Students pursuing a combined degree in human services and sociology will integrate the theoretical understandings of these two fields to better understand organizational and group behavior and their implications for individuals and communities utilizing human services. The human services major prepares students for careers in social change by providing students with the theoretical and skill-based background necessary for practice and research. The sociology major prepares students to rigorously analyze the social, political, and economic spheres of society at the local and global levels. Students will develop a holistic understanding of preventative and reactive responses to social inequality and an understanding of how to impact change at the individual and structural levels. The combined major provides students with the conceptual and practical tools to understand how various features of society affect its members as well as how people create social change.

Program Requirements
Complete all courses listed below unless otherwise indicated. Also complete any corequisite labs, recitations, clinicals, or tools courses where specified and complete any additional courses needed beyond specific college and major requirements to satisfy graduation credit requirements.

University-Wide Requirements
All undergraduate students are required to complete the University-Wide Requirements (http://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/university-academics/university-wide-requirements/).

NUpath Requirements
All undergraduate students are required to complete the NUpath Requirements (http://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/university-academics/nupath/).

Human Services Requirements

### Code | Title | Hours
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HUSV 1101 | Social Change and Human Services | 4
HUSV 2300 | Counseling in Human Services | 4
HUSV 3570 | The Nonprofit Sector, Philanthropy, and Social Change | 4
HUSV 3900 | Social Policy | 4
HUSV 4994 | Human Services Internship | 6
**Human Services Electives**
Complete three additional HUSV courses. 12

#### Research Methods

Complete option A or option B: 4-8

**Option A**
- HUSV 2970 | Research Methods for Human Services | 4

**Option B**
- SOCL 2321 | Research Methods in Sociology | 4

Complete an additional HUSV Elective

**Senior Capstone**
- HUSV 4700 | Senior Seminar in Human Services | 4

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1 With permission of human services, the student may complete sociology capstone Senior Seminar (SOCL 4600) and substitute one advanced human services elective for Senior Seminar in Human Services (HUSV 4700).

Sociology Requirements

### Code | Title | Hours
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**Required Sociology Courses**
- SOCL 1101 | Introduction to Sociology | 4
- SOCL 2320 | Statistical Analysis in Sociology | 4
- SOCL 3300 | Social Theory | 4

**Introductory Electives**
Complete two of the following: 8
- SOCL 1228 | Social Problems | 4
- SOCL 1245 | Sociology of Poverty | 4
- SOCL 1246 | Environment and Society | 4
- SOCL 1255 | Sociology of the Family | 4
- SOCL 1260 | Gender in a Changing Society | 4
- SOCL 1295 | Drugs and Society | 4
- ANTH 1101 | Peoples and Cultures | 4

**Intermediate-Level Elective**
Complete two of the following: 8
- SOCL 2358 | Current Issues in Cities and Suburbs | 4
- ANTH 2302 | Gender and Sexuality: A Cross-Cultural Perspective | 4
- ANTH 2305 | Global Markets and Local Culture | 4
- ANTH 2315 | Religion and Modernity | 4
- SOCL 3241 | Violence and Society | 4
- SOCL 3270 | Race and Ethnic Relations | 4
- SOCL 3441 | Sociology of Health and Illness | 4
- SOCL 3465 | Globalization and the Evolution of Human Societies | 4
- SOCL 3468 | Social Movements | 4
- SOCL 3487 | Applied Sociology: Practice and Theory | 4

**Advanced-Level Elective**
Complete one of the following: 4
- SOCL 4518 | Law and Society in a Digital World | 4
- SOCL 4520 | Race, Class, and Gender | 4
- SOCL 4580 | Special Topics in Sociology | 4
- ANTH 4500 | Latin American Society and Development | 4
- ANTH 4505 | Native North Americans | 4
- ANTH 4510 | Anthropology of Africa | 4
- ANTH 4515 | Culture and Politics in Modern India | 4
- ANTH 4580 | Special Topics in Anthropology | 4

**Senior Seminar**
- SOCL 4600 | Senior Seminar | 4
Human Services and Sociology, BS

With permission of the sociology head adviser, the student may complete Senior Seminar in Human Services (HUSV 4700) and substitute one advanced sociology elective for Senior Seminar (SOCL 4600).

**Human Services/Sociology Integrative Course**

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**Sociology Major Grade Requirement**

A GPA of 2.000 for major courses is required.

**Human Services and Sociology Combined Major Credit Requirement**

Complete 78 semester hours in the major.

**Experiential Liberal Arts**

All undergraduate students in the College of Social Sciences and Humanities are required to complete the Experiential Liberal Arts Requirement (http://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/social-sciences-humanities/#ela).

**Program Requirement**

128 total semester hours required

**Plan of Study**

Four Years, No Co-op

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