New Online Major: Community Psychology and Health Promotion

**Description:** Community Psychology is an applied and inherently interdisciplinary subfield of Psychology that emphasizes community development, strengthening natural support systems, prevention programming, advocacy, and mental health education. It is well suited for students interested in pursuing graduate studies in community psychology, health psychology mental health counseling, or health promotion. (For more information: APA Division 27 [http://www.scra27.org/who-we-are/].)

**When available:** Fall 2019 (selected courses offered in Summer 2019)

**Required for degree completion option:** Completion of Associate’s Degree (A.A. or A.S) in Psychology, Human Service, Health Sciences, and related fields.

### Bachelor of Arts: Community Psychology and Health Promotion (Total Credits: 42)

**Required Courses:** (36 Credits)
- Community Psychology Core: (24 Credits)
  - PSYC 101 General Psychology
  - PSYC 120 Introduction to Community Psychology Cr: 2
  - PSYC 200 Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences Cr: 3
  - PSYC 200L Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences Lab Cr: 1
  - PSYC 335 Abnormal Psychology (changing to PSYC 235, so will transfer from 2-yr institutions) Cr: 3
- PSYC 339 Positive Psychology Cr: 3
- PSYC 400 Advanced Applied Psychology (must take twice) Cr: 6
- PSYC 440 Advanced Health Psychology Cr: 3

One of the following (Developmental) courses (3 Credits)
- PSYC 340 Developmental Psychology (changing to PSYC 260, so will transfer from 2-yr institutions) Cr: 3
- PSYC 341 Child & Adolescent Psychology Cr: 3
- PSYC 343 Adult Development & Aging Cr: 3

One of the following (Ethics/Professional Writing) courses (3 Credits)
- PHIL 303 Ethical Issues in Professional Life Cr: 3
- ENGL 351 Writing in Medical and Health Professions Cr: 3
- ENGL 360 Scientific and Technical Writing Cr: 3

One of the following (Health Promotion) courses (3 Credits)
- COMM 305 Principles of Health Communication Cr: 3
- HLTH 370 Community Health and Health Promotion Cr: 3

One of the following (Diversity) courses (3 Credits)
- PSYC 360 Cross Cultural Psychology Cr: 3
- SOCI 212 Human Relations Cr: 3
- SOCI 331 Racial and Ethnic Relations Cr: 3
- SWRK 351 Diverse & At-Risk Populations Cr: 3
- HIST 359 African American History Cr: 3
- INDS 217 Indigenous Peoples of the Upper Midwest Cr: 3
Electives: (6 Credits)

Choose from courses above or those on the following list:

- PSYC XXX  Any psychology course  Cr 1-3
- JUAD 385  Crime, Race, Poverty & Social Policy  Cr: 3
- SOCI 220  Social Problems  Cr: 3
- SOCI 310  Sociology of Aging  Cr: 3
- SWRK 280  Substance Use and Addictive Behaviors  Cr: 3
- POL 340  Public Policy and Administration  Cr: 3
- MGMT 333  Conflict Resolution  Cr: 3
- MGMT 454  Labor Relations  Cr: 3
- MGMT 450  Diversity Management  Cr: 3
- PE 300  Recreation Diversity & Leadership  Cr: 3
- PE 360  Intro to Recreation, Parks, and Community Education  Cr: 3
- COMM 260  Media Writing  Cr: 3