



GRADUATE CERTIFICATE ALCOHOL AND DRUG COUNSELING



Study the history, major theories, and strategies in the field of substance addiction and intervention.

The IU Online **Graduate Certificate in Alcohol and Drug Counseling** offers instruction in the 12 core functions of an addictions counselor. Students learn the counseling skills required to address the mental health needs of diverse clients, concentrating on prevention, intervention, and crisis management.

In this program, you will:

- Evaluate and critically analyze professional scholarship in this field.
- Apply strategies for helping clients identify addiction's impact on their life, relationships, and health, and the benefits of living without addiction.

To be accepted to this program, you must have a:

- Bachelor's degree
- Minimum 3.0 GPA

To apply to this program, you'll need:

- Official transcripts from each undergraduate institution
- Resume
- Personal statement (250 words)

Application Dates

- Fall semester: Aug 1
- Spring semester: Jan 1

Course Delivery

80% to 99% Online

Total Credit Hours

18

In-State Tuition Per Credit Hour

\$320.00

Degree Requirements

- This program is open to Indiana residents only.
- The required practicum course must be completed on campus.

To earn this certificate, you must complete 18 credit hours:

- **Addiction counseling theories and techniques** (3 credits)
- **Clinical appraisal and assessment** (3 credits)
- **Clinical problems and applications** (3 credits)
- **Psychoactive drugs and psychopharmacology** (3 credits)
- **Diversity** (3 credits)
- **Practicum** (3 credits)
Must be completed on campus.

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