



Addiction Studies Program

Our mission is to improve the lives of individuals and families affected by alcohol and other drug use through evidence based treatment, education, training and research, promoting a greater understanding of addiction disorders.

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About Us

Our vision is to strengthen and heal disrupted lives and families. We envision a treatment system where individuals with mental health and substance use disorders are treated with dignity and respect.

New Mexico Highlands University (NMHU) School of Social Work works collaboratively with the South Southwest ATTC toward:

- The design and delivery of addictions courses;
- Technical support to substance abuse provider agencies; and
- Continuing education training opportunities.



Program Goals

- Reduce the incidence and recidivism of DWI and alcohol/drug related offenses in Bernalillo County and New Mexico.
- Provide evidence-based substance abuse treatment services to Bernalillo County residents arrested for DWI, specifically targeting offenders on Probation, Parole or incarcerated in the Community Custody Program.
- Professionally train social workers, counselors, peer mentors, students and other community professionals to become mental health and alcohol/drug specialists through the NMHU School of Social Work, Substance Abuse Certificate Program.

Highlights

- The NMHU Community Clinical Treatment Program offered professional training ranging from “Addiction Counselor Ethics” to “Professional Boundaries” for NMHU students and community professionals.
- Provide continuing education workshops for local treatment agency staff on a variety of unique topics such as: Substance Abuse: Dealing with Addictions During the First 90 Days of Recovery; Let’s Talk About Sex and Adolescent Addictions; Prevention Ethics; Medical Cannabis: The Benefits of Medical Use; Psychopharmacology; and DSM IV for clinicians.
- The Board of Regents has just approved a Substance Abuse Concentration at the Master’s Level for the NMHU School of Social Work.
- The NMHU School of Social Work is the only certified Matrix Model Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP) in New Mexico. We have taken a leadership role in New Mexico to train more providers in the Matrix Model IOP.

Courses

We provide courses for bachelor’s and master’s level social work students:

Addictions and Substance Abuse
 Crisis Intervention – Substance Abuse
 Group Work – Substance Abuse
 Substance Abuse Field Seminar I
 Substance Abuse Field Seminar II



Educational Consortium Member



South Southwest (HHS Region 6)

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Addiction Technology Transfer Center Network
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