

Who we are

As part of the Mennonite New Life Centre of Toronto, we are a forward-thinking program aiming to prepare internationally trained mental health professionals to secure meaningful career integration in the Ontario mental health sector. We do it by providing essential knowledge of practices, cultures, and professional standards in Ontario, by supporting the process of professional registration, and by securing hands-on, supervised placement opportunities.



Program Streams

We offer two learning pathways:

Preparation for Employment Stream (E):

About 10 months, full-time, including academic training, professional certifications, certified CBT training, supervised placement, mentoring and job search support.

The main goal of Stream E:

Preparing participants to find meaningful employment in the field of mental health.

Preparation for Registration and Employment Stream (R):

About 12 - 14 months, full-time, including extended academic training, professional certifications, certified CBT training, supervised placement, multiple components that support registration with the College of Registered Psychotherapists of Ontario (CRPO), mentoring and job search support.

The main goal of Stream R:

Preparing participants for application to CRPO and for meaningful employment in the field of mental health.

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Who Qualifies for the Program?

- Internationally trained professionals
- Undergraduate or graduate degree in psychology or a related field, with a significant component of psychology and mental health (e.g. mental health/addiction counselling, social work, psychiatry, psychiatric nursing, occupational therapy, school counselling)
- Minimum two years of direct work experience in mental health outside of Canada
- Minimum English language proficiency of CLB 7 or equivalent in all domains (reading, writing, speaking, listening)
- Legal immigration status (Permanent Resident, Canadian Citizen, Convention Refugee, Refugee Claimant with work permit)

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www.bridgingprograms.org

Why take the program?

Program participants gain:

- In-depth understanding of mental health practices and career opportunities in Ontario
- Improved mastery of professional communication skills
- Ability to work within the Canadian multicultural environment
- Formal “Canadian work experience” and job search supports
- Preparation for application to the College of Registered Psychotherapists of Ontario (CRPO)
- Valuable personal and professional networks



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Do you want to work as a mental health professional in Canada?
If yes, this may be the program for you!

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