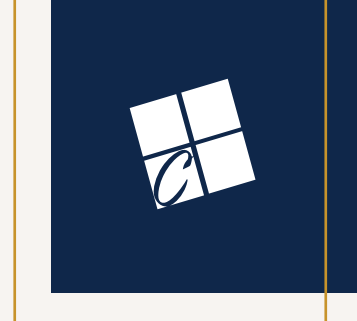


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12 CREDIT HOURS PER TERM

This program is 60 credit hours. Concentration options could add additional credits. See concentrations page for details.

**Indicates summer courses that are taken sequentially.*

Starting With the Fall Term

FALL		SPRING		SUMMER	
YEAR 1					
COU-501	Counseling Theories	COU-602	Clinical Assessments	COU-525	Social & Cultural Foundations in Counseling
COU-502	Counseling Ethics & Issues	COU-612	Group Techniques	COU-610	Counseling Techniques
COU-503	Introduction to Counseling & Professional Development	COU-661	Psychopathology and Diagnosis	COU-643	Trauma Informed Advocacy & Crisis Intervention
COU-521	Foundations of Marriage & Family Counseling	COU-672	Treatment of Mental & Emotional Disorders	COU-653	Addictions Counseling: Treatment & Intervention

YEAR 2					
COU-611	Career Development	ELECTIVE		COU-675	Technology-Assisted Counseling*
COU-662	Human Growth & Development			COU-680	Psychopharm. & Neuroscience in Counseling*
COU-700	Research Methodology				
COU-782	Practicum: Counseling Field Experience	COU-784	Internship I: Counseling Field Experience	COU-785	Internship II: Counseling Field Experience

Starting With the Spring Term

SPRING		SUMMER		FALL	
YEAR 1					
COU-501	Counseling Theories	COU-525	Social & Cultural Foundations in Counseling	COU-602	Clinical Assesemnts
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CONCENTRATIONS

Students may select one of three optional concentrations in preparation for their career in clinical mental health counseling.

To declare a concentration as part of your Master of Arts in clinical mental health counseling program, contact your academic adviser by calling 616.949.5300.

Course Availability

COURSE	CREDIT HOURS	FALL	SPRING
MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY EMPHASIS			
COU-520 Child and Adolescent Counseling	3	X	X
COU-720 Advanced Marriage and Couples Therapy: Assessment, Skills and Practice	3	X	
COU-730 Advanced Family Therapy: Assessment, Skills and Practice	3		X
COU-788 Internship 3: Counseling Field Experience	3	X	X
COU-789 Internship 4: Counseling Field Experience (if needed)	3	X	X
Total Concentration Credits	9-15		
ADDICTIONS COUNSELING			
COU-651 Clinical Diagnostic Assessment of Addictions	3	X	
COU-652 Sociology of Addictions	3		X
Total Concentration Credits	6		
TRAUMA COUNSELING			
COU-642 Sociology of Trauma	3	X	
COU-644 Trauma Counseling and Recovery	3		X
Total Concentration Credits	6		