

Anne Arundel Community College: Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) in Addiction Counseling
Old Dominion University: Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Human Services

2024-2027 Transfer Agreement Guide

Complete at Anne Arundel Community College (AACC)				Complete at Old Dominion University (ODU)		
A.A.S. DEGREE REQUIREMENT				BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		
AACC Course	Credits	ODU Equivalent Course	Notes	ODU Course	Credits	Notes
ENG 101 Academic Writing & Research 1	3	ENGL 110C English Composition		Nature of Science Requirement	4	2
ENG 102 Academic Writing & Research 2	3	ENGL 211C Intro to Academic Writing		Liberal Arts Requirement	9	4
GER - Mathematics - MAT 135 Statistics	3	STAT 130M Elementary Statistics	1	SOC 201S Intro to Sociology	3	6
BIO 101 Fundamentals of Biology or BIO 230 Structure and Function of the Human Body	4	BIOL 121N/122N General Biology I & Lab or BIOL 2ELE Biology Elective	2	Upper Division General Education Requirement	6	5
PSY 111 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 201S Intro to Psychology		Electives	2	6
PSY 214 Abnormal Psychology	3	PSYC 2ELE Psychology Elective		HMSV 339 Interpersonal Relations	3	
GER - Wellness Requirement	3	GNRL 1ELE or 2ELE General Elective		HMSV 341 Introduction to Human Services	3	5, 9
GER - Arts & Humanities - COM 111 Fundamentals of Oral Communication or COM 116 Fundamentals of Oral Communication for Non-Native Speakers	3	COMM 101R Public Speaking	3	HMSV 344 Career Development & Appraisal	3	
CTA 100 Computing & Information Technology or CTP 103 Theories & Applications of Digital Technology	3	ITL 1REQ Impact of Technology or CS 1ELE Computer Science Elective		HMSV 440W Program Development, Implementation, and Funding	3	
HUS 101 Human Service & Addiction Counseling Ethics in Practice	3	HMSV 346 Diversity Issues in Human Services		HMSV 491 Family Guidance	3	
HUS 114 Counseling, Assessment & Case Management	3	HMSV 368 Case Management & Crisis Techniques through Field Observation	9	HMSV 449 Crisis Intervention, Prevention and Ethics	3	6, 9
HUS 141 Group Dynamics	3	HMSV 444 Psycho-educational Groups		HMSV 452 Substance Abuse Treatment & Research or HMSV 494 Entrepreneurship in Human Services & Non-Profit Fundraising	3	8, 9
HUS 216 Theories of Counseling	3	HMSV 343 Human Services Method	9	HMSV 447 Introduction to Substance Abuse or HMSV 448 Interventions & Advocacy with Children	3	8, 9
HUS 102, 115, 130, 140, 200, 217, 234	20	GNRL 1ELE & GNRL 2ELE General Electives	7,10	HMSV 468 Internship in Human Services	12	10
CREDITS PRE-TRANSFER: 60				CREDITS POST-TRANSFER: 60		

Numbered Notes:

