



Kiuna Institution

NEW PROGRAM THIS FALL

ACS – Special Education

Full time – 1260 hours training



OBJECTIVES

This special education program, adapted to First Nations contexts, prepares students to support individuals with psychomotor, intellectual, social or emotional difficulties, and who need assistance in their rehabilitation, social reintegration or living in their home environment.

Through the courses offered, students will acquire the knowledge needed to work with clients, develop skills that are characteristic to the profession, and adopt the professional attitudes required to enter the workforce.

Graduates of this program will be able to fulfill the following tasks and duties:

- Establish a helping relationship.
- Become familiar with community resources and services.
- Communicate with clients and members of a work team.
- Design development activities and clinical tools.
- Carry out adaptive and rehabilitative activities for clients with a physical impairment or neurological disorder.
- Act as a facilitator for groups of clients or work teams.
- Carry out activities for older individuals who are no longer autonomous or for young people with learning or language difficulties.

- Carry out adaptive and rehabilitative activities for clients with mental health and drug addiction problems, or for clients who are socially excluded or who are perpetrators or victims of violence.
- Carry out adaptive activities for clients who are re-entering society or the workplace or intervene in a crisis.
- Draw up and carry out an integrated intervention project.

TARGET POPULATION

This program is designed for individuals interested in acquiring the skills needed for social intervention in a variety of settings. Graduates will be equipped to work with a variety of clients and able to perform the duties of front-line workers in their community.



STUDENT SERVICES

Here are some of the services offered at Kiuna:

- Academic advising
- Student union
- Psychosocial support
- Sports and cultural activities
- IT equipment
- Documentation centre
- Student radio
- Audio-visual material
- Student housing

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

For admission to continuing education programs, every applicant must have a high school diploma or training considered sufficient. The applicant must also meet one of the following three conditions:

- Have interrupted studies for at least two consecutive semesters or one year.
- Be covered by an agreement between the college and an employer, or by a government program.
- Have completed at least one year of post-secondary studies over a one-year period or more.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AND FEES

- Birth certificate (long form)
- Last high school transcript issued by the Ministry of Education
- College transcript, if applicable
- Application form (completed and signed)
- Indian status card
- \$30 admission fee payable by cheque (non-refundable)

Program length: 1 260 hours

Start date: Fall 2019

Please note: this is a new version of the program awaiting approval by the Ministry of Education and Higher Education.



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