

MANAGING JUVENILE AND ADULT POPULATIONS CERTIFICATE

School of Criminology & Criminal Justice, Grace Abbott School of Social Work, College of Public Affairs & Community Service

Vision Statement

A unique program specifically designed for professionals working with juveniles and adults who are in contact with the criminal justice system as victims, offenders, or family members.

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Other Program Related Information:

Note: This certificate can be obtained entirely online. All courses for the certificate will be offered online in a two-year rotation. Elective courses in criminology and criminal justice are also offered in the Spring, Summer and Fall Semesters.

Admissions

Application Deadlines (Spring 2020, Summer 2020, and Fall 2020)

- Applications for this program are accepted on a rolling basis. All materials must be submitted prior to the beginning of the semester in which the student has elected to begin coursework.

Program-Specific Requirements

Statement of Purpose

- stating how the certificate will help you achieve your professional goals

International Applicants: Applicants are required to have a command of oral and written English. Those who do not hold a baccalaureate or other advanced degree from the United States, **OR** a baccalaureate or other advanced degree from a predetermined country on the waiver list, must meet the minimum language proficiency score requirement in order to be considered for admission.

- IELTS: 7.5 required; 8.0 preferred
- PTE: score of 76 or higher

- Internet-based TOEFL: minimum of 21 in each of the 4 areas, and a minimum of 95 overall
- All ESL students are required to take a proficiency assessment examination at UNO upon admission, which will be used to determine if further assistance is required.
- GPA of 2.75 or higher

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
SOWK 8886	TOPICAL SEMINAR IN SOCIAL WORK ¹	3
SOWK/COUN 8686	MEDICAL AND PSYCHOSOCIAL ASPECTS OF ALCOHOL/DRUG USE AND ADDICTION	3
CRCJ 8080	SEMINAR IN JUVENILE JUSTICE	3
CRCJ 8850	RISK/NEEDS ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS	3
Select three(3) additional graduate credit hours in consultation with your advisor.		3
Total Credits		15

- ¹ Choose one of the following topics:
- Trauma & Resilience (offered spring or summer)
 - Crisis Intervention (odd years in fall)
 - Advanced Clinical Skills (even years in fall)