

Mental Health Counseling Track

(Standard and Part-time options also available)

SAMPLE ACCELERATED COURSE SEQUENCE (60 credits)

OPTIONAL SUMMER START: Choose from available summer semester courses or electives listed below.

YEAR 1:

- FALL:**
- COUN 503: *Intro to Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 505: *Theories of Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 545: *Techniques of Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 608: *Clinical Psychopathology* (3)
- SPRING:**
- COUN 507: *Lifespan Development* (3)
 - COUN 601: *Multicultural Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 605: *Group Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 612: *Case Conceptualization and Treatment Planning* (3)
- SUMMER:**
- COUN 651: *Ethical, Legal, and Professional Issues in Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 622: *Marriage & Family Therapy* (3)
 - COUN 592: *Practicum in Mental Health Counseling* (3)*
 - Elective:** See options below

YEAR 2:

- FALL:**
- COUN 555: *Testing & Assessment in Counseling* (3)
 - COUN 610: *Career Development* (3)
 - COUN 692: *Internship in Mental Health Counseling* (3)*
 - COUN 635: *Clinical Supervision & Administration in Mental Health* (3)
- SPRING:**
- COUN 510: *Research Methods* (3)
 - COUN 525: *Substance Use & Addictions Counseling: Diagnosis & Treatment* (3)
 - COUN 699: *Comprehensive Exam* (0)
- SUMMER:** **Elective:** See options below

* The Practicum and Internship sequence may be shifted one semester forward.

ELECTIVE OPTIONS:

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| COUN 504: <i>P-12 School Counseling Practice</i> (3) | COUN 575: <i>Advanced Substance Use & Addiction Counseling Interventions</i> (3) |
| COUN 550: <i>Introduction to Play Therapy</i> (3) | COUN 613: <i>Counseling of Exceptional Students</i> (3) |
| COUN 552: <i>Contemporary Issues in CCSA</i> (3) | COUN 615: <i>Human Sexuality and Counseling</i> (3) |
| COUN 560: <i>Grief, Loss, and Trauma</i> (3) | COUN 640: <i>Cognitive and Behavioral Therapies</i> (3) |
| COUN 565: <i>College Student Development Services</i> (3) | PSYC 552: <i>Psychopharmacology</i> (3) |

*Course sequence is subject to change.



APPLICATION DEADLINES— Early Bird: Dec. 1st | Priority: Jan. 15th | Standard: Feb. 15th

We will accept applications until the program is full. Email graduate@longwood.edu to see if the program has been filled.

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