



Nicole Wertheim
College of Nursing
& Health Sciences

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Communication Sciences & Disorders

Graduate Certificate

Communication Sciences & Disorders



FIU's post-baccalaureate Graduate Certificate in Communication Sciences & Disorders at the Nicole Wertheim College of Nursing & Health Sciences is designed specifically for applicants with a bachelor's degree in a major outside of the field. The program prepares students to support speech-language pathology professionals through comprehensive practical and classroom experience. Students learn about disorders and treatments, communication devices, and working with people with verbal impairments.

Admissions Minimum Requirements

- Hold a BS or BA degree from a regionally accredited college or university
- A minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA in undergraduate study
- Completed CSD Graduate Certificate application
- Official transcript of undergraduate coursework completed for degree
- For applicants whose primary language is not English the TOEFL is required. The passing requirements for the TOEFL are 550 on the paper test or 80 on the Internet based examination. If taking IELTS, scores of 6.5 are required. International students must have their transcripts translated to English prior to applying to the master's program.
- Transfer and international students for the degree or certificate program must meet additional university requirements before proceeding with an application. Visit the [FIU Graduate School website \(gradschool.fiu.edu\)](http://gradschool.fiu.edu) for details.

How to Apply:

- 1 Apply to FIU Graduate School
 - Complete the [FIU Graduate School Application](#) online.
 - Send Official Transcripts denoting all courses taken & TOEFL scores to:

FIU Graduate Admissions Office
PO Box 659004
Miami, FL 33265

Applications missing the departmental application will not be reviewed.

- 2 The Department has a separate application form which must be printed out, completed and then returned to the Department.

- Download and complete the [CSD Application Form](#).
- Send your application form directly to Communication Sciences & Disorders at CSD@fiu.edu.
 - Attach the CSD Application Form and copies of your unofficial transcripts to this email.)

Program Highlights

- For individuals who have a bachelor's degree in a discipline different from Communication Sciences & Disorders or Speech-Language Pathology
- 4 consecutive semesters
- 28-credits
- Must be continuously enrolled in at least two courses per semester

**Applications Accepted
Year Round**
Fall: May 1 | Spring: Oct 1
Summer: Feb 1

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