

York-Seneca Rehabilitation Services Program

- *Find a career related to psychology*
- *Combine your B.A. with practical skills*
- *Become a Rehabilitation Practitioner*
- *Benefit from our 90% employment rate*

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- Only one of its kind in Canada
- Offered jointly by York University and Seneca College
 - Graduate with BA degree in Psychology and a joint York/Seneca Certificate in Rehabilitation Services

What is Rehabilitation?

- Assists people with physical, emotional cognitive and developmental disabilities to reach an optimal level of functioning
- Helps people develop independence and improved life quality
- Draws on collaboration with health care and vocational services

What is Rehabilitation?

- Providing clients with information
- Assisting clients in solving occupational and housing problems
- Counseling and emotional support
- Identifying community resources
- Communicating with agencies and programs
- Many other specific activities

Program Structure

- Degree + Certificate Program
- B.A./Certificate = 4 years
- Honours B.A./Certificate = 5 years
- Five full-year required York courses
- Five full-year Seneca courses
- Two full-year fieldwork placements
- Course space reserved for students
- All classes at York campus

Admission Requirements

- Apply in March of second year (B.A.) or third year (Honours B.A.)
- Completed 10 full-year courses towards B.A.
- Completed 15 full-year courses towards B.A. (Hons.)
- Introduction to Psychology
- Ability and suitability for rehabilitation field
- Previous related experience an asset

Application

- Application Form
 - Academic background, courses
 - Occupational/volunteer history
 - Understanding of rehabilitation field
- Official Transcript
- Two completed referees

Placement and Career Settings

- Workplace Safety and Insurance Board
- Ministries of Health, Community and Social Services, Correctional Services
- Society for Goodwill Services
- Jewish Vocational Services
- Canadian Mental Health Association
- Insurance and Rehabilitation Companies

How to Apply

- Come to information session Wednesday **February 6, 2008 at 10:30 am – 12 pm**, Curtis Lecture Hall (Rm J).
- Pick up application from Rm. 281 BSB.

More Information

- Check out info on website:
 - <http://www.yorku.ca/health/psyc/>
 - Select “program in rehabilitation”
- UPSA also has information

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