



ONLINE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Human Services

Empower Communities, Be a Catalyst for Change

The University of South Carolina Beaufort offers a 100% online Bachelor of Science in Human Services, preparing students for diverse careers. The program combines courses in sociology and psychology with three internships, totaling 360 hours of real-world experience in areas such as substance abuse, disabilities, mental health, and child abuse prevention.

Graduates are equipped to excel in various settings, including mental health facilities, community organizations, residential care, and institutional environments. They provide essential services like group leadership, activity coordination, and counseling, helping individuals, families, and communities renew their capacity to function effectively. This comprehensive program ensures students can make a meaningful impact in their communities.

Curriculum

The curriculum includes coursework in the following disciplines:

- **Psychology** - 15 credit hours
- **Sociology** - 15 credit hours
- **Human Services** - 12 credit hours
- **Leadership and Ethics** - 9 credit hours
- **Internship** - 12 credit hours

Prerequisites and Requirements

To apply for this online degree program, students must have earned an associate's degree from an accredited institution, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA in all previous college-level coursework. Students transferring to the program are encouraged to review the list of completed coursework needed for eligibility on the program's webpage.



IN-DEMAND CAREERS

- Social Worker
- Mental Health Counselor
- Substance Abuse Counselor
- Case Manager
- Community Outreach Coordinator
- Family Support Specialist
- Crisis Intervention Specialist



AVERAGE STARTING SALARY

\$40,000-\$55,000



PROJECTED JOB GROWTH

The United States Department of Labor predicts average job growth for mental health counselors. Demand is expected to increase 22% by 2032.



EMPLOYERS HIRING HS GRADUATES

- Nonprofit Organizations
- Government Agencies
- Hospitals and Healthcare Facilities
- Mental Health Centers
- Educational Institutions
- Rehabilitation Centers
- Social Service Agencies



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