

Career Pathway for Transfer Degrees

What Program of Study (Designated ATB Certificate/Diploma Career Pathway) is student working toward?	Career Pathway: Mental Health Professional WCC Program Title: DTA PSYCHOLOGY and HS diploma University Program Title: B.S. PSYCHOLOGY University Program Title: M.A. Clinical Mental Health Counseling	Total Credit Hours: 90 74 91
List any industry recognized license/s or certification/s students may be eligible to earn as a result of this ATB Career Pathway Program?	Licenses: WA State Counseling Professional Credential	
List the courses and credits that will be offered or may be taken at the college to fulfil the credits needed for the certificate/diploma program as well as the GED coursework.	Courses: See attached DTA plan	
List the credentials students will earn as a result of completing the ATB Career Pathway.	High School Diploma – Whatcom Community College AAS Direct Transfer Degree – Whatcom Community College B.S. Psychology – Western Washington University M.A. Clinical Mental Health Counseling	
College Contact Person of the ATB Career Pathway Program:	Nadine Hensley, A.I.M. Director	
List the College staff and advisory members who participated in the development of the career pathway.	College Staff: Carla Gelwicks, Director for Transitional Learning Programs David Klaffke, Director for Financial Aid Jessica Larson, Transfer Advisor Nadine Hensley, Title III Student Completion Specialist	
What labor market data was used to select the Career Pathway? (BLS, EMSI, local survey) If local survey is chosen, list survey participants.	ESD Website for Labor Market Information www.esd.wa.gov/labormarketinfo	SOC# 211014 – In Demand
Check the state and/or your local sector strategy this Career Pathway is aligned to (if local strategy, please fill in the strategy).	<u>State Sectors</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Automobile & Aircraft ○ Manufacturing ○ Business Services & Research & Development 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Energy creation/transmission ○ Health Care/Social Assistance ○ Transportation, Distribution & Logistics 	
List the jobs and salary ranges aligned to this credential along with any additional related occupations and those ranges.	<u>Job Title(s):</u> Mental Health Counselor Related Fields: Healthcare Social Worker Soc: 211022 School Psychologist Soc: 193031	<u>Average Salary</u> \$22.65 \$28.40 \$33.50
What is the family supporting wage for one adult in your area from the Living Wage Calculator?	Livingwage.mit.edu 2 adults/1 child	\$21.76
What is the immediate outlook for these jobs in your area? List your sources for this outlook.	Demand – www.esd.wa.gov/labormarketinfo	
ADULT EDUCATION STUDENT SELECTION and INSTRUCTION CRITERIA		
Completed 6 or more college credits		

Career Pathway Program involvement signatures and dates:

Whatcom Community College

(Adult Basic Education Director)

(Financial Aid Director)

(Date)

(Date)