



BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COUNSELING

Located within Drexel University's College of Nursing and Health Professions, the Behavioral Health Counseling program's advanced curriculum prepares students for careers within today's rapidly evolving mental health and addictions treatment settings. The program's mission is to provide students with an innovative pre-professional education that will continue to inspire and support their desires to make substantial contributions in the care and treatment of individuals and families who seek behavioral healthcare services. The four-year, full time Bachelor of Science program includes a six-month co-op.

Behavioral health counseling professionals are employed in a variety of community agencies, outpatient treatment services, and inpatient and residential treatment settings. Behavioral health counseling professionals serve children, adolescents, adults, and the elderly who suffer as a result of disabling mental illnesses and/or substance use disorders. Career choices can be made at all levels of service—from direct care to administrative and policymaking levels.

Students desiring specific information about the major are encouraged to contact the Undergraduate Admissions Office at 1.800.2.DREXEL. Students are also encouraged to visit the website at drexel.edu/behavioralHealth/programs/bachelors.

**Employers Who Have Hired
 Drexel Students Include:**

Belmont Center for
 Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
 Comprehensive Treatment
 Eleventh Street Family Health
 Services
 Harmony Mental Health Services
 Magee Rehabilitation Hospital
 MossRehab Hospital
 Special People in N.E., Inc.
 Thomas Jefferson University
 Hospital

JOB TITLES

Child Development Support Specialist
 Client Service Intern
 Educator/Therapist
 Inpatient Rehabilitation Therapy Co-op

Brain Injury Therapist Co-op
 Patient Care Counselor
 Outpatient Older Adult Co-op
 Community Outreach Co-op

Please refer to drexel.edu/scdc for our most recent co-op salary information.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & INTERNET RESOURCES

American Counseling Association
counseling.org

Social Service Information
socialservice.com

America's Health Care Source
healthcaresource.com

National Association of Social Workers
socialworkers.org

**American Mental Health Counselors
Assoc.**
amhca.org

Health Careers Center
mshealthcareers.com

American Psychological Association
apa.org

The Association for Addiction Professionals
naadac.org

CAREER RESOURCES

Resume, Interviewing and Job Search Best Practices
drexel.edu/scdc/professional-pointers

Workshop Calendar
drexel.edu/scdc/calendars-events/workshops

DREXEL DEPARTMENTS

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Careers Collection**
Hagerty Library
33rd and Market Streets, Room 136
www.library.drexel.edu/guides/careers