

APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS (M.S.)

Master of Science

Program Code: MSED-ED

Major Code: ABA

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Professional Licensure: This program leads to a recommendation for NYS certification; please check for certification requirements in all other states (<https://academicaffairs.buffalostate.edu/professional-licensure-disclosures/>)

This master's level program is designed to serve the educational needs of professionals who provide behavioral health treatment for individuals with autism and autism spectrum disorders and related needs. This program consists of a minimum of 33 credits. It is designed to address the essential skills and competencies for professional practitioners in the field of Applied Behavior Analysis. Completion of this program leads to recommendation for New York State Licensure as a Behavior Analyst (LBA) and recommendation as a Board certified Behavior Analysis from the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BCBA). Candidates must possess an undergraduate degree in psychology, education or other subject areas that address learning and behavioral change.

Admission Requirements

1. Official college transcripts.
2. Three professional references from individuals who can attest to your potential success in this program (letters are not required).
3. A Statement of Intent. 4. Minimum 3.0 undergraduate or current GPA.

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Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses (30 credit hours)		
EXE 522	BEHAVIORAL ASSESSMENT, INSTRUCTION AND INTERVENTION	3
EXE 544	BEHAVIORAL INTERVENTIONS FOR STUDENTS WITH CHALLENGING BEHAVIORS	3

EXE 634	APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS	3
EXE 644	ADVANCED APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS	3
EXE 645	EFFECTIVE PRACTICES FOR SUPPORTING INDIVIDUALS WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER	3
EXE 646	CULTURE, DIVERSITY, DISABILITY, AND EDUCATION	3
EXE 681	CLINICAL RECORDS AND ETHICAL PRACTICES FOR BEHAVIORAL ANALYSIS	3
EXE 683	SUPERVISED PRACTICUM: PERSONNEL SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT	6
EXE 684	PRACTICE-BASED RESEARCH IN EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION	3
EXE 690	MASTER'S PROJECT IN EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION	3
Total Credit Hours		33