

HUMAN SERVICES

PUBLIC SERVICE

FAMILY & COMMUNITY SERVICES

PROGRAM OF STUDY

The Family & Community Services program of study introduces students to knowledge and skills related to social services including nutrition, human growth and development, mental health and wellness, and community services. Students may follow career paths in social work, therapy for children, families, or school communities, or within non-profit organizations.

Texas Data: Collected by TEA October 2019

OCCUPATIONS	MEDIAN WAGE	ANNUAL OPENINGS	% GROWTH
Child, Family and School Social Workers	\$41,350	2,221	17%
Social and Community Services Managers	\$65,146	608	33%
Marriage and Family Therapists	\$42,266	217	35%
Social and Human Service Assistants	\$32,448	2,822	25%
Mental Health and Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	\$42,120	576	39%



RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE

- 1 LEVEL** Principles of Human Services
- 2 LEVEL** Human Growth & Development OR Lifetime Nutrition & Wellness/ Interpersonal Studies
- 3 LEVEL** Counseling & Mental Health
- 4 LEVEL** Family and Community Services, Practicum in Human Services

NOTE: See reverse for additional course sequence options and endorsement requirements. Course descriptions and details can be found in the course catalog.

WORK-BASED LEARNING EXPERIENCES	CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS
Industry Guest Speakers; Site Visits/Field Trips; Industry Mentors; Community Project Opportunities; Internships/Externships.	Family, Career and Community Leaders of American (FCCLA); National Technical Honor Society (NTHS)



The Human Services Career Cluster focuses on preparing individuals for employment in career pathways that relate to families and human needs such as counseling and mental health services, family and community services, personal care services, and consumer services.

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