Human Services

The Human Services field has multiple facets and those with degrees in Human Services will have opportunities to assist children, adolescents and adults in a variety of settings such as mental health, alcohol and substance abuse, elder care, corrections, government social services and health care. The Bachelor of Science (BS) degree in Human Services at Cazenovia College offers students a choice of specializations: Counseling and Mental Health, Alcohol and Substance abuse, Children & Youth and Generalist. Our graduates are prepared to succeed in the Human Services profession, helping those in need and making a difference in their communities.

Named One of “America’s Best Colleges” by U.S. News & World Report

Cazenovia College is an independent, coeducational college, located in Cazenovia, New York, offering baccalaureate programs in the liberal arts and professional studies. Embracing student success as its primary mission, Cazenovia College comprises a diverse, yet close-knit residential community that creates educational experiences that are individualized for students, matching skill sets with academic programs and co-curricular offerings.

This “one student at a time” approach to the educational experience is what sets Cazenovia apart from other colleges and universities.

At-A-Glance

Founded: 1824
Enrollment: 1,000 students
Average Class Size: 16
Student-Faculty Ratio: 12/1
Main Campus: 20 acres
Equine Education Center: 243 acres
Athletics: NCAA Division III
Students Receiving Financial Aid: 90%
Faculty with the highest degree in their field: 80%
**Human Services**

**Internship/Career Opportunities**
- Alzheimer’s Association of CNY
- ARC
- Arise
- Barnabas House
- Booth House
- Boys & Girls Club
- BRIDGES, Madison County Council on Alcohol and Substance Abuse
- Casey’s Place
- Catholic Charities
- Cayuga Counseling
- Car Cares
- Community Action Program
- Crouse Community Center for Seniors
- David Clark Learning Center
- Department of Social Services
- Elmcrest
- Enable
- Hutchings Psychiatric Center
- Jowonio
- Liberty Resources
- Make-a-Wish Foundation
- Onondaga County Day Treatment Center
- Project Cole
- Ronald McDonald House
- Salvation Army
- Syracuse Behavioral Health
- The Rescue Mission

**Samples of Coursework**
- Introduction to Human Services
- Counseling Families in Crisis
- Introduction to Alcohol and Substance Abuse
- Community Mental Health Issues
- Child, Youth and Family Services
- Introduction to Counseling
- Intervention Strategies for Alcohol and Substance Abuse
- Counseling Theories
- Therapeutic Recreation
- Group Dynamics
- Alcohol and Drugs in Modern Society
- Child/Adolescent Psychology
- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- Social Welfare Policies

**Special Feature**

Upon graduation, students in the Alcohol and Substance Abuse specialization will earn the 350 Education and Training hours required for the NYS Credentialed Alcohol and Substance Abuse Counselor Trainee (CASAC-T).

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