

The Ohio State University
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Type 3A Health Psychology/Behavioral Medicine Certificate (HLTPSYC-CR)

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Overview

This graduate certificate program provides students in various disciplines and professions with training in Health Psychology/Behavioral Medicine (HP/BM). By completing this program, students will have understandings of the psychological and biobehavioral aspects of stress and its relationship to health and disease processes, age-related changes in primary organ systems of the body and the psychological and biobehavioral changes associated with aging, and the interaction of psychological, behavioral, and biological factors relevant to the prevention, control, and progression of primary causes of disability and death, e.g., cancer, cardiovascular disease.

Certificate Requirements

Required: 12 credit hours

REQUIRED COURSE OPTIONS (6 HOURS TOTAL NEEDED)

Course	Hours	Prerequisite
Psychology 6867.01	3	none
Psychology 6867.05	3	none
Psychology 5089	3	none

ELECTIVE COURSES (6 HOURS): Choose any of the following offerings.

Course (Hours)	Hours	Prerequisite
Psychology 6867.02	3	Psychology 6867.01 or 6867.05 or concur.
Psychology 6867.03	3	Psychology 6867.01 or 6867.05 or concur.
Psychology 6867.04	3	Psychology 6867.01 or 6867.05 or concur.

Health Psychology/Behavioral Medicine Graduate Certificate program guidelines

Students must be admitted into a graduate certificate program.

Admitted students must meet the minimum admission requirements of the Graduate School.

Credit hours required

Minimum of 12 credit hours. Credit hours must be at the 5000-level or above.

X193 credits cannot be applied to the certificate nor can transfer credit.

Overlap with degree program

A maximum of 50% overlap with courses in a degree program is permitted.

Grades required

- Minimum B- for a course to be counted on the certificate.
- Minimum 3.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the graduate certificate.

Consult with advisor regarding

- Filing deadlines
- Changes or exceptions to a certificate plan

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