

Psychology

University of Maryland
Limited Enrollment Program Information

Department of Psychology
College of Behavioral and Social Sciences
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Certain majors require a limit on the number of students they can accommodate and are designated Limited Enrollment Programs (LEP).

Freshman Direct Admits: All students accepted directly as freshman into the Psychology major will undergo an Academic Review at 45 credits (earned at Maryland) in order to remain in the major. The Academic Review criteria include:

- Completion of PSYC 100 with a minimum grade of 3.0 (if student has Advanced Placement credit for PSYC 100, student must complete PSYC 221 with a minimum grade of 3.0)

For the following two gateway requirements, one must be a 3.0 or better and the other must be a 2.0 or better:

- Completion of MATH 111, 140, 220 or STAT 100
- Completion of BSCI 105 or BSCI 106 or PHYS 121 or CHEM 131/132
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 in all coursework taken at the University of Maryland

Transfer Admission Requirements: Students beyond their first semester and those off campus (from non Maryland public institutions) wishing to transfer are required to meet the following gateway criteria prior to applying to the major:

- Completion of PSYC 100 with a minimum grade of 3.0 (if student has Advanced Placement credit for PSYC 100, student must complete PSYC 221 with a minimum grade of 3.0)

For the following two gateway requirements, one must be a 3.0 or better and the other must be a 2.0 or better:

- Completion of MATH 111, 220, 140 or STAT 100
- Completion of BSCI 105 or BSCI 106 or PHYS 121 or CHEM 131/132
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.7 or above in all college level coursework is required

PLEASE NOTE

- Only one “gateway” or performance review course may be repeated to earn the required grade and that course may only be repeated once.
- Students may apply only once to an LEP. Students who are directly admitted and fail to meet the performance review criteria will be dismissed from the major and may not reapply.
- Students must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00. Failure to do so will result in dismissal from the major.
- Any student denied admission or dismissed from the major may appeal directly to the Associate Dean of the College.

*See www.ugst.umd.edu/CORE for information on Fundamental and Distributive Studies requirements.
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