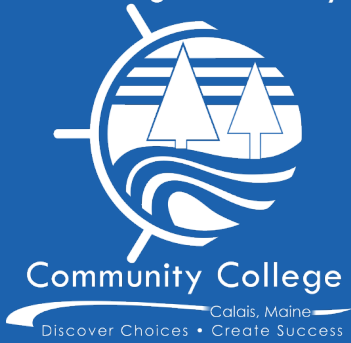


Washington County



Estimated Cost For One Year (Tuition & Fees)

In State
\$4,400.00

New Brunswick Residents
\$8,800.00

Out of State
\$8,800.00

Financial Aid is available
for students who qualify.
Approximately 85% of
WCCC students receive
some form of financial aid.

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Substance Use & Recovery



Purpose: The Certificate in Substance Use and Recovery prepares students to test to become a Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor in the State of Maine. Students will become familiar with substance use and the skills necessary to support individuals seeking various pathways to recovery. Students will learn their role as a contributing member to a treatment team, including screening, assessment, diagnosis, and treatment planning. This one-year certificate will provide students the opportunity to certify in the state of Maine as Alcohol and Drug Counselors and will also provide a path to continue on to complete and Associate in Applied Science degree in Human Services.

Career Opportunities: The Certificate in Substance Use and Recovery is designed to prepare students to take the State of Maine test to become a Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor. Both statewide and nationally substance use counselors are needed, and it is currently considered a high-growth field. Locally, Washington County has several agencies who hire Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselors, including Discovery House, Groups: Recover Together, and AMHC.

Program Learning Outcomes: Upon completion of the Certificate in Substance Use and Recovery, the graduate is prepared to:

- Students will demonstrate understand types of substances and their physiological, behavioral, and emotional impact.
- Students will have knowledge of different counseling theories and their applications in treatment and treatment planning.
- Students will be able to assess, diagnose and treatment plan with individuals with substance use disorders.
- Students will understand a variety of treatment interventions and settings for substance use disorders and people with co-occurring disorders.
- Students will understand the role of the Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor as a contributing member of the treatment team.

The Substance Use and Recovery program requires completion of the Student Disclosure of Criminal Convictions, Pending Criminal Charges and Certain Disqualifications. Completion of this form does not automatically deny admission to the program. Prospective applicants will meet with the Dean of Enrollment Management and Student Services to review information.

Certificate – 37 credit hours

Course #	Course Title	Credits
Semester 1		
ENG-101	College Composition	3
PSY-101	Introduction to Psychology	3
HUS-101	Introduction to Human Services	3
MAT	Math Elective of 112 or Above	3
FYE-100	First Year Experience	1
HUS-125	Substance Abuse	3
	Total	16
Semester 2		
PSY-207	Developmental Psychology	3
Elective	English/Communications Elective	3
HUS 120 or Elective	Vocational Aspects of Disability or Arts/Humanities/Social Science	3
HUS-102	Topics in Health & Aging	3
BIO/SCI	Any BIO/SCI with Lab	4
	Total	16
Semester 3		
SED 220 or SED 230	Children w/ Special Needs or Behavior Management	3
HUS 204	Human Services Internship I	3
HUS 218	Community Mental Health	3
PHI 115	Ethics	3
HUS 215	Crisis Identification and Resolution	3
	Total	15
Semester 4		
HUS205 or HUS 235	Human Services Internship II Trauma and Recovery	3
HUS 212	Case Management	3
HUS 222	Disabilities and Psycho-Social Rehabilitation	3
HUS 230	Interviewing and Counseling	3
PSY 195	Child & Adolescent Development	3
	Total	15

Visiting the campus is easy. Contact the Office of Admissions at 207-454-1000 or admissions@wccc.me.edu to schedule a campus visit.

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