

# COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2023

## Bachelor of Social Work

COURSE CODE: ABSW

<b>CAMPUS</b>	Footscray Park (FP)
<b>COLLEGE</b>	College of Health and Biomedicine
<b>STUDY MODE</b>	Full Time or Part Time
<b>DURATION</b>	4 years Full Time or Part Time equivalent
<b>FEE TYPE</b>	For information on course fees, refer to <a href="http://vu.edu.au/fees">http://vu.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>APPLICATION METHOD</b>	VTAC - <a href="https://vtac.edu.au">https://vtac.edu.au</a> Direct Application - <a href="https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing">https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing</a>
<b>TIMETABLE</b>	<a href="http://vu.edu.au/timetables">vu.edu.au/timetables</a>
<b>COURSE REQUIREMENTS</b>	To attain the Bachelor of Social Work, students will be required to complete: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 384 credit points of Core studies.</li></ul>
<b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b>	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at <a href="http://vu.edu.au/course-search">http://vu.edu.au/course-search</a> or go to <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au">https://askvu.vu.edu.au</a> or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
<b>COURSE CHAIR</b>	Bernadette Saunders
<b>COURSE ADVICE</b>	AskCUA <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua">https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua</a>

**Note:** Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

**Core:** A unit that must be completed.

**Prerequisites:** A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

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## YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
ASW1001	Introduction to Social Work	Core	SB1, 1B1	12	FP	
ABA1003	Introduction to Sociology	Core	1B1, 1B2	12	FP	
ASA1024	Applied Human Rights	Core	1B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	FP	
HHB1104	Introduction to Public Health and Wellness	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	
AEK1105	Aboriginal Traditions and Policy	Core	1B3, 1B4	12	FP	
ASX1003	Foundations of Social Science Research	Core	1B4, 2B1, 2B3	12	FP	
HHH1000	Interpersonal Skills and Communication	Core	2B1, 2B2	12	FP	
ASW1000	Working in Human Services Organisations	Core	2B1, 2B3, 2B4	12	FP	

## YEAR 2

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
ASW2202	Social Work Theories	Core	SB1, 1B1	12	FP	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW2103	Human Development in Social Context	Core	1B1, 1B2	12	FP	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW3097	Social Work and Trauma Informed Care	Core	1B2, 1B3	12	FP	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW3101	Skills for Social Work Direct Practice	Core	1B3, 1B4, 2B1	12	FP	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW2102	Social Welfare: History and Current Context	Core	2B1, 2B2	12	FP, ORT	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW2104	Critical Social Work Theories	Core	1B4, 2B1, 2B2	12	FP	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW2090	Groupwork Theory and Practice	Core	2B3, 2B4	12	FP	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units
ASW3103	Social Work Practice: Legal Context	Core	2B3, 2B4	12	FP, ORT	96 credit points of first year core ABSW units



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## YEAR 3

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
ASW3002	Professional Practice	Core	SB1, 1B3	48	FP	192 credit points (Core ABSW Year 1 and Year 2)
AEK3203	Working Ethically in Aboriginal Community	Core	2B1, 2B3	12	FP	192 credit points (Core ABSW Year 1 and Year 2)
ASW2013	Introduction to Social Policy	Core	SB1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP , ORT	192 credit points (Core ABSW Year 1 and Year 2)
ASW3300	Working With Individuals and Families	Core	1B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP	192 credit points (Core ABSW Year 1 and Year 2)
APS2030	Qualitative Social Research Methods 1	Core	1B2, 2B4	12	FP	192 credit points (Core ABSW Year 1 and Year 2)

## YEAR 4

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
ASW4002	Advanced Professional Practice	Core	SB1, 1B3	48	FP	288 credit points of core first, second and third year ABSW units
ASW4003	Social Work Advocacy: Scope, Research and Design	Core	SB1, 2B1	12	ORT	288 credit points of core first, second and third year ABSW units
ASW3104	Health and Mental Health: Practice and Policy	Core	1B2, 2B2	12	FP , ORT	288 credit points of core first, second and third year ABSW units
ASW3096	Understanding and Responding to Family Violence	Core	1B1, 2B3	12	FP	288 credit points of core first, second and third year ABSW units
ASW4004	Social Work Advocacy: Social Change in Action	Core	2B4	12	FP	ASW4003

