

The name of the academic discipline:
«Social Policy»

Specialty code and name	1-23 01 05 Sociology
Year of study	4, 5
Semester of study	8, 9
Number of in-class academic hours:	16
Lectures	12
Seminar classes	4
Practical classes	-
Laboratory classes	-
Form of the current assessment (<i>credit/graded credit /exam</i>)	exam
Number of credit points	3
Competences	Mastering the academic discipline “Social Policy” should ensure the establishment and development of special competence: to develop scientific, methodological and practical provision of information and communication processes in the social sphere
<p style="text-align: center;">Summary of the academic discipline:</p> <p>The aim of the academic discipline is to form students' systemic knowledge and ideas about the essence, directions, principles and mechanisms of social policy implementation. The course covers the principles, goals and objectives, the subject field of social policy; the concept of the object and subject of social policy; approaches to social policy; mechanisms and models of social policy; strategic planning in the development of social programs; the essence of social protection of the population; the main components of social protection: social insurance, social aid and social services; social protection policy in the Republic of Belarus and its instruments.</p>	