



Intensive Applied Counselling Diploma

8-Month Diploma

Full time or part time study
options available

Delivery Options

-  Online
-  In-person (Downtown
Brandon Campus)

Available Intakes

-  Every 6 weeks, year round

Practicum

-  6 weeks/120 hours
Facilitated by the Institute
based on student interest

What will this certificate do for me?

Graduates of the IACD program will be well-prepared to apply for a variety of para-professional counselling roles in the social services field including residential counsellor, life skills coach, addictions counsellor, and more.

Admission Requirements

- Manitoba grade 12 or equivalent
- Current criminal record check
- Current child abuse registry check
- Current adult abuse registry check
- Mature students accepted

Technology Requirement

Students in the online version will require access to computer devices at home. Students in the in-person offering may also be required to bring these devices to the learning centre.

Graduation Requirements

To graduate from this certificate program, students must successfully complete all 12 academic courses and the 6-week practicum placement.

Tuition/Costs

There are many options available to students to assist with education related expenses including both textbooks and tuition. Please contact us to find out more about funding options and costs of the program.

Next Steps

To learn more about this program or to apply, visit links-institute.ca or contact us at info@links-institute.ca.

Courses

TERM ONE

- The Basics of Helping Relationships
- The Basics of Mental Health Challenges
- The Basics of Substance Use Disorder

TERM TWO

- Introduction to Indigenous Health
- Introduction to Social Determinants of Health
- Fundamentals of Case Management

TERM THREE

- Introduction to Motivational Interviewing
- Basic Pharmacology in Mental Health
- Mental Health Through the Lifespan

TERM FOUR

- Applied Introduction to Therapeutic Groups
- Applied Introduction to Trauma Counselling
- Applied Introduction to Dialectical Behaviour Therapy

TERM FIVE

- 6-Week Practicum

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