



## Health Education and Promotion

### Master of Arts

- A 33-credit, fully online degree that provides advanced academic training for individuals employed or planning to seek employment as health educators in academic, clinical, community, and corporate settings.
- Prepares students to meet the expanding need for health education professionals capable of working with the community in a variety of public, private, and professional settings.
- Emphasizes education as the primary factor for the promotion of health and prevention of disease. Students learn to provide programs at all levels of the health continuum from wellness to various prevention interventions including primary (health promotion), secondary (early detection and intervention), and tertiary (rehabilitative and therapeutic).
- Ideal for a variety of other jobs in the health and human services sectors such as health administrator, case manager, health writer/editor, patient services coordinator, health program specialist, patient advocate, and director of corporate wellness.
- Suitable for individuals such as nurses, social workers, physician assistants or allied health personnel who wish to enhance their qualifications.

### ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

- Official transcript(s) from all post-secondary schools attended
- A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having attained a minimum grade point average of B in the undergraduate record as a whole and an average of B in courses most relevant to the graduate discipline
- Three (3) letters of recommendations
- A 500-word essay outlining intellectual and academic interests, accomplishments, and career objectives
- Current professional resume

### DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

This degree is completed entirely online. To earn this degree, students must complete 33 credits plus pass the Comprehensive Examination as outlined below:

- Required HEA courses (21 credits):
  - HEA 602 (3), HEA 603 (3), HEA 620 (3), HEA 622 (3), HEA 623 (3), HEA 670 (3), HEA 675 (3)
- HEA Elective (12 credits)
  - Students may select from the following elective courses:
    - HEA 502 (3), HEA 507 (3), HEA 509 (3), HEA 510 (3), HEA 511 (3), HEA 627 (3), HEA 636 (3), HEA 640 (3), HEA 680 (3)

#### Questions about the program?

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#### Questions about admissions?

The Office of Graduate Admissions

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