Bachelor of Science in Correctional Program Support Services (BSCPSS) Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will be able to identify signs and symptoms of mental illness and provide intervention techniques to mitigate risk.

- Students will be able to articulate key aspects of the historical development of correctional institutions by analyzing the various theories of criminal behavior.

- Students will be able to analyze available institutional and postrelease programs and services aimed at reducing recidivism.

- Students will be able to identify ethical, legal, and behavioral challenges faced by correctional personnel in culturally diverse adult/juvenile populations.

- Students will be able to integrate effective communication skills that are unique to correctional institutions for reviewing and preparing records and reports.

- Students will be able to analyze correctional institutions to positively affect public safety and be in compliance with state and federal law.

- Students will be able to distinguish various substance abuse issues in order to assess, refer, and intervene with correctional populations to enhance health, safety, and security.

- Students will be able to analyze various types, classifications, causal factors and unique security and programmatic needs of sexual offenders in order to recommend treatment options to aid in rehabilitation.