- **Note 1: Mathematical Skills Requirement.** MAT 135 Statistics is preferred. However, ODU will also accept the following AACC Mathematics GER courses to meet the general education math requirement for the ODU Human Services program: MAT 137, MAT 145, MAT 146, MAT 151, MAT 191, or MAT 192.
- **Note 2: Nature of Science Requirement.** ODU requires 8 credits of approved science courses with labs; 4 credits of this Nature of Science requirement will be satisfied by AACC's BIO 101 or BIO 230 and completion of the A.A.S. degree in Addiction Counseling at AACC.
- **Note 3: AACC GER Arts & Humanities Requirement.** COM 111 or 116 is strongly preferred and required for any student pursuing a dual degree with an A.A.S. in Human Services. However, ODU will also accept the following AACC GER Arts & Humanities courses: AFA 214, ART 181, 210, 219, ENG 211, 213, 214, 216, 217, HIS 111, 112, 211, 212, 214, GSS 101, HUM 101, MUS 100, PHL 111, 141, 142, 201, THA 111, or World Language level 111 for ARB, ASL, FRE, GER, ITA, or SPA.
- **Note 4: Liberal Arts Requirement.** 9 additional credit hours in ODU lower-division general education areas of Literature, Human Creativity, Philosophy and Ethics, Interpreting the Past, and Language and Culture. Any additional courses needed to complete the Liberal Arts requirement may be taken at AACC, ODU, and/or approved standardized examination (i.e., CLEP, DSST).
- **Note 5: Upper Division General Education Requirement.** Complete minimum of 6 credits in approved courses at the upper division (300/400 level) or a Minor.
- **Note 6: Elective Credits.** 2 credits in elective coursework are required to meet the 120-credit minimum for a degree. Elective credits may be met by completion of an ODU Minor, taking general elective courses of one's choice, or through additional transfer credit hours. **Students who complete additional coursework in HUS 100, HUS 211, and SOC 111 can also be awarded AACC's A.A.S. Human Services degree.** These courses will transfer to ODU's B.S. Human Services degree program as HMSV 341 Introduction to Human Services, HMSV 449 Crisis Intervention, Prevention, and Ethics, and SOC 201S Intro to Sociology.
- **Note 7: Transferability of AACC's HUS courses (102, 115, 130, 140, 200, 217, and 234).** Credit hours from the A.A.S. in Addiction Counseling program are used to satisfy the B.S. in Human Services Program as academic electives.
- **Note 8: CSAC or CADC Credentialing.** For students pursuing credentialing as a Certified Substance Abuse Counselor (CSAC) or Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor (CADC) following graduation, HMSV 447 Introduction to Substance Abuse and HMSV 452 Substance Abuse Treatment and Research must be selected as part of the required curriculum.
- **Note 9: Addiction Prevention and Treatment Certificate Opportunity.** Students who pursue this certificate will gain the knowledge, skills, and abilities to recognize the signs and symptoms of substance abuse, understand crisis intervention and relapse prevention strategies, develop substance abuse prevention and recovery programs, treat individuals and families affected by addiction, and make ethical decisions as a human services professional. The certificate program consists of six courses within the ODU Human Services program for a total of 18 credit hours. AACC's HUS 216 and HUS 114 courses at AACC will fulfill two of the six course certificate requirements. Students may complete AACC's HUS 100 or ODU's HMSV 341 to fulfill one course requirement, and students will complete HMSV 447, HMSV 449, and HMSV 452 at ODU to satisfy the remaining requirements and be awarded the certificate. This certificate may fulfill the educational hours required to take the National Certified Addiction Counselor Level I (NCAC-I) exam as set by the Virginia Board of Counseling. If you plan to seek credentialing **outside of Virginia**, please contact your state board to determine how this certificate can meet your state's requirements.
- **Note 10: Internship in Human Services.** A one-semester 400-hour internship (HMSV 468 Internship in Human Services) is required after all degree coursework is completed. The internship experience provides the student with an opportunity to gain real hands-on experience in the field, as well as network for future job opportunities. Learning experiences are structured to ensure that the student can apply in the field setting what has been learned through previous didactic class work. Students who successfully complete HUS 217 Fieldwork: Theories of Counseling at AACC with a grade of C or better are eligible to apply for a waiver of 100 internship hours out of the 400 required by ODU. Students who have already completed 5 years of full-time experience in the field of human services can submit a portfolio to be considered for HMSV 468 credit.

General Notes:

- Completion of this transfer agreement guide alone does not guarantee admission to Old Dominion University. All students must meet the requirements set by the Office of Admissions.
- Lower-Division General Education waiver and course substitutions are not automatic upon enrollment to ODU. Students must notify their ODU academic advisor for these to be processed upon verification.
- Grade of C or higher is required to receive transfer course credit from AACC courses, and all ODU Human Services courses require a C or higher.
- A minimum of 120 credit hours is required for graduation. Students can transfer up to 90 credit hours into select ODU majors with the completion of an associates degree. A minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed at ODU.
- Course requirements listed in this agreement are based on the 2023-2024 catalogs for each institution and are valid until 2027, unless annual catalog curriculum changes or an updated agreement guide is created.
- **Students are encouraged to complete the Letter of Intent (LOI)** to gain access to exclusive benefits, including pre-advising, coaching, and a waived application fee. Submit the LOI at <https://online.odu.edu/transfer-intent>.
- Contact academicpartnerships@odu.edu to participate in this transfer agreement and connect with an ODU enrollment coordinator for pre-admission advising.



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