



College Course Comparison Recovery Halfway House Worker/Addictions Counsellor Diploma

The comparison below compares courses taken within our program to courses taken at two other colleges. This comparison is updated each year to ensure accuracy in programs. Please note that our program is further accredited with the Canadian Professional Counsellors Association and the Canadian Addiction Counsellors Certification Federation. Further information can be found on these organizations through our website on the Recovery Halfway House Worker program page. UFV's program is called "Substance Abuse Counseling Diploma". CDI's program is called Addictions and Community Services Worker"

Career Gate Community College	University of the Fraser Valley	CDI College
RHHW 102 Drugs and Physiology and Behavior	CMNS 155 Communications for Human Services	Psychology
RHHW 103 Case Management and Documentation	HSER 120 Intro to Interpersonal Communications	Case File Management and Report Writing
RHHW 104 Intake & Discharge Procedures	HSER 129 Seminar	Assessment and Treatment Planning
RHHW 105 Standard Operating Procedures	PHIL Philosophy Requirement	Communications Fundamentals
RHHW 106 Basic Counselling Skills	PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology I	Ethical Counselling Relationship
RHHW 107 Substance Abuse Counselling	SOWK 110 Intro to Social Work & Human Services	Group Facilitation Concepts
RHHW 108 Group Counselling/Advanced Group	HSER 130 Practicum I	Community Resources and Networking
RHHW 109 Family Dynamics	SOWK 210 Introduction to Social Welfare	Interviewing Techniques
RHHW 110 Introduction to Substance Abuse	SOC 101 Introductory Sociology	Fundamentals of Addiction
RHHW 111 Privacy Act/Policies & Procedures	Elective Group A – Data Manipulation	Pharmacology
RHHW 112 Crisis Intervention	SOWK 225 Human Behaviour and the Social Environment	Preventive Health Promotion
RHHW 113 Life Skills Coach Training	HSER 200 Counseling Skills	Relapse Prevention and Intervention
RHHW 114 Professional Workshops	HSER 400 Counselling Skills for Addictions Work	Secondary Traumatic Stress
RHHW 115 DSM IV	HSER 401 Group Facilitation Skills for Addictions	Introduction to Software Applications
RHHW 116 Person Centered Rogerian Counseling	HSER 410 The Nature of Substance Abuse	Working with Families
JS 130 Professional Development	HSER 427 Integrative and Self-care Seminar	Selected Populations
JS 131 Job Search Skills	CMNS 251 Professional Report Writing	Student Success Strategies
JS 133 6 week Field Placement	HSER 402 Family Work in Addictions	Professional Skills
	HSER 411 Pharmacology and Psychobiology of Addictions	Career and Employment Strategies
	HSER 412 Community Treatment: Assessment and Referral	Mandatory Clinical Placement
	HSER 428 Integrative and Self-Care Seminar	



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	HSER 430 Substance Abuse Protection	
	Elective As per approved list	

Further certifications through Career Gate Community College

- o Life Skills Coach Training
- o Food Safe
- o First-Aid/CPR
- o Non-Violent Crisis Intervention