



Transfer Guide: MCC Human Services Transfer (HSTAA) to NWU Bachelor of Arts or Science in Social Work

This Pathway is designed to help students earning an Associate of Arts degree in Human Services Transfer (HSTAA) transfer into the social work major at Nebraska Wesleyan University. Students who follow this pathway are positioned to complete a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree in Social Work (BSW) in two or two and a half years (four or five full-time semesters). Graduates of NWU's Social Work program qualify for advanced standing into the Master of Social Work (MSW) program, waiving the first year of graduate requirements.

Some guidelines for this Pathway:

- Students who follow this pathway will transfer a total of 96 quarter credit hours, which is equivalent to 64 semester credit hours at NWU.
- MCC Courses must have grades of C or better to transfer.
 - MCC courses applying to the NWU social work major must have a grade of B or better
- Students who transfer before completing courses or requirements in this pathway may be able to complete courses after transferring and stay on track. Consult an NWU admissions counselor for guidance.

General Transfer Policies:

- MCC Courses with numbers below 1000 will not transfer.
- NWU can transfer a maximum of 96 quarter hours (64 semester hours) from community colleges.
 - 4.5 quarter credits transfer as 3 semester credit hours; 6 quarter credits transfer as 4 semester credit hours.
- Students must complete a minimum of 126 semester credit hours to earn a bachelor's degree from NWU. Transferrable courses which do not meet degree requirements (aka "elective credits") still count toward this 126 and are marked on the pathway as "credit toward graduation."
- Students should work with their advisor when selecting courses for the AA. This guide offers recommendations for transferable courses and is not intended to be a substitute for advising at MCC.

For more information on this transfer pathway, please contact NWU Graduate and Transfer Admissions at transferadmissions@nebrwesleyan.edu

General Education Courses to Complete at MCC:

Table 1MCC General Education Courses

MCC Requirement Met	Credits	MCC Course Name	NWU Course Equivalent	NWU Requirement Met	Credits
Communication	4.5	ENGL 1010 English Composition I	ENG 1010 English Language & Writing	First-year writing	3
Communication	4.5	ENGL 1020 English Composition II	ENG 1020 Comp, Language & Literature	Credit toward graduation	3
Communication	4.5	COMS 1110 Public Speaking	COMM 1000 Fundamentals of Comm	Speaking-Instructive	3
Quantitative/Numeracy	4.5	MATH 1410 Statistics	MATH 1300 Statistics	Mathematical Problem Solving/required for BSW	3
Humanities (choose either art or global DEI)	4.5	<i>choose one course:</i> ARTS 1010 Elementary Drawing ENGL 1310 Creative Writing PHOT 1101 Basic Digital Photography THEA 2020 Fund of Acting I PHIL 2200 Intro to Comp Religions	ART 1300 Drawing I Approved Arts/Writing Instructive Course ART 1500 Photography I: Digital THTRE 1300 Acting I RELIG 1150 World Religions	Creative & Performing Arts Creative & Performing Arts Creative & Performing Arts Creative & Performing Arts Global Diversity/Equity/Inclusion	3
Social Sciences (choose one course)	4.5	PSYC 1010 Intro to Psychology or SOWK 2120 Race, Class & Gender	PSYCH 1010 Intro to Psych Sciences or Approved Social Work US DEI elective	Social Science Investigations or US Diversity/Equity/Inclusion	3
Scientific Inquiry	6	<i>choose one course:</i> BIOS 1010 General Biology CHEM 1010 College Chemistry CHEM 1212 General Chemistry I GEOG 1150 Intro Phys Geo: Weather GEOG 1160 Intro Phys Geo: Landforms GEOG 1210 Physical Geology SCIE 1010 Physical Science SCIE 1300 Astronomy + SCIE 1310 Lab	BIOS 1010 Perspectives in Bio Science Approved Science with Lab CHEM 1110+1110L Chem Principles I+ lab PHYS 1400 Intro to Meteorology Approved Science with Lab PHYS 1100 Intro to Geology Approved Science with Lab PHYS 1300 Astronomy	Natural Science with Lab	4
Professionalism/Life Skills & Information Literacy	4.5	<i>choose one course:</i> HMRL 1010 Human Relations Skills EXPL 1000 Exploratory Studies INFO 1001 Info Systems Literacy	Technical Transfer Credit Transfer Elective Credit Transfer Elective Credit	Credit toward graduation	3
Total MCC General Credits	37.5			Total Gen Credit Transfer to NWU	25

Major Requirements for MCC Human Services Transfer:

MCC Requirement Met	Credits	MCC Course Name	NWU Course Equivalent	NWU Requirement Met	Credits
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 1010 Intro to Human Services	Transfer Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 1120 Helping Skills & Technique	Transfer Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 1130 Intro Counseling Theories	Transfer Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 1140 Assessment, Case Planning & Management	Transfer Technical Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 1150 Community Resources *	Approved Social Work Elective*	Required for BSW	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 2050 Ethics & Professionalism	Transfer Technical Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 2110 Group Counseling	Transfer Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 2120 Social Services Policy	Transfer Elective	Credit toward graduation	3
Major Requirement	4.5	HMSV 2150 Multicultural Counseling *	Approved Social Work Elective*	Required for BSW	3
Major Requirement	4.5	PSYC 1120 Human Growth & Dev	PSYCH 2350 Lifespan Development	Applies to Identity Thread	3
Major Requirement	4.5	SOCI 1010 Intro to Sociology	SOC 1110 Intro to Sociology	Required for BSW	3
Option Requirement	4.5	POLS 2050 American National Govt	POLSC 1010 US Government & Politics	Required for BSW	3
Option Requirement	4.5	SOWK 1010 Intro to Social Work*	SOCWK 1150 Intro to Social Work*	Required for BSW	3
Total MCC Major Credits	58.5			Total Major Credit Transfer NWU	39
Total MCC Transfer Credits	96			Total Credits Transfer to NWU	64

Table 2MCC Transfer Major Requirements

*MCC courses marked with an asterisk must have grades of B or better to apply to the social work degree