

The Ohio State University  
College of Social Work

Child Abuse and Neglect Minor (CABSNGM-MN)

**College of Social Work**

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**Purpose:** The Child Abuse and Neglect Minor is designed to provide students from a wide range of majors with knowledge, skills and training in prevention, identification, and intervention of child abuse and neglect. This minor would provide visibility for securing employment in careers where child abuse and neglect are encountered and addressed, and thus be valuable for students interested in becoming teachers, principals, and other school personnel; physicians, nurses, and other health care workers; mental health and substance abuse professionals; coaches and athletic staff; child care providers; juvenile justice workers; lawyers; law enforcement officers; and social workers.

The minor consists of 14-15 credit hours. At least 6 hours must be at the 3000-level and above. Some courses in this minor have pre-requisites. Please consult the course bulletin before enrolling in classes.

**Required Core Courses (6 credit hours)**

SOCWORK 5007: Child Welfare I (3)  
SOCWORK 5008: Child Welfare II (3)

**Select one of these courses (2-3 credit hours)**

EDUCST 5880.07: Interprofessional Approaches to Child Abuse and Neglect (2)  
HDFS 4370: Families and Stress (3; pre-req - HDFS 2200)  
SOCWORK 5023: Family Violence: Social Work Perspectives and Interventions (3)

**Select two of these courses; the selected courses must be from two different disciplines (6 credit hours)**

Educational Psychology

ESEPY 2309: Psychological Perspectives on Education (3)

Human Development and Family Science

HDFS 2200: Family Development (3)  
HDFS 2350: Parenting (3)

Sociology

SOCIOL 3434: The Child and Society (3)  
SOCIOL 4511: Juvenile Delinquency (3)

Social Work

SOCWORK 5014: Juvenile Delinquency and Correctional Practice in Social Work (3)  
SOCWORK 5015: Social Work Practice and the Law (3)  
SOCWORK 5517: School Social Work  
SOCWORK 5798.03: An Exploration of Australia's Systems of Care (3)

**Child Abuse and Neglect Minor program guidelines:**

Credit hours required: A minimum of 14 credit hours. 1000 level courses will not be counted in the minor. At least 6 credit hours must be at the 3000 level or above.

Transfer and EM credit hours allowed: A student is permitted to count up to 6 total hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination.

Overlap with the GE: A student is permitted to overlap up to 6 credit hours between the GE and the minor.

Overlap with the major and additional minor(s):

- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The minor must contain a minimum of 12 hours distinct from the major and/or additional minor(s).

Grades required:

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA for all minor course work.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.
- No more than 3 credit hours of coursework graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory may count toward the minor.

X193 credits: No more than 3 credit hours.

Minor Approval: The minor may be approved by the student's College/School Advising Office via the Degree Audit Report (DAR). If the minor is not complete on the DAR, the student must consult with a College of Social Work advisor.

Filing the minor program form: The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school advisor.

Changing the minor: Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by the academic unit offering the minor.

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