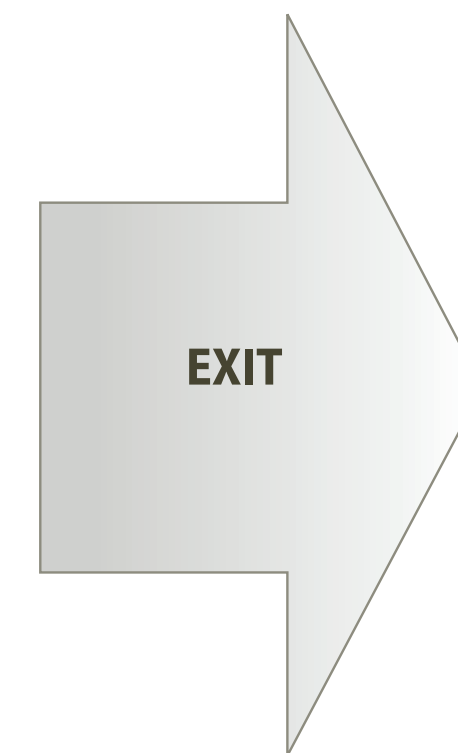
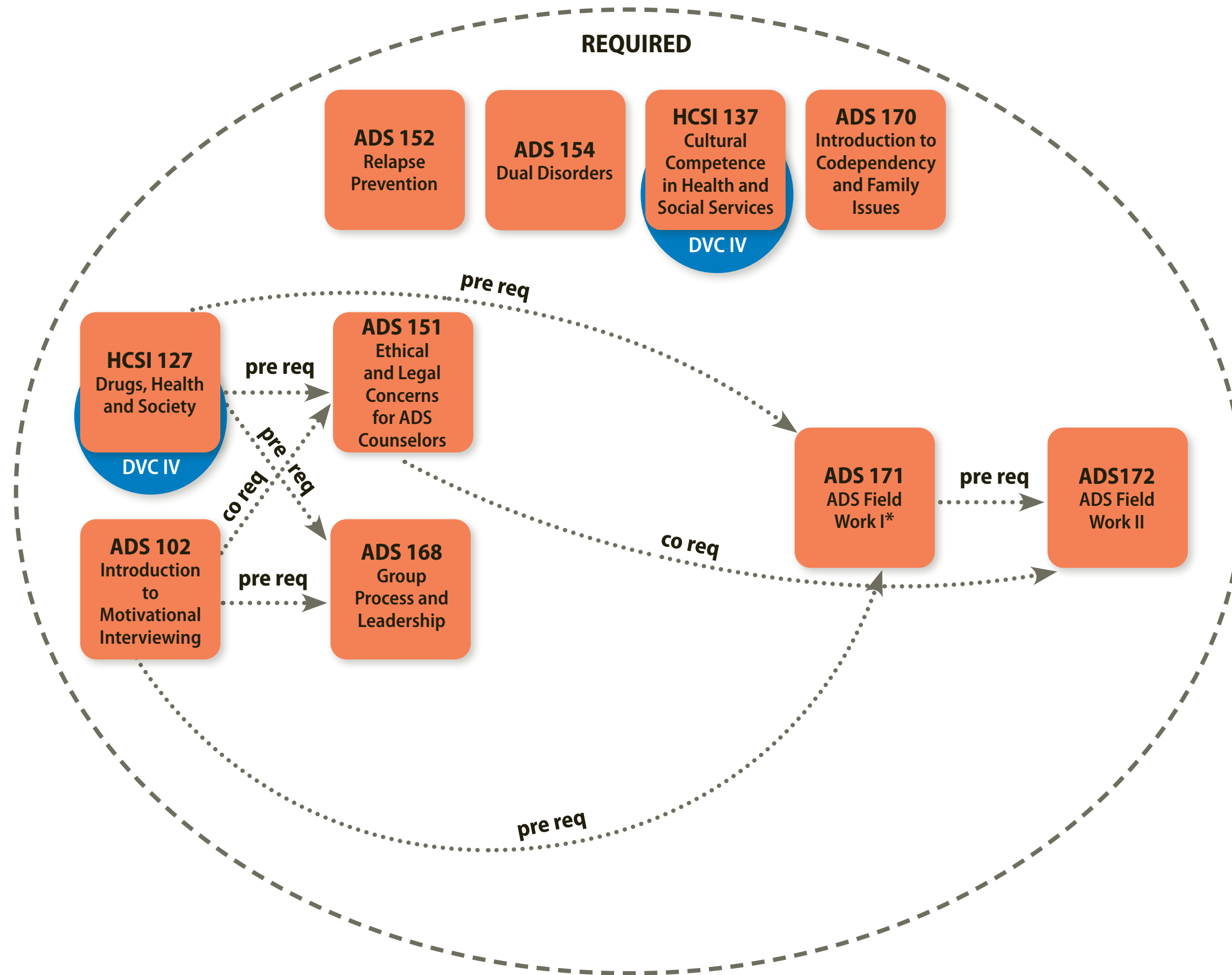
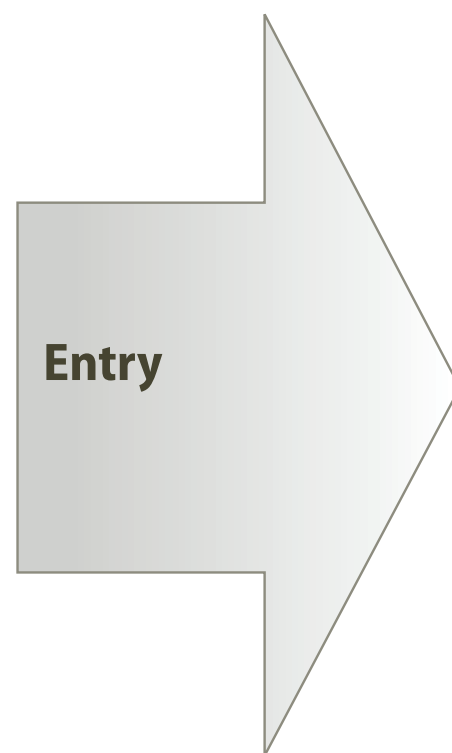


# Addiction Counseling AS

## PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

1. Compare and contrast the efficacy of various assessment tools, motivational strategies, and substance abuse treatment approaches.
2. Describe the importance of cultural competence and how it relates to becoming an effective addiction counselor.
3. Demonstrate basic listening skills.
4. Discuss the legal and ethical issues that workers may encounter in the addiction treatment field.
5. Explain how addiction affects family systems.
6. Compare and contrast various assessment tools, treatment plans and charting protocols.



## Careers in

- Addiction counseling
- State certification application

■ Required  
● Elective  
● DVC GE category  
 \* This course has prerequisites.

**total minimum required units 33.5**

Complete 60 degree applicable units along with completion of all required general education requirements. It is highly recommended that you see a counselor for specific courses that will best meet your educational plan/goals. Not all courses on the map are offered every term. Consult the Catalog and the Schedule of Classes for more details.

For information about transferring, see:  
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