Community Rehabilitation and Disability Studies examines the economic, social and political forces that serve to marginalize people. During the course of your studies, much of your learning will occur while actively working on problems in class and through practical supervised field education. You’ll learn to design, deliver and evaluate community-based support services and how to form alliances that promote full participation in the community.

**Key Skills & Knowledge**


**Sample Job Titles**

Some of these roles may require further training, certification or education. Check out the Alberta Government’s occupational profiles for salary info and more detail: [alis.alberta.ca/occinfo](http://alis.alberta.ca/occinfo)

Activity Therapist, Advocacy and Family Liaison, Assisted Living Worker, Behavioural Support Worker, Behavioural Therapist, Career Counsellor, Child Development Facilitator, Child Psychologist, Child Welfare Officer, Children’s Mental Health Counsellor, Client Services Coordinator, Communications and Education Coordinator, Community Programs Planner, Community Rehabilitation Worker, Community Support Worker, Correctional System Consultant, Disability Awareness Campaign Manager, Drug Rehabilitation Counsellor, Early Childhood Diversity Strategist, Early Intervention Specialist, Elder Care Worker, English as a Second Language (ESL) Teacher, Ergonomics and Safety Specialist, External Communications, Disability Resources, Family Services Specialist, Health Agency Director, Literacy Advocate, Neurophysiologist, Out of School Care Assistant, Outreach Consultant, Paediatric Rehabilitation, Patient Relations Representative, Policy Analyst, Private Rehabilitation Counsellor, Program Director/Administrator, Psychiatric Nursing Assistant, Psychologist Assistant, Public Awareness Speaker, Public Education Coordinator, Recreation Specialist, Rehabilitation Consultant, Researcher, Residential Support Worker, School Nurse/Psychologist/Social Worker, Social Worker, Special Education Teacher/Assistant, Special Needs Daycare Worker, Speech Language Pathologist, Therapy Aide, Training and Development Coordinator, University/College Professor, Vocational Support Worker, Work Placement Coordinator, Youth Group Director.

**Need help deciding what to do?**

Formal Career Assessments like the Strong Interest Inventory and the Myers Briggs Type Indicator can be helpful tools for your career development. Request an assessment via CareerLink.
# Potential Fields

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# Career Services

**YOUR FUTURE STARTS HERE**

- Career Planning
- Job Search Support
- Resume Reviews
- Career Workshops
- Online Job Postings
- Career Fairs
- Networking Events
- Information Sessions & much more!

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**Job Boards**

- CUSO-VSO: [hcusointernational.org/](http://hcusointernational.org/)
- Reach Hire: [www.reachhire.ca/](http://www.reachhire.ca/)
- LinkedIn: [www.linkedin.com](https://www.linkedin.com)
- Work in NonProfits: [workinnonprofits.ca](http://workinnonprofits.ca)
- CareerLink: [careerlink.ucalgary.ca](http://careerlink.ucalgary.ca)

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# Associations & Professional Development

Associations provide an opportunity for continued professional development. Many also offer networking opportunities and other events for their members.

- Alberta Easter Seals
- Canadian Abilities Foundation
- Canadian Association of the Deaf
- Canadian Associations of Career Educators and Employers
- Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work
- Canadian Foundation for Physically Disabled Persons
- Canadian Institute for Health Information
- Canadian Teachers’ Foundation
- Career Development Association of Alberta
- Council of Canadians with Disabilities
- Disability Related Support Groups in Alberta
- Disability Vocational Rehabilitation Program
- DisAbled Women’s Network Canada
- Disability Resources on the Internet
- Education Canada
- Emerging Health Leaders (EHL) Calgary
- HealthWrights
- Inclusion Alberta
- Learning Disabilities Online
- National Educational Association of Disabled Students
- Teaching English as a Second Language in Canada

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# Aligned Majors

- Kinesiology
- Psychology
- Social Work
- Sociology