

REHABILITATION STUDIES

The Rehabilitation Studies program prepares professionals to support consumers with disabilities in achieving their life's goals through actualizing each individual's full human potential. Due to the broad focus of this program, individuals may pursue careers within multivarious public and private human service settings. Graduates of our program may choose from a wide variety of specializations enabling them to succeed in many different roles including consumer advocacy as well as service delivery and coordination. Check out the department web site at www.unt.edu/rswa/ for information about faculty, course descriptions, employment opportunities, and links to other rehabilitation-related sites such as licensing. The SCS Office of Student Services assists students with degree planning.

The Bachelor of Science degree in Rehabilitation Studies from the University of North Texas consists of 124 college credit hours. The degree requires 47 hours of general academics, 42 hours in the major, and 35 hours of general electives.

Possible Service Areas for Rehabilitation Practitioners:

- Addiction Treatment Centers
- Community Living Centers
- Aging Programs
- Child Welfare Agencies
- Head Injury Rehabilitation Programs
- Independent Living Facilities
- Hospitals
- Insurance Companies
- Mental Health/Mental Retardation Centers
- Non-Profit Organizations
- Veterans Administration
- Placement Services
- Post Acute Care Facilities
- State/Federal Rehabilitation Programs
- University/School Settings
- Private Human Services

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Rehabilitation Studies Required Courses (33 Hours)

RHAB 2500	Disability and Society	RHAB 3400	Aspects of Disability II
RHAB 3000	Microcounseling	RHAB 4500	Assessment in Rehabilitation
RHAB 3050	Drugs and Society	RHAB 4600	Rehab. Case Management (was 3600)
or 4450	Substance Abuse and Rehabilitation	RHAB 4700	Employment Services
RHAB 3200	Physical and Psychosocial Aspects of Disability I	RHAB 4860	Pre Practicum
		RHAB 4880	Practicum (6 Hours)

Supporting Required Courses (9 hours)

SOWK 3500	Human Behavior and the Social Environment	PSYC 4610	Abnormal Psychology
(3 hours)	Supporting Elective chosen with Advisor		

Rehabilitation Studies Electives

(May be taken as additional electives or towards a minor in Substance Abuse and Addictions Studies)

RHAB 3050	Drugs in Society	RHAB 4250	Group Issues
RHAB 4050	Assessment in Chemical Dependency Treatment	RHAB 4350	Contemporary Issues and Research in Chemical Dependency
RHAB 4125	Addiction Counseling Models	RHAB 4450	Substance Abuse and Rehabilitation
RHAB 4150	Addiction Counseling Practice	RHAB 4800	Topics in Rehabilitation Studies