

Department of Leadership and Professional Studies

B.S. in Recreation and Sport Management: Pre-Recreational Therapy & Adaptive Recreation

Program Description

The Bachelor of Science in Recreation & Sport Management: Pre-Recreational Therapy & Adaptive Recreation prepares individuals for positions within a healthcare environment or community recreation setting. The courses emphasize the broad spectrum of health care through treatment, education, and the provision of adapted recreational opportunities – all of which are instrumental to improving and maintaining physical, cognitive, emotional, & social functioning, preventing secondary health conditions, and enhancing overall quality of life.

Program Requirements: Prerequisites and program courses must be passed with a minimum grade of C.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM OPTIONS: Once enrolled in Pre-RT/AR track, students can stay in this track or apply to the BS/MS Combined Degree 4+1 RT track after completing 75 credits with a 3.2 GPA. In the 4+1 RT track, students will meet the requirements to sit for the exam to become a Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist (CTRS). See <http://recreationaltherapy.fiu.edu/> for more details.

Prerequisites

Course:		Credit Hours:
DEP 2000	Human Growth Development	3
Transfer: BSC 2085 & lab OR FIU: PET 3325C/L OR ZOO 3731/L	Human Anatomy (or combination course of Human Anatomy and Physiology)	4
Transfer: BSC 2085 OR FIU: APK 3110 OR HSC 3549 OR PCB 2099 OR PCB 3702	Physiology (or combination course of Human Anatomy and Physiology)	3

Program of Study

Course:		Credit Hours:
First Semester (12 credits):		
LEI3001	Leisure and Recreation in America	3
LEI 3703	Introduction to Recreational Therapy	3
LEI 3707	Inclusive Recreation Services (Global Learning)	3
LEI 3723L	RT Facilitation Techniques Lab (topic 1)	1
LEI3723L	RT Facilitation Techniques Lab (topic 2)	1
LEI 3723L	RT Facilitation Techniques Lab (topic 3)	1
Second Semester (12 credits):		
CLP4146	Psychopathology ++(This course was previously known as "Abnormal Psychology". Do not re-enroll if you have already taken Abnormal Psych.)	3
LEI 4711	Client Assessment, Document, & Evaluation in RT (<i>prerequisite: LEI 3703</i>)	3
LEI 4724	Facilitation Techniques in RT (<i>prerequisite:LEI3703</i>)	3
HSC 3537	Medical Terminology	3
Third Semester (12 credits):		
LEI4940	Internship I (320 hours total = 160 hours x 2 sites, 27 hours per week minimum) (<i>prerequisite: LEI 3703 (requires completion of orientation and paperwork before enrolling)</i>)	6
LEI 3542	Principles of Parks, Recreation & Sport Management	3
LEI3800	Liability & Law	3
Other:		
Advisor-approved electives or minor to reach 120 total credits. (See advisor to meet GL requirements)		18

Graduation Requirements

- 1) FIU cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale
- 2) Completion of a minimum of 120 semester hours in acceptable coursework; minimum of 45 credits must be upper division
- 3) University Foreign Language (FLENT/FLEX), Global Learning, and Summer Enrollment requirements must be met
- 4) All program and University requirements must be met

Notes

- 1) Students must complete three different topics to satisfy Recreational Therapy Labs.
- 2) If CLP 4146 and/or HSC 3537 was taken as a transfer 1000/2000 level course, student will need to take an additional elective.

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