The M.S.W. program prepares graduates to work with individuals, families, groups, communities, and organizations within medical and behavioral health settings, with a special focus on military populations. The program is accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (C.S.W.E.). It is clinically-focused and meets the educational course requirements for licensure as a Licensed Clinical Social Work (L.C.S.W.) in the State of Florida. Advanced standing (30 semester hours) and traditional (60 semester hours) program options are available. The program can be completed on a full-time or part-time basis with course offerings available during evening hours. The advanced standing program can be completed in as few as three semesters.

Field Instruction
The M.S.W. Curriculum includes an advanced clinical field experience which places a qualified candidate in a social service agency for a supervised learning experience. Because this is a professional preparation program, students are required to submit an application to participate in this field experience. The Department of Social Work partners with a broad range of social service agencies in the Southern Alabama and Florida Panhandle Regions.

UWF Department of Social Work partners with over 100 agencies across the Gulf Coast, including:

- Baptist Healthcare
- CDAC Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.
- Department of Children and Families
- Emerald Coast Hospice
- Families First Network
- Fort Walton Beach Medical Center
- Fresenius
- Gulf Coast Veterans Healthcare System
- Lakeview Center
- National Youth Advocate Program
- Nemours Children’s Health System
- Sacred Heart Health System
- United Methodist Children’s Home
- Volunteers of America
- West Florida Hospital

Admission Requirements
- Submission of University Graduate application and processing Fee
- Submission of official transcripts
- Submission of GRE or MAT scores
- Undergraduate cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Social Work Program GPA of 3.5
- Must have earned a B.S.W. degree from a C.S.W.E. accredited program within the past 7 years
- Submission of a personal statement
- Submission of three letters of recommendation
- Submission of the M.S.W. Criminal History Form
- Submission of B.S.W. Final Field Evaluation

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### Advanced Standing Clinical Curriculum

#### Course offerings by semester

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