

“FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS” (FAQ) [can you make this go to these at the bottom of this document?]

After reading the FAQ, email adac@midland.edu for more information.

The Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling Program prepares the student for positions in both public and private sectors, agencies and private practices.

The student is exposed to a variety of learning experiences. The ADAC Program focuses on both theoretical and practical knowledge in working with chemically dependent individuals and their families. Students have the opportunity to develop skills which will enable him/her to work with individuals or groups that have been effected by substance use/abuse.

The ADAC program at Midland College is an accredited institution. Upon completion of the program the student will have surpassed the minimal requirements stated by Texas Department of State Health Services to apply for Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor - Intern.

The Associate of Applied Science degree program in Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling is designed to prepare students to function as licensed chemical dependency counselors, with the ability to work in a broad range of treatment settings such as residential and outpatient programs, detoxification units, halfway houses, and private practices.

Many ADAC Program graduates choose to continue their educations and to include the bachelor's and master's degree levels.

Upon completion of the ADAC Program, students may choose to complete their Bachelor's of Applied Technology degree at Midland College, thus receiving their 4-year degree in the atmosphere of Midland College. **ADAC courses feed the 4-year Bachelor's degree.**

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Frequently Asked Questions:

Is it full time or are there part time schedules available for fulltime working people?

The student can attend either full-time or part-time. The current schedule is friendly to working students, offering a variety of times to participate in the courses. Click on the following link to view the current schedule:

https://mama.midland.edu/cc3_scripts/cc_server.exe

Courses will be listed in the section for Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling and are under DAAC and PSYT.

When do classes begin?

Click on the following link to view the Midland College Calendar:

<http://www.midland.edu/calendar/>

How long does the program take to finish?

If the student enrolls as full-time, the program will take approximately two years. Click on the following link to view the ADAC Degree Plan and suggested schedule:

[add "Current ADAC Degree" here]

For student who choose to enroll part-time, please visit with the ADAC Program Director for course suggestions.

Does Midland College offer online courses?

As a whole Midland College does offer online courses, there are several ADAC courses offered in the hybrid format. This means that class will meet face-to-face for one hour and thirty minutes weekly, exams and classroom discussion will be on Blackboard.

Are summer courses offered?

Practicum is offered during the summer session; ADAC academic courses are offered during the Fall and Spring semesters. It is suggested that ADAC students take the courses in the CORE section of the curriculum during summer months if they are wishing to attend summer school, while enrolled in the Practicum.

Are there any prerequisites?

Currently the program has an open admission policy. Although certain courses do have prerequisites, to view the degree plan click on the following link:

[add "Current ADAC Degree" here]

What if I already have a degree?

For individuals who currently hold the minimum of an associate degree from an accredited institution, the certificate option is available. Certificate Option [add "Current ADAC Certificate Plan" here]

How much does it cost?

In order to view the current tuition and fee schedule, please visit www.midland.edu or click on the following link:

<http://www.midland.edu/admissions/tuition.php>

Do you have to be admitted into the program?

Currently the program has an open admission policy.

How do I apply?

Go to <http://www.midland.edu/admissions/> and click on "APPLY NOW"

Is there financial aid available?

To apply for financial assistance, visit <http://www.midland.edu/admissions/aid/> for detailed information.