

ACADEMIC YEAR**2025/2026****Name of the cycle of studies (CS)**

2nd Cycle of Studies in Academic and Clinical Education

A - Specific conditions for access to the cycle of studies

According to the general regulations for the 2nd and 3rd cycles at U.Porto, this information is the responsibility of the CS Scientific Committee and is subject to approval by the Faculty Director. An exception is made to **cycles of studies conjoint with other HEIs (Higher Education Institutions)**, to which apply the principles defined in the respective collaboration agreement, as well as in the specific regulation of the cycle of studies, formulated according to the Legal Regime of Higher Education Degrees and Diplomas (Portuguese Decree-Law nº 65/2018, of August 16th). Whenever possible, it should be mentioned the scientific areas of the qualifications required for the application.

Specific conditions for access to the cycle of studies

- Holders of a bachelor's degree or legal equivalent in the areas of Health and Life Sciences (including Psychology);
- Holders of a foreign higher academic degree, awarded following a 1st cycle of studies organised in accordance with the principles of the Bologna Process by a State adhering to this process;
- Holders of a foreign higher academic degree that is recognised¹ as satisfying the objectives of a bachelor's degree by the Scientific Committee of the study cycle;
- Holders of an academic, scientific or professional curriculum recognised² as relevant by the Scientific Committee of the study cycle.

Additional information:

- Obtaining recognition must be dealt with by the candidates themselves before submitting their application.
- More information on the recognition process can be found on the [DGES portal - Recognition of Academic Degrees and Diplomas](#).
- The enrolment period for curricular units will be announced in due course by e-mail.

¹ Applicants with foreign qualifications may submit their application, provided that their degrees are recognised in Portugal. Recognition must be carried out under the terms of **Decree-Law no. 66/2018, of 16 August**, which regulates the recognition of academic degrees and diplomas awarded by foreign higher education institutions.

² If the candidate does not have official recognition, the Scientific Committee may assess the candidate's individual merit based on the curriculum presented, under the terms of **article 17, paragraph 1, letter d) of Decree-Law no. 74/2006**.

B - Criteria and sub-criteria for selection and seriation of applicants

The selection and seriation criteria should be defined using clear, objective, easily applicable, and justifiable variables, to safeguard transparency and accuracy of the evaluation of applications. Criteria and sub-criteria assessment measured through a numerical scale allows a more objective evaluation of the applicants' academic/scientific/artistic/professional potential and capacity.

Criteria and subcriteria for selection and seriation of applicants

A) SCHOOL, SCIENTIFIC OR PROFESSIONAL CURRICULUM (Weighting: 60 %; Max. 12 points)

Undergraduate and postgraduate training * (max. 4 points)

- 'Holders of a Bachelor's/Master's degree or legal equivalent in the areas of Health and Life Sciences (including Psychology) and/or Graduates with other training, in consultation with the Master's Scientific Committee, with a final average equal to or greater than 14 other training, in consultation with the Master's Scientific Committee, with a final average equal to or greater than 14. 4 values

- 'Holders of a Bachelor's/Master's degree or legal equivalent in the areas of Health and Life Sciences (including Psychology) and/or Graduates with other training, having heard the Master's Scientific Committee, with a final average of less than 14 other training, having heard the Master's Scientific Committee, with a final average of less than 14. 3 values

Scientific experience * (max. 4 points)

- One or more publications in full 4 values

- One or more publications in the form of an oral communication, poster or abstract 2 values

- No publications in full, oral communication, poster or abstract 1 value

Professional experience * (max. 4 points)

- Professional experience relevant to the course, less than 1 year 2 values

- Professional experience relevant to the study programme, between 1 and 2 years 3 values

- Professional experience relevant to attending the Cycle of Studies for more than 2 years 4 values

B) SELECTION INTERVIEW (Weighting: 40 %; Max. 8 points)

- Aspects to be assessed in the selection interview Until 2 values

- Motivation to attend the study programme Until 2 values

- Demonstrated ability to complete the degree Until 2 values

- Prior knowledge of programme contents Until 2 values

- 'Overall performance/evaluation of the candidate, namely professional attitude, contact and communication, as well as other characteristics that the Scientific Committee deems relevant'

Until 2 values

Caption: * Mutually exclusive sub-criteria

Applicant's tie-breaking criteria (can be the ranking of some elements of the previous table)

(Note: one or more criteria may correspond to those indicated in the field above)

Best classification in item B) Selection Interview.

2ND CYCLE OF STUDIES IN ACADEMIC AND CLINICAL EDUCATION

VACANCIES: MAX:40 / MIN: 10

VACANCIES 1ST PHASE: 26

VACANCIES 2ND PHASE: 14 + SURPLUS

TENDER SCHEDULE

	1 ST PHASE		2 ND PHASE ³	
	BEGIN	END	BEGIN	END
ONLINE APPLICATION SUBMISSION	10-02-2025	04-04-2025	11-06-2025	25-07-2025
PUBLICATION OF PROVISIONAL RESULTS	29-04-2025		04-08-2025	
PRIOR HEARING	30-04-2025	14-05-2025	05-08-2025	19-08-2025
PUBLICATION OF FINAL RESULTS	19-05-2025		01-09-2025	
SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINTS	20-05-2025	09-06-2025	02-09-2025	22-09-2025
PUBLICATION OF THE DECISION ON COMPLAINTS	20-06-2025		30-09-2025	
ONLINE ENROLLMENT	20-05-2025	28-05-2025	02-09-2025	08-09-2025
POSSIBLE ADMISSION OF WAIT-LISTED APPLICANTS	29-05-2025	06-06-2025	09-09-2025	15-09-2025

How to notify applicants of the results (provisional and final): by e-mail to the e-mail address indicated in the application.

³ TO BE MADE AVAILABLE IF THERE ARE VACANCIES LEFT OVER FROM THE 1ST PHASE