

### **DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (12 Credits)**

- HS 109 Pharmacology for Allied Health (3)
- HS 112 Pathophysiology for Allied Health (3)
- HMS 250 Human Services Practicum I (3)
- PSY 101 General Psychology (3)

### **DEGREE ELECTIVES (22 Credits)**

- \_\_\_ BS 104 Human Anatomy (4)
- \_\_\_ BS 105 Human Physiology (4)
- \_\_\_ BS 109 Medical Terminology (3)
- \_\_\_ BS 1110 Nutrition (3)
- \_\_\_ HMS 100 Fundamentals of Human Services (3)
- \_\_\_ HMS 118 Ethics in Helping Professions (3)
- \_\_\_ HS 103 Legal and Ethical Issues in Healthcare (3)
- \_\_\_ LG 100 Conversational Spanish (2)
- \_\_\_ LG 105 American Sign Language (3)
- \_\_\_ NUR 201 Certified Nurse Aide (6)
- \_\_\_ PSY 205 Human Growth and Development (3)
- \_\_\_ PSY 209 Abnormal Psychology (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC101 General Sociology (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 104 Introduction to Social Work (3)

## **FAMILY, CHILD, AND JUVENILE**

### **DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (15 Credits)**

- HMS 105 Case Management in Human Services (3)
- HMS 118 Ethics in Helping Professions (3)
- HMS 250 Human Services Practicum I (3)
- PSY 101 General Psychology (3)
- SOC 104 Introduction to Social Work (3)

### **DEGREE ELECTIVES (22 Credits)**

- \_\_\_ CJ 120 Juvenile Delinquency and Justice (3)
- \_\_\_ CJ 205 Critical Issues in Law Enforcement (3)
- \_\_\_ ECH 101 Recognizing Child Abuse, Neglect, & Head Trauma (3)
- \_\_\_ PSY 202 Child Psychology (3)
- \_\_\_ PSY 205 Human Growth and Development (3)
- \_\_\_ PSY 290 Abnormal Psychology (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 102 Marriage and the Family (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 105 Death, Loss, and Grief (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 106 Diversity and Inclusiveness (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 110 Crisis Intervention (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 114 Alcohol and Substance Disorders (3)

### **OPEN ELECTIVES (7 credits)**

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## **EARLY CHILDHOOD**

### **DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (18 Credits)**

- HMS100 Fundamentals of Human Services (3)
- HMS 112 Home Visiting I ECH (3)
- HMS 115 Home Visiting II ECH (3)
- HMS 250 Human Services Practicum I (3)
- PSY 101 General Psychology (3)
- SOC 102 Marriage and the Family (3)

### **DEGREE ELECTIVES (16 Credits)**

- \_\_\_ LG 105 American Sign Language (3)
- \_\_\_ ECH 100 Early Childhood Fundamentals (3)
- \_\_\_ ECH 160 Observing & Interacting w/Young Children (3)
- \_\_\_ ECH 220 Principles of Inclusion (3)
- \_\_\_ HMS 118 Ethics in Helping Professionals (3)
- \_\_\_ PSY 205 Human Growth and Development (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 106 Diversities and Inclusiveness (3)

## **GERONTOLOGY**

### **DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (12 Credits)**

- HMS 250 Human Services Practicum I (3)
- PSY 101 General Psychology (3)
- NUR 201 Certified Nurse Aide (6)

### **DEGREE ELECTIVES (25 Credits)**

- \_\_\_ BS 104 Human Anatomy (4)
- \_\_\_ BS 105 Human Physiology (4)
- \_\_\_ BS 109 Medical Terminology (3)
- \_\_\_ BS 110 Nutrition (3)
- \_\_\_ HMS 100 Fundamentals of Human Services (3)
- \_\_\_ HMS 110 Health and Physical Aspects of Aging (3)
- \_\_\_ HMS 118 Ethics in Helping Professions (3)
- \_\_\_ HS 103 Legal and Ethical Issues in Healthcare (3)
- \_\_\_ HS 109 Pharmacology for Allied Health (3)
- \_\_\_ HS 112 Pathophysiology for Allied Health (3)
- \_\_\_ LG 100 Conversational Spanish (2)
- \_\_\_ LG 105 American Sign Language (3)
- \_\_\_ NUR 202 Certified Medication Aide (5)
- \_\_\_ PSY 205 Human Growth and Development (3)
- \_\_\_ PSY 209 Abnormal Psychology (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC101 General Sociology (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 104 Introduction to Social Work (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 105 Death, Loss and Grief (3)
- \_\_\_ SOC 108 Social Gerontology (3)

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