

DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION COUNSELING

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Founded in 1955, the Department of Rehabilitation Counseling serves as a national leader in the professional preparation of licensed professional counselors and certified rehabilitation counselors who will exercise skill and competence on a high technical and ethical level. Department faculty conduct active programs of research and service and maintain high levels of teaching competence. In partnership with students, community agencies and consumer and professional organizations, the department endeavors to enhance the personal, social and economic well-being of the clients they serve, regardless of disability or other life circumstances.

The M.S. in Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling program is accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs. The purpose of accreditation is to promote the effective delivery of rehabilitation services to people with disabilities by fostering ongoing review and improvements of rehabilitation education programs. With more than 2,000 alumni, the department also enjoys solid relationships with many community organizations that serve as excellent sites for clinical training.

- Community mental health services, minor in (<https://bulletin.vcu.edu/undergraduate/allied-health-professions/rehabilitation-counseling/comm-mental-hlth-serv-minor/>)