



A student must complete the course and credit requirements as defined on this curriculum sheet to be a candidate for the Master of Science in major. Additional policies, procedures and requirements may be found in the current Graduate University Catalog and/or the field placement handbooks.

Degree Requirement

A student must already hold a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university for this degree.

Credit Requirements

A minimum of 60 credits is required for this clinical mental health concentration degree

Up to 6 credits from a related master level degree can be transferred.

Pre-practicum hours are embedded within the course work: CNS 505 and CNS 527

Practicum (100 hours) and internship (600 hours - 200 in each internship experience are required.

Grade Requirements

The minimum major and cumulative GPA of 3.0 (B) average is required to remain in good academic standing. One grade of a C+ is permitted but a 3.0 grade point average must be maintained throughout the program. A grade of C requires course be retaken. Students may retake a maximum of 2 courses in which they earned a C or C+. Students may retake an individual course only one time. Students may not earn any grade below a C and remain in the program. Minimum grade of B is required in Core Requirements and Field Courses (Practicum & Internships).

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Core Requirements - 30 credits

CNS 501	Counseling Skills	3
CNS 504	Human Development	3
CNS 505	Foundations of Counseling	3
CNS 510	Research Methods	3
CNS 513	Practicum	3
CNS 520	Theories in Counseling	3
CNS 521	Assessment Techniques in Counseling	3
CNS 527	Social Justice, Multicultural & Diversity Issues in Counseling	3
CNS 531	Career Development	3
CNS 533	Substance Use/Abuse	3

Concentration Requirements - 30 Credits

CNS 502	Counseling Agencies	3
CNS 503	DSM/Psychopathology	3
CNS 506	Marriage and Family Counseling	3
CNS 535	Group Counseling and Facilitation Skills	3
CNS 600	Internship I (CMH)	3
CNS 601	Internship II (CMH)	3
CNS 602	Internship III (CMH)	3
CNS	Electives	9