

FCHD Major, Family and Community Services Emphasis Plan

The suggested course of study shown below for the Family and Community Services Emphasis within the Family, Consumer, and Human Development (FCHD) major is intended to guide students in the selection of their courses. However, students should meet with their advisor each semester to plan an individualized schedule tailored to their specific interests and needs.

Freshman Year (31-34 credits)

Fall Semester (16-19 credits)

FCHD 1010 (BSS) ¹ Balancing Work and Family.....	3
FCHD 1500 (BSS) ¹ Human Development Across the Lifespan	3
MATH 1010 Intermediate Algebra	4
ENGL 1010 (CL1) Introduction to Writing: Academic Prose	3
USU 1000 Introduction to Computers and Information Literacy (1 cr) or OSS 1400 Microcomputer Applications (3 cr) or Passing scores on Computer and Information Literacy (CIL) exams (0 cr).....	0-3
<i>(Note: Although USU 1000 and OSS 1400 include the CIL exams, the CIL requirement is met only by passing all six exams, not by simply passing USU 1000 or OSS 1400.)</i>	
University Studies Breadth course ²	3

Spring Semester (15 credits)

FCHD 2400 (BSS) ¹ Marriage and Family Relationships	3
FCHD 2610 Child Guidance	3
STAT 1040 (QL) Introduction to Statistics	3
University Studies Breadth course ²	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Sophomore Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)

FCHD 3100 Abuse and Neglect in Family Context.....	3
ENGL 2010 (CL2) Intermediate Writing: Research Writing in a Persuasive Mode	3
PSY 2800 (QI) Psychological Statistics	3
University Studies Breadth courses ²	6

Spring Semester (15 credits)

FCHD 2100 Family Resource Management.....	3
FCHD 3210 (CI) Families and Cultural Diversity.....	3
FCHD 3350 Family Finance	3
University Studies Breadth course ²	3
Elective course	3

Junior Year (29-32 credits)

Fall Semester (14-16 credits)

FCHD 3110 Human Sexuality.....	3
FCHD 3130 (QI) Research Methods	3
FCHD 3510 ³ Infancy and Early Childhood	3
FCHD 3550 ³ Infant Lab	(1)
FCHD 4220 Family Crises and Interventions	3
Depth Humanities and Creative Arts (DHA) course.....	2-3

Spring Semester (15-16 credits)

FCHD 3520 ³ Children in the Middle Years.....	3
FCHD 3540 Adult Development and Aging	3
FCHD 3560 ³ Middle Childhood Lab.....	(1)
FCHD 3530 Adolescence	3
FCHD 4230 Families and Social Policy.....	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Senior Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)

FCHD 4240 Social and Family Gerontology.....	3
FCHD 4900 (CI) Pre-Practicum Skills	3
FCHD 5540 Family Life Education Methods	3
Depth Life and Physical Sciences (DSC) course	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Spring Semester (15 credits)

FCHD 4980 Practicum.....	6
Elective course(s).....	9

¹FCHD 1010, 1500, or 2400 meets the Breadth Social Sciences (BSS) requirement.

²At least two of the six required breadth courses *must* have a USU prefix.

³Students must complete *one* laboratory experience: *either* FCHD 3550 (taken concurrently with FCHD 3510) *or* FCHD 3560 (taken concurrently with FCHD 3520).