

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES, A.S. (HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT)

Seven Penn State campuses are scheduled for closure after Spring 2027: DuBois, Fayette, New Kensington, Mont Alto, Shenango, Wilkes-Barre, and York. New students are not being admitted at these campuses.

Begin Campus: Altoona, Brandywine, DuBois, Fayette, Mont Alto, Schuylkill, Shenango, World Campus, Scranton, York

End Campus: Altoona, Brandywine, DuBois, Fayette, Mont Alto, Schuylkill, Scranton, Shenango, World Campus, York

Program Learning Objectives

- **Application of HDFS Theory & Research:** Summarize and apply theory and research to practice and policy.
- **Application to Service and Policy:** Summarize and apply processes, policies, and contextual factors that affect the delivery of human services to individuals and families.
- **Diversity & Equity Practice:** Describe and apply research on inequality and diversity to inform and engage in practice that reduces inequality and promotes equity, inclusion, and well-being for all people.
- **Professional Conduct:** Demonstrate appropriate professional behaviors characterized by ethical and culturally sensitive standards of conduct.
- **Professional Skill:** Demonstrate competence in foundation skills for human service work.
- **Theories of Human Development and Family Science:** Summarize and apply theories and concepts to demonstrate an understanding of the complexity of individual and family development across the lifespan in diverse contexts and changing environments.