

## PSYCHOLOGY

Psychology is the discipline that seeks to understand and explain both normal and abnormal behavior, development and individual differences. The Psychology major is designed to encourage an understanding of human behavior from a broad perspective, and prepare students for graduate study in psychology, employment in a psychology-related field, or for further education or career training in a variety of other fields.



### SKILLS

- Objectivity
- Analytical ability
- Written and interpersonal communication skills
- Emotional stability
- Sensitivity
- Patience
- Interviewing skills
- Crisis intervention skills
- Knowledge of human development & behavior
- Problem solving
- Listening skills
- Conflict mediation
- Research skills
- Statistical understanding
- Cultural sensitivity
- Idea/theory-oriented
- Reasoning skills
- Social perceptiveness



### CAREER PATHS

Please note that this list includes careers requiring differing degrees of education and training.

- Art Therapist
- Behavior Analyst
- Career Counselor
- Case Manager
- Community Organizer
- Consultant
- Crisis Intervention
- Data Analyst
- Employment Recruiter
- Financial Advisor
- Fundraiser
- Health Educator
- Life Skills Counselor
- Manger
- Mental Health Associate
- Mental Health Therapist
- Nonprofit Administrator
- Occupational Therapist
- Program Manger
- Psychologist
- Public Relations
- Rehabilitation Counselor
- Research Assistant
- Sales/Marketing
- School Counselor
- Training and Development

MAJORS TO  
**CAREERS**



**96%**

of alumni have a job within six months or are attending grad school



Carthage alums pursue opportunities in over 50 different industries

## \$ STARTING SALARY RANGES

### *Rehabilitation Counselors*

PERCENTILE	10%	25%	50% (MEDIAN)	75%	90%
Wisconsin Annual Wage	\$21,820	\$25,470	\$30,310	\$42,550	\$50,940
Illinois Annual Wage	\$20,340	\$23,870	\$31,150	\$44,150	\$71,050

## COMPANIES EMPLOYING CARTHAGE GRADUATES

- Homeward Bound
- Vista International Packing
- Paragon Day Services
- Shalom Center
- WE Energies
- Allenwald Association
- Walden Homes
- Brady Center

## MAJOR JOB SEARCH ENGINES

- Carthage Career Connection
- American Counseling Association
- American Psychological Association
- Association for Psychological Science
- Career Cornerstone
- CareersinPsychology.org
- Society of Counseling Psychology
- Psychological Science
- Psychology Jobs

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