



UP Open University • Faculty of Management and Development Studies **DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK**

The Diploma in Social Work program is designed for professionals engaged in social welfare and social development work who wish to pursue graduate studies to gain a higher level of competence in their field of practice. This program is open to those with a bachelor's degree in social work and those who do not, with a different track for each. An above-average performance or the successful completion of the degree qualifies students without a bachelor's degree in social work to enter the Master in Social Work program should they wish to take this course of study.

Course Objectives

The Diploma in Social Work aims to provide higher level competence in direct practice and supervisory tasks among social work practitioners.

Mode of Instruction

All courses are taught online following the principles of guided independent study and collaborative inquiry.

Admission Procedures

Step 1: Apply for admission and upload the admission requirements through the Online Application System. Monitor the progress of your application through the OAS.



Step 2: As soon as the online application is accomplished, mail the complete and valid admission documents to the address below:



The Admission Section
Office of the University Registrar
UP Open University
Los Baños, Laguna 4031
Philippines

Refer to the UPOU Academic Calendar for the deadline for submission of application documents.

Step 3: Complete the DE Readiness Module (DERM).



The link to the DERM will be emailed by admissions.

Step 4: Wait for an email from the OUR for the admission results. Results of the evaluation will be released after the evaluation of the respective Admissions Committee and before the registration/enrollment period of the applied term.

