

# SOWK2850 : Human Behavior in the Social Environment I: Theoretical Approaches Throughout the Lifespan

This is the first of two courses in human behavior in the social environment which will focus on a cell to society approach, paying special attention to small towns and rural communities. This course will review the processes for biological, psychological, intellectual, emotional, and life-course development. An ecosystems framework will be employed to give special attention to diversity issues such as ethnicity, social class and discrimination as factors affecting human development.

**Credits** 3

**Prerequisites**

[POLS1030](#), [BIOL1060](#), [PSYC1550](#), [CLTA1550](#), Program admission required.