

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley  
**Bilingual Counseling**  
*Certificate*

### What is the Bilingual Counseling Certificate?

The 15-hour Bilingual Counseling Certificate, offered completely online, has been created for mental health professionals who are interested in enhancing Spanish language proficiency, developing cultural awareness, and applying appropriate cultural counseling skills when working with Spanish speaking populations. The certificate is designed to meet the needs of a rapidly growing Spanish speaking population.

### Degree Plan

#### Coursework Requirements:

REHS 7320: Introduction to Bilingual Counseling	3
REHS 7330: Cultural Aspects in Bilingual Counseling	3
REHS 7340: Bilingual Assessment and Testing	3
REHS 7350: Theories and Techniques for Bilingual Counseling	3
REHS 7360: Counseling App. & Experience in Bilingual Settings	3

**Total Graduate Hours for Degree:** 15

**No Application Fee!**

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### Delivery Method:

100% Online

### Admission Requirements:

- Current Counseling master's graduate/current counseling students who have completed 75% of their respective program
- Submission of an admission essay in Spanish
- Admission interview which will be conducted in Spanish.

### Program Coordinator:

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### Term Start Date

#### Spring Semester

January 11, 2021

#### Fall Semester

August 23, 2021

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