



College of Public Service

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO COLORADO SPRINGS

Bachelor of Social Work

Spring 2026 Courses

January 20, 2026 – May 16, 2026

Course #	Course Title	Format*	Class Meetings	Instructor
SOWK 1001-001	Introduction to Social Work	In Person	Weekly in-person meetings held on campus on Monday 10:50AM-1:30PM.	Laurel Bidwell
SOWK 1001-H01	Introduction to Social Work	Hybrid	This off-site course meets at the Fort Carson Education Center, 1675 Long St #1117, Fort Carson, CO 80913. Two in-person class meetings held at Ft. Carson on Monday, January 26 and Monday, May 4 from 04:45PM-7:20PM. The remainder of this course is conducted asynchronously online at no scheduled meeting time. Enrolled students will be contacted by email with instruction to access Fort Carson before the first day of class.	Laurel Bidwell
SOWK 1001-OL1	Introduction to Social Work	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Annelisa Moore
SOWK 3001-OS1	The Helping Relationship	Online Synchronous	Weekly virtual meetings on Monday 4:45PM-7:20PM.	Annie Zean Dunbar
SOWK 3002-OL1	Human Behavior & Social Environment	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Billie Ratliff
SOWK 3003-001	Social Work Research	In Person	Weekly in-person meetings held on campus on Tuesday 1:40PM-4:20PM.	Tae Kyung Park
SOWK 3003-OL1	Social Work Research	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Tae Kyung Park
SOWK 3050-001	Social Work Practicum Prep	In Person	Weekly in-person meetings held on campus Wednesday 10:50AM-1:30PM.	Anna Nicol
SOWK 3050-OS1	Social Work Practicum Prep	Online Synchronous	Weekly virtual meetings on Wednesday 4:45PM-7:20PM.	Ila DeBose
SOWK 3268-001	Cont Iss Soc/Pub Policy	In Person	Weekly in-person meetings held on campus Wednesday 1:40PM-4:20PM.	Heather Macias
SOWK 3268-OL1	Cont Iss Soc/Pub Policy	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Heather Macias

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SOWK 3400-OL1	Awareness, Dialogue, Engagement	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Ila DeBose
SOWK 4001-OS1	Individuals, Families & Groups	Online Synchronous	Weekly virtual meetings on Tuesday 4:45PM-7:20PM.	Billie Ratliff
SOWK 4002-001	Practice w/ Orgs & Cmtys	In Person	Weekly in-person meetings held on campus Thursday 10:50AM-1:30PM.	Heather Pelser
SOWK 4002-OL1	Practice w/ Orgs & Cmtys	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Heather Pelser
SOWK 4052-OS1	Child Welfare: Skills & Pract	Online Synchronous	Weekly virtual meetings on Monday 7:30PM-9:00PM. The remainder of this course is conducted online at no scheduled meeting time.	Kelsea Gutknecht
SOWK 4112-001	Seminar and Practicum II	In Person	Students complete seven in-person class meetings over the course of the semester, scheduled on Thursdays between 1:40PM-4:20PM. The remainder of the course is practicum hours conducted at an approved social service agency.	Ila DeBose
SOWK 4112-OS1	Seminar and Practicum II	Online Synchronous	Students complete seven online class meetings over the course of the semester, scheduled on Thursdays between 4:45PM-7:20PM. The remainder of the course is practicum hours conducted at an approved social service agency.	Annie Zean Dunbar
SOWK 4600-OL1	Special Topics in Social Work: Social Work with Children and Adolescents	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Billie Ratliff
SOWK 4600-OS1	Special Topics in Social Work: Youth Residential Care	Online Synchronous	Weekly virtual meetings on Tuesday 7:30PM-8:45PM. The remainder of this course is conducted online at no scheduled meeting time.	Laurel Cartwright
SOWK 4900-001	Social Work Senior Summit	In Person	Weekly in-person meetings held on campus Thursday 4:45PM-7:20PM.	Billie Ratliff
SOWK 4900-OL1	Social Work Senior Summit	Online Asynchronous	N/A	Billie Ratliff

* Course Format Descriptions

- **Hybrid** – Course uses a combination of in-person and online instruction, with the majority of the instruction being conducted online. All students attend in-person instruction together during the scheduled class time. The balance of the course is conducted online at no scheduled time (asynchronous).
- **In Person** – All instruction is in person on campus in a classroom with a specified meeting time. The instructor may also use the online Canvas course shell for assignments and/or readings and other course materials.
- **Online Asynchronous** – Course is conducted online at no scheduled time (asynchronous). All instruction is fully online including discussions, activities, group work and peer interaction. Online courses carry a \$100 online course fee.
- **Online Synchronous** – Course meets online in real time during the specified meeting time. All instruction is fully online including discussions, activities, group work and peer interaction. Online courses carry a \$100 online course fee.

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