



Accelerated Degree Completion Program for Adult Learners

Bachelor of Science in Behavioral and Health Services

Targeting the needs of current day health-care providers who work in a variety of professional environments — particularly those students interested in completing their B.S. degrees for entry into master's programs such as the MS in Occupational Therapy — this program provides a foundation in developmental, organizational, abnormal, and counseling psychology. Students complete an in-depth, work-based project focusing on the applications of behavioral health and neurorehabilitation in a specific professional environment.

Receive your degree. Realize your dream.

This program is intended for adults who have a base of 60 credits to apply to their BS degrees. These credits **are acquired through block transfer of credits from previously attended, accredited colleges and universities and/or credits earned by taking courses at Philadelphia University and/or credits earned for lifelong learning experiences (i.e. professional, personal, educational) that are granted by faculty after compilation and submission of a directed portfolio. Credits must include college-level courses in Writing, Math, Scientific Reasoning, History, Social Science, Humanities and Information Systems.**

(Please note: Information Systems training or coursework required within 5 years of enrollment in the program.)

ORIENTATION/PORTFOLIO ASSESSMENT: 3 credits

- J100 Professional Practice Seminar

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE: 16 credits

- J201 Business, Industry and Work in American History
- J202 Globalization and World Politics
- J203 The Social Science of the Workplace
- J204 Professional Communication Skills
- J210 Professional Studies Capstone Seminar

CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL STUDIES CORE: 15 credits

- J101 Leadership Theory
- J111 Economic Decision Making
- J112 Finding and Evaluating Statistical Data
- J121 Financial Decision Making
- J123 Organizational Ethics

MAJOR COURSES: 15 credits

(assumes Introduction to Psychology as Prerequisite)

- H823 Abnormal Psychology
- H824 Counseling Psychology
- H853 Interpersonal Relations and Small Group Dynamics or H870 Developmental Psychology
- J605 Behavioral Health and Neurorehabilitation
- J610 Applied Project in Behavioral Health and Neurorehabilitation

FREE ELECTIVES/MINOR CONCENTRATION: 12 credits

Call 215.951.2900 or email evening@PhilaU.edu for more information about this innovative program or to schedule an appointment with an academic advisor.

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