

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK FIRST CYCLE UNDERGRADUATE MAJOR PROGRAM

Organization

The Department of Social Work was established in 2020 at Munzur University, Faculty of Health Sciences. It started its educational activities with 40 students in the 2020-2021 academic year.

Degree Awarded

Graduates completing the program and fulfilling all the requirements receive a “Bachelor's Degree in Social Work.”

Level of Degree (Associate, Bachelor, Bachelor, Master, Doctorate)

License

Admission and Registration Requirements

Students are admitted to the Department of Social Work undergraduate program with Equal Weight (EA) and central placement system according to the results of the Higher Education Institutions Examination (YKS) and having completed Turkish secondary education or received an equivalent education abroad. The language of instruction is Turkish.

Rules on Recognition of Prior Learning (Formal, In-Formal, Non-Formal)

Recognition of Prior Formal Learning in Turkish Higher Education Institutions: Vertical, horizontal, and intra-university transitions are carried out within the scope of the “Regulation on the Principles of Transferring Between Associate Degree and Bachelor's Degree Programs, Double Major, Minor and Inter-Institutional Credit Transfer in Higher Education Institutions” determined by the Higher Education Council.

Qualification Requirements and Rules

The Social Work program consists of applied and theoretical courses. After four years of education, the student must successfully complete all the courses in the program (240 ECTS in total) and have a GPA of at least 2.00 out of 4.00.

Program Profile

The education period of the program is four years, and the language of instruction is Turkish. The program includes compulsory and elective courses with applied and theoretical content related to Social Work. In the first 3 years, service courses, especially in the fields of law, economics, sociology, psychology, philosophy, management, social policy and social work, women, children, the elderly, people with disabilities, refugees, asylum seekers, special needs groups, homeless, poor and other groups are taken. In addition, a graduation thesis is written in the 3rd grade. In the 4th grade, 3 days a week in the fall semester and 5 days a week in the spring semester are applied in social service institutions and organizations within the scope of the application course.

Occupational Profiles of Graduates

Since the courses, credits, internships, and other practices are prepared by considering the Turkish Qualifications Framework and program achievements, those who complete the department as a graduate of Social Work will be able to be employed in professions that require unique expertise. Graduates of the Department of Social Work can have the opportunity to work in many places. Appointments in public institutions are made through KPSS, and there is also the opportunity to work privately. Our graduates can have the opportunity to work in many institutions such as the Ministry of Family, Labor, and Social Policies, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Justice; Ministry

of Labor and Social Security's central units and provincial directorates; Nurseries and daycare centers in local governments, Children's nurseries, Nursing homes, Rehabilitation centers, Social assistance and counseling centers, Hospitals, and Educational institutions.

Access to Higher Degree Programs

Those who complete this program can study in graduate programs (master's, doctorate) provided that they get a valid grade from ALES and have sufficient knowledge of the English language.

Exams, Assessment, and Evaluation

Munzur University Associate and Undergraduate Education and Training Regulations determine the measurement and evaluation method applied for each course. Students are subjected to midterm, final, and make-up exams.

Graduation Requirements

In order for a student to graduate, he/she must have completed the 240 ECTS curriculum, which includes all the courses, applications, projects, laboratories, seminars, graduation projects, and compulsory internships specified in the program he/she is following, and must have a GPA of at least 2.00. Students with a GPA of 2.00 and above are also considered successful in the courses they receive DD and DC grades. Students with a GPA below 2.00 must retake the courses with DD and DC grades until their GPA is 2.00 or higher. In repeated courses, the last grade received by the student is valid.

Mode of Operation

Full Time

Department Facilities

There are three faculty members (1 Assoc. Prof. Dr. and 2 Assistant Prof. Dr.) and 2 Research Assistants in the Department of Social Work. The program cooperates with faculty members and staff from different fields with interdisciplinary cooperation and coordination. The program, which will continue its education and training by using classrooms and computer halls with all necessary equipment, has a library, conference room, dining hall, and canteen that students can benefit from.

Program Outcomes

- 1- Knows the effect of social and cultural environment on human behavior and can use it in social work practices.
- 2- Knows the application areas of social work and the role and functions of social work as a professional staff.
- 3- To have basic and up-to-date theoretical and practical knowledge in social work.
- 4- Analytical thinking and synthesis, the ability to transfer solution proposals in writing and orally by cultural and ethical values.
- 5- Know the ethical rules of the social work profession and comply with these rules.
- 6- Developing a positive attitude towards lifelong learning.
- 7- Ability to develop social responsibility projects with other businesses in the national and international arena.
- 8- Conducting an advanced-level study related to the field independently.

9- Planning and managing activities for the development of employees under his/her responsibility within the framework of a project.

10- To use the knowledge related to other disciplines (Business Administration, Economics, Public Administration, Sociology, and Psychology) and subject areas that form the basis of social work.

11- Informing the relevant people and institutions about the issues related to the field; transferring thoughts and suggestions for solutions to problems in written and verbal form.

12- Using information and communication technologies at the level required by the field.

13- To be aware of the universality of social rights, social justice, equality, environmental protection, occupational health and safety.

14- The ability to internalize the philosophy of lifelong learning, disseminate it to team members, and ensure their active participation.

15- Reaching individuals, groups, and societies at different levels through written and oral communication channels by supporting their thoughts and suggestions for solutions to problems with quantitative and qualitative data.

16- To follow the information in the field of social work and communicate with colleagues using a foreign language.

17- Knows the management processes in human service organizations and can adopt and apply contemporary management approaches.

18- Defining problems and developing solutions based on evidence using advanced knowledge and skills acquired in the field.

19- Interventions for the individual, family, and society will be made using the theoretical and practical knowledge acquired in social work.

20- To act by social, scientific, cultural, and ethical values in the stages of collecting, interpreting, applying, and announcing the results of the data related to the field.

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