

M.S. IN CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

Curriculum

Code	Title	Credits
Common Courses		
EDC 506	Counseling Research Methods and Program Evaluation	3
EDC 520	Social and Cultural Considerations in Counseling	3
EDC 521	Human Development Through the Lifespan	3
EDC 552	Trauma Counseling and Crisis Intervention	3
EDC 560	Diagnosis and Appraisal I	3
EDC 570	Fundamentals of the Helping Relationship	3
EDC 571	Counseling Theory and Practice	3
EDC 567	Group Dynamics	3
Specialty Courses		
EDC 551	Orientation to Clinical Mental Health Counseling and Ethics	3
EDC 553	Introduction to Addictions Counseling	3
EDC 556	Career Development and Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
EDC 557	Advanced Counseling Applications and Techniques	3
EDC 561	Contemporary Trends and Issues in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
EDC 572	Diagnosis and Appraisal II	3
Field Courses		
EDC 580	Clinical Mental Health Counseling Practicum	3
EDC 605	Clinical Mental Health Counseling Internship I	3
EDC 606	Clinical Mental Health Counseling Internship II	3
Electives		
Complete 9 credits of electives.		9
Total Minimum Credits Required		60

Sample Course Plan

To track their individual degree progress, students are advised to access their Degree Audit via RamPortal and consult their Graduate Coordinator. For more information, visit the Degree Audit FAQ webpage (<https://www.wcupa.edu/academicEnterpriseSystems/student-system-modernization/degree-audit-faqs.aspx>).

The following is a sample suggested course sequence for this program; course offerings and availability are not guaranteed. Students should consult their academic advisor with any questions.

Course	Title	Credits
Year One		
Fall		
EDC 551	Orientation to Clinical Mental Health Counseling and Ethics	3
EDC 570	Fundamentals of the Helping Relationship	3
EDC 571	Counseling Theory and Practice	3
Credits		9

Spring		
EDC 520	Social and Cultural Considerations in Counseling	3
EDC 560	Diagnosis and Appraisal I	3
EDC 567	Group Dynamics	3
Credits		9
Summer		
EDC 521	Human Development Through the Lifespan	3
Elective		3
Credits		6
Year Two		
Fall		
EDC 506	Counseling Research Methods and Program Evaluation	3
EDC 552	Trauma Counseling and Crisis Intervention	3
EDC 553	Introduction to Addictions Counseling	3
Credits		9
Spring		
EDC 557	Advanced Counseling Applications and Techniques	3
EDC 572	Diagnosis and Appraisal II	3
EDC 580	Clinical Mental Health Counseling Practicum	3
Credits		9
Summer		
EDC 605	Clinical Mental Health Counseling Internship I	3
EDC 556	Career Development and Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
Elective		3
Credits		9
Year Three		
Fall		
EDC 561	Contemporary Trends and Issues in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
EDC 606	Clinical Mental Health Counseling Internship II	3
Elective		3
Credits		9
Total Credits		60