

Behavioral Health Major

The Bachelor of Science in Behavioral Health degree prepares graduates to make a difference in the lives of others through positions that serve public and private agencies, ministries, and government organizations.

Program Learning Outcomes:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of human development, mental health, and normal/abnormal behavior, including DSM-5 definitions.
2. Explain professional ethical values, laws, and behaviors in the behavioral health professions.
3. Demonstrate knowledge and approaches for client assessment, case management, crisis intervention, research, statistics, and individual, group, marriage, and family counseling.
4. Demonstrate professional helping skills using compassion and empathy.
5. Discuss and defend the dignity of the individual within their cultural background.
6. Explain how to integrate faith into the behavioral health professions.

Program: Behavioral Health (COL)

Type: Major

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In addition to the General Ed requirements (76 credits): including SOCA 111 and PSYA 112 required as pre/co-requisites.

Item #	Title	Credits
BEHA 210	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3
BEHA 233	Introduction to Behavioral Health	3
BEHA 320	Crisis Intervention	3
BEHA 331	Marriage and Family	3
BEHA 333	Helping Relationship Skills	3
BEHA 335	Drug Abuse and Alcoholism	3
BEHA 336	Abuse and Neglect	3
BEHA 338	Mental Health	3
BEHA 340	Case Management	3
BEHA 499	Professional Ethics	3
PSYA 237	Lifespan Human Development	3
PSYA 365	Theories of Counseling	3
PSYA 366	Group Dynamics	3
PSYA 371	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSYA 345	Research Methods	3
PSYA 445	Integration of Psychology and Theology	3
Total credits:		124