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PONCE HEALTH
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Consumer Information

Welcome to the Ponce Health Sciences University! This page contains a summary of available consumer information. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to the Office of Student Affairs at 787-840- 2575.

General Institutional Information

Privacy of Student Records–Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=55 (Page 44)

Student Financial Assistance

Student Financial Assistance information can be found under each program as a separate sublink on the PHSU website

You can also visit our Financial Aid Office, for appointments contact us to the following numbers and addresses.

Financial Aid Office Contact Information

Phone Number: (787) 840-2575 ext. 2134, 2135 or 2136

E-mail: psmfinstu@psm.edu

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 7004, Ponce. Puerto Rico 00731

Physical Address: 388 Zona Ind. Reparada 2 Ponce PR 00716-2347

Inceptia Financial Aid Education Portal

<https://fa.financialavenue.org/fa/login/index.php>

If this is the first time you are accessing the PHSU Financial Avenue Education Portal you will need to sign-up and enter our schools access code: bw4g33 to setup your account

Facilities and Services for Students with Disabilities General Catalog

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=234

School Policies

Student Policy Manual

<http://www.psm.edu/doc/media-manager/PONCE%20HEALTH%20SCIENCES%20UNIVERSITY%20STUDENT%20POLICY%20MANUAL.pdf>

PHSU Catalog

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf

PHSU Website

Website Link: www.psm.edu

Student Diversity

Student Policy Manual – Diversity Policy

<http://www.psm.edu/doc/media-manager/PONCE%20HEALTH%20SCIENCES%20UNIVERSITY%20STUDENT%20POLICY%20MANUAL.pdf#page=26> (Page 21)

PHSU Catalog – Diversity Policy

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=45 (Page 34)

Tuition and Fees and Cost of Attendance

Tuition and Fees information can be found under each program as a separate sublink on the PHSU website

MD Program

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-Medicine-4th-years-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

PhD in Biomedical Sciences

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-PhD-Biomedical-Sciences-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

PsyD in Clinical Psychology

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-20176-20187-PsyD-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

PhD Clinical Psychology Program

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-PhD-Psy-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

Doctor of Public Health in Epidemiology(DrPH)

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-Dr-PH-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

Master in Public Health (MPH)

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-MPH-MPHA-MPHE-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

Master of Science in Medical Sciences (MSMS)

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-MSMS-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

Postgraduate Certificate in Neuroscience of Learning <http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-2017-2018-CNL-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

Postgraduate Certificate in Family and Couples Therapy <http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/AY-20176-2018-CFCT-Cost-of-Attendance.pdf>

Master of Science in School Psychology

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/EDUC-BUDGETS-MSSP-2017-2018.pdf>

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

<http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/EDUC-BUDGET-Nursing-2017->

[2018.pdf](#)

Refund Policy and Requirements for Withdrawal and Return of Federal Financial Aid

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=61 (P. 50 of Institutional Catalog)

Reference Withdrawals and Title IV Refund

<http://www.psm.edu/doc/media-manager/PONCE%20HEALTH%20SCIENCES%20UNIVERSITY%20STUDENT%20POLICY%20MANUAL.pdf#page=85> (P.85 Student Policy Manual) Tuition Payment and Refund Policy

Textbook Information

<http://www.psm.edu/textbooks/>

Education Programs

MD Program

<http://www.psm.edu/education/md-program/>

PhD in Biomedical Sciences

<http://www.psm.edu/education/phd-in-biomedical-sciences/>

PsyD in Clinical Psychology

<http://www.psm.edu/education/psyd-in-clinical-psychology/>

PhD Clinical Psychology

<http://www.psm.edu/education/phd-clinical-psychology/>

Doctor of Public Health in Epidemiology(DrPH)

<http://www.psm.edu/education/drph-in-epidemiology/>

Master in Public Health (MPH)

<http://www.psm.edu/education/master-in-public-health-mph/>

Master of Science in Medical Sciences <http://www.psm.edu/education/master-of-science-in-medical-sciences-msms/>

Postgraduate Certificate in Neuroscience of Learning

<http://www.psm.edu/education/postgraduate-certificate-in-neuroscience-of-learning/>

Postgraduate Certificate in Family and Couples Therapy

<http://www.psm.edu/education/professional-certificate-in-family-and-couples-therapy/>

Master of Science in School Psychology

<http://www.psm.edu/education/master-of-science-in-school-psychology/>

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

<http://www.psm.edu/education/bachelor-science-nursing/>

Instructional Facilities & Faculty

Facilities and Services

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=234 (P. 223 Institutional Catalog)

Faculty

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=238 (P. 227 Institutional Catalog)

Transfer of Credit Policies

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=25 (P.14 Institutional Catalog) Reference

Transfer of Credits

Accreditations, Approval and Licensure of Institution and Programs

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=13 (Institutional Catalog P. 2)

Reference Accreditations

School Web Page

<http://www.psm.edu/accreditation-approval-and-licensure-of-institution-and-programs/> Future Students- Accreditation Section

Copyright Infringement & Computer and File

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=35

Reference Acceptable Use Policy ([Institutional Catalog P. 24](#))

<http://www.psm.edu/doc/media-manager/PONCE%20HEALTH%20SCIENCES%20UNIVERSITY%20STUDENT%20POLICY%20MANUAL.pdf#page=9> Reference Acceptable Use Policy (Student Policy Manual P. 4)

Student Activities

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=96

Reference Student Activities ([Institutional Catalog P. 85](#))

Historial Private Lender List

PHSU does not deny or otherwise impede the student's choice of an alternative lender or cause unnecessary delay in loan certification of these loans. The following is a list of the three private loans that have been most commonly selected by our students during last two previous academic years, however, we reiterate that the student may select any other lender they esteem will meet their financial need.

Discover: www.discover.com/student-loans

Sallie Mae: www.salliemae.com

Wells Fargo: www.wellsfargo.com/student/graduate-loans/med-school

Preferred Lender Arrangements

PHSU does not have any preferred lender arrangements.

Health and Safety

Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program- Institutional Web Page

<http://www.psm.edu/health-and-safety/>

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=39

Reference Alcohol, Tobacco, Illicit Drug and Violence Policy (Institutional Catalog Pages 28-33)

Immunization Policy

http://www.psm.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/CATALOG_Ponce-Health-Sciences-University-Catalog-2017-2020.pdf#page=22 (Institutional Catalog Page 11) Reference Immunization Policy

Clery Act – Campus Security, Crime Statistics and Daily Crime Logs

Access the following link, on the **Criteria Section** select **State or Outlying Area** and click **Puerto Rico** and **Continue**. Look for the **institution's name** and retrieve the crime statistic information available by year.

<https://ope.ed.gov/campussafety/#/customdata/search>

Voter Registration

Contact *Comision de Elecciones de Puerto Rico*.

<http://www.ceepur.org/directorio.htm>

Constitution Day Information

<http://www.constitutionday.com/index.html>

Reference Constitution Day Link on the Useful links Section (Institutional Web Page) <http://www.psm.edu/useful-links-and-document-requests/>