PLAY THERAPY CERTIFICATE PROGRAM ADMISSION

APPLICATION DEADLINE

August 1, 2022 for admission to the Play Therapy Certificate for fall 2022.

This is a post-master's certificate program.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Domestic Students

GPA: 3.0

GRE: no requirement

International Students

TOEFL: 80 minimum online score and 20 minimum score in each subset, OR IELTS: 6.5 minimum

overall score with 6 minimum in each subset.

GRE: 291 minimum

HOW TO APPLY

Step 1: Apply to UW, and the Play Therapy Certificate in Counseling through the online portal. This certificate is located in the School of Counseling, Leadership, Advocacy, and Design (CLAD), which is in the College of Education.

- Access the UW graduate applicant portal. Make sure to indicate you are applying for fall semester
- After completing the initial information page, you will receive an email from the system including a link and your temporary username and password.
- Please complete the contact, academic, residency information, etc.
- Submit the application fee
- Submit ALL required documents to the online document portal (see below for details)
- Agree to admissions terms and submit your application

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Step 2: Submit official copies of transcripts to:

UW Office of Admissions

Knight Hall 150

Department 3435, 1000 E. University Avenue

Laramie, WY 82071 Phone: (307) 766-5160 Toll Free: (800) 342-5996 E-mail: admissions@uwyo.edu

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Please include ALL documents listed below in order for your application to be considered.

- A Play Therapy Self Statement or letter of intent describing including:
 - o The primary reasons for your desire to become a professional counselor
 - o Your attributes as well as possible challenges in pursuing a counseling career
 - o How your life experiences have prepared you for a career in counseling
 - o What kind of student you are and how you manage stress
 - How your personal values and experiences prepare you to meet the ethical obligation of the counseling profession and practice with respect, knowledge and skills related to client diversity and multicultural issues
 - o Other factors that you believe may be helpful in evaluating your application
- A current professional license certificate
- A current professional resume
- Unofficial copies of transcripts: Master's or Higher Mental Health Degree. (official copies should be sent to UW Admissions Office)