

Master of Arts in Counseling Curriculum

| Core Curriculum | | |
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| Course Number | Course Name | Credit Hours |
| CPCE 5500 | Introduction to Professional Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5503 | Psychopathology: Diagnoses and Classification | 3 |
| CPCE 5505 | Career Development I | 3 |
| CPCE 5515 | Assessment Methods in Professional Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5520 | Theories of Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5530 | Methods of Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5531 | Counseling Practicum I | 3 |
| CPCE 5532/5533 | Counseling Practicum II / Couples & Family Practicum | 3 |
| CPCE 5540 | Theories and Methods in Group Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5551 | Counseling in a Pluralistic Society | 3 |
| CPCE 5553 | Ethics and Professional Issues in Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5575 A | Internship in Counseling I | 3 |
| CPCE 5575 B | Internship in Counseling II | 3 |
| EDRP 5508 | Principles and Methods of Research | 3 |
| EDRP 5513 | Advanced Developmental Science Across the Lifespan | 3 |
| Core Credits | | 45 |

| Mental Health Emphasis | | |
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| Course Number | Course Name | Credit Hours |
| CPCE 5521 | Special Counseling Methods – Substance Abuse | 3 |
| CPCE 5527 | Theories & Methods of Sex Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5590 | Prevention, Consult. & Program Eval in Commun. Settings | 3 |
| Elective | | 3 |
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| MH Emphasis Credits | | 15 |
| Total Credits for degree | | 60 |

| Couples & Family Emphasis | | |
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| Course Number | Course Name | Credit Hours |
| CPCE 5527 | Theories & Methods of Sex Counseling | 3 |
| CPCE 5541 | Couples and Family Therapy | 3 |
| CPCE 5542 | Theories & Techniques of Family Systems Therapy | 3 |
| CPCE 5590 | Prevention, Consult. & Program Eval in Commun. Settings | 3 |
| Elective | | 3 |
| Couples & Family Emphasis Credits | | 15 |
| Total Credits for degree | | 60 |

| School Counseling Emphasis (for students with Teaching Certification) | | |
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| Course Number | Course Name | Credit Hours |
| CPCE 5502 | Foundations of Element. & Secondary School Couns. | 3 |
| CPCE 5504 | School Counseling Programs | 3 |
| CPCE 5550 | Organization and Admin. of Counseling Programs | 3 |
| TE 5404 | Education of the Exceptional Child and Youth | 3 |
| Elective | | 3* |
| School Counseling Credits (w/teaching certification) | | 15* |
| Total Credits for degree | | 60* |

*Effective Fall 2023 the school counseling emphasis for students holding teaching certification will be 60 credits with the addition of an elective

| School Counseling Emphasis (for students without a Teaching Certification) | | |
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| Course Number | Course Name | Credit Hours |
| CPCE 5502 | Foundations of Element. & Secondary School Couns. | 3 |
| CPCE 5504 | School Counseling Programs | 3 |
| CPCE 5550 | Organization and Admin. of Counseling Programs | 3 |
| EDCI 5512 | Strategies for Effective Classroom Management | 3 |
| EDCI 5517 | Special Topics: Teaching Methods & Practices | 3 |
| TE 5404 | Education of the Exceptional Child and Youth | 3 |
| School Counseling Emphasis Credits (w/o teaching certification) | | 18 |
| Total Credits for degree | | 63 |