

## **ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE STUDIES (AS) PROGRAM STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES**

1. Apply critical thinking skills required to be an effective human services helper in the addictions field.
2. Demonstrate adequate preparation for baccalaureate degree program success through the acquisition of a solid foundation in the addictions field.
3. Demonstrate knowledge of the basic theories and techniques for effectively helping people within the addictions field in preparation for bachelor level work.
4. Utilize specific interpersonal competencies necessary for effective functioning in a helping capacity as gained through experiential training.
5. Employ proficient written and verbal communication skills, including the appropriate uses of technology.
6. Identify the full spectrum of a diverse community and discuss appropriate techniques for working with diverse individuals.
7. Recognize and apply the ethical standards within the addictions field.