



MASTER OF ARTS IN MARITAL AND FAMILY THERAPY

Typical Three-Year Sequence 2011/2012

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	FALL:	SPRING:	SUMMER
Year One: 26 Credits	CNS 501–Clinical Foundations / 2 CNS 504–Psychotherapeutic Systems / 2 +CNS 507–Human Life Span Dev. / 3 <small>(available Spring through CLL)</small> + DBS 516-Inter. Script. Survey / 2	CNS 505–Psychopathology / 3 CNS 506–Legal & Ethical Issues / 2 # CNS 501 CNS 526-Psychopharmacology / 2 CNS 505 +THS 511-Theology I Survey / 2	+CNS 510-Spiritual Assess. & Devel. / 2 <small>(available Fall through CLL)</small> +CNS 518-Career & Lifestyle Dev. / 2 <small>(available Summer through CLL)</small> CNS 523–Human Sexuality / 2# CNS 505 + THS 512-Theology II Survey / 2 # THS 501 or 511
	9 Credits	9 Credits	8 Credits
Year Two: 25 Credits	+BLS 513Y-NT III Survey / 1 # DBS 506 or 516 CNS 508–Integrative Issues / 2 CNS 513-Soc. & Cult. Found. / 2 # CNS 501 CNS 516-Marriage Counseling / 3 # CNS 501, 505, 507	+BLS 511X-OT I Survey / 1 # DBS 506 or 516 CNS 502-Psych. Theory / 3 # CNS 501, 504 CNS 503-Family Systems / 3 # CNS 501, 504, 505, 507 CNS 524–Research in Couns. Fam. / 2	+BLS 511Y-OT II Survey / 1 # DBS 506 or 516 CNS 512–Group Counseling / 3# CNS 501 CNS 525-Tests & Meas. / 3 # CNS 524 +THS 513-Theology III Survey / 1 # THS 501 or 511
	8 Credits	9 Credits	8 Credits
Year Three: 22 Credits	+BLS 512X-OT III Survey / 1 # DBS 506 or 516 CNS 517-Child Therapy / 2 # CNS 501, 505, 507 CNS 553-Human Services / 2 <small>(offered Fall 2012)</small> CNS 530-Practicum I / 2 # CNS 501, 502, 504, 505, 506, 507	+BLS 512Y-NT I Survey / 1 # DBS 506 or 516 CNS 544-Couns. Abuse & Viol. / 3 # CNS 501, 505, 506, 507 CNS 559-Emergency Prep. / 2 CNS 531-Practicum II / 2 # CNS 530	+BLS 513X-NT II Survey / 1 # DBS 506 or 516 CNS 509-Advanced Integration / 2 # DBS 506 or 516, THS 501 or 511, CNS 508, CNS 530 CNS 529-Counseling Addictions / 2 CNS 501, 505, 507 CNS 532-Practicum III / 2 CNS 531
73 Total credits	7 Credits	8 Credits	7 Credits

All emboldened courses are prerequisites for Practicum courses.

Each student must complete 30 hours of personal therapy with a licensed therapist