

The Department of Professional Programs in Human Services offers educational programs that share the common goal of preparing students to work with people in a variety of human services agencies and organizations. The human services field is one of the most rapidly expanding career fields in America today. The Department of Professional Programs in Human Services focuses on those careers which require professional preparation and training for service to individuals, families, groups, and the community. Degree programs include Human Services Counseling, Criminal Justice, and Social Work.

## > Rehabilitation Services



The Rehabilitation concentration is designed to prepare students for positions in a variety of federal, state and community rehabilitation agencies, facilities and organizations that provide services to individuals with disabilities and addictions. Students completing the program have skills in interviewing, case management, planning, intervention, job/career development and knowledge of the major disability groups, addictions and disability culture.

## > Minor in Addictions

Addictions minor is designed to provide students with additional expertise in substance abuse. This includes issues of co-dependencey, pharmacological issues and societal issues of addiction.

## > Scholarships

The Human Resources department makes scholarships available to qualified students through the following programs, Lowell E. Green Human Resources Scholarship, Richard E. Baumgartner Memorial Scholarship in Human Resources, Virgil Taylor Rehabilitation Scholarship, and the Higginbotham Family Scholarship

## > Organizations

- Human Resource Club
- Student Rehabilitation Association

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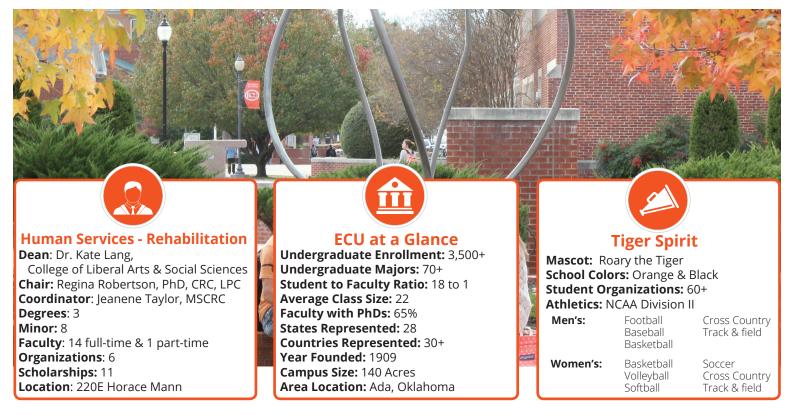


Graduates with a degree in Rehabilitation Services typically earn between \$32,000 and \$68,000 for entry level jobs. As a college graduate, you can earn an average of 75% more than those with only a high school degree, per *The Chicago Tribune!* (NACE 2018 Salary Report)



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> PROGRAM INFORMATION



#### Rehabilitation

The objective of the Rehabilitation concentration is to prepare students to work with individuals with a variety of physical, mental, cognitive, behavioral and addictive disabilities. Students completing this program have additional skills in knowledge of the major disability groups, legislation and various disability-related programs. Emphasis is placed on disability culture, inclusion and advocacy. This program also serves individuals interested in pursuing advanced degrees in speech therapy, recreation therapy and other allied fields.

#### Opportunities

Students with disability and rehabilitation knowledge may work in public and private rehabilitation agencies such as state vocational rehabilitation agencies, community rehabilitation programs, mental health and developmental disabilities unites, evaluation and treatment centers, correctional institutions and agencies, voluntary organizations, client assistance programs and centers for independent living. Many work in private industry, including personnel departments of corporations and insurance companies.

### Courses in Rehabilitation

- Interviewing Techniques
- Introduction to Rehabilitation
- Medical, Social, Psychological Aspects Of Disability
- Vocational Testing and Evaluation
- Case Management and Practice
- Employment and Placement Techniques
- Intervention Techniques
- Internship In Rehabilitation

### Courses in Addiction Minor

- Fundamentals of Counseling
- Introduction to Addictions
- Pharmacological, Social & Psych Aspects of Addictions
- Group Processes and Practice
- Family Systems, Co-dependencey and Addictions
- Intervention Techniques

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