



# School of Education



## DEGREE COMPLETION PROGRAM:

### B.S. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Majors learn the interdisciplinary approaches to study and promote the development of human beings from conception and birth through childhood, adulthood, aging, and death. Faculty within the department ensure students are culturally responsive to social justice issues by teaching them to examine how people and communities can be empowered in diverse and marginalized settings.

## Application Requirements

### Program Requirements:

- Have not earned college/university credit for at least 1 year
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.2
- Minimum 60 (approved) credits (maximum 72 credits) from an accredited college or university
- Personal statement
- 1 letter of recommendation
- Completed transfer application via Common application



### CONTACT DEPARTMENT FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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### Degree Completion Program:

The Howard University Degree Completion Program (DCP) in Human Development (HD) is a four-year undergraduate program dedicated to individuals who have not earned college/university credit for at least one year. Our flexible, 100% online program is designed for working professionals, service members, and individuals at any stage of their personal and professional journey. The human development degree completion program will consist of structured curricula that provide a clear, well-defined pathway to the bachelor's degree.

### Benefits of the Program

- Complete B.S. in Human Development 100% online
- Degree completion in two years (\*if attending full-time)
- Reduced tuition rate/scholarship opportunities
- Acceptance of 60-72 transfer credits
- Acquisition of skills to help individuals, families, and marginalized groups in fields such as medical, public policy, counseling, and social services

### Human Development Career Salaries:

- Mental Health Counselor: **\$60,270**
- Family Services Counselor: **\$44,600**
- Community Health Advocate: **\$150,800**
- Licensed Clinical Social Worker: **\$80,050**
- Community Service Manager: **\$123,775**
- Childhood Professionals: **\$37,820**

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### Howard University's U.S News & World Report Profile Rankings

- #2 in Historically Black Colleges & Universities
- #10 in Best Undergraduate Teaching
- #31 in Most Innovative Schools

We encourage all transfer applicants to apply using the Common Application:

[www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)

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