

What Can I Do with This Major?

Psychology

Psychology is a natural and social science focusing on the study of human behavior. As such, it is a broad discipline which involves both scientific method and practical application of science to matters of everyday living. Most professional-level positions require a graduate degree. The Psychology program is designed to benefit both the student pursuing a career in psychology or related disciplines as well as the student desiring to acquire a personal understanding of psychology as it applies to everyday living. The program includes a variety of courses and utilizes a number of teaching methods, including those which emphasize student participation through group and individual activity.

AVC Certificates & Degrees

- Alcohol and Other Drug Studies certificate
- Case Management Work Readiness certificate (non-credit)
- Human Services associate degree
- Psychology Associate Degree for Transfer

Examples of Work Industries & Employers

Federal Government Correctional Facilities Senior Citizens Centers

Veterans Administration College and Universities Social Service/Nonprofit Organizations

Hospitals Counseling Centers Private Practice

State Government Community Mental Health Centers Schools

Possible Job Titles may require a bachelor's degree or higher

Alcohol & Drug Counselor Professor Psychometrist
Social Services Technician College Counselor Research Director
Peer Counselor Employment Counselor Social Services Director

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Academic Advisor Marriage & Family Therapist Survey Designer

Personnel Analyst Case Manager School Psychologist

Probation Officer Outreach Worker Human Factors Specialist

The information reflected is intended to act as a tool for exploration. Please visit the <u>Career Center</u> for more specific information on majors and careers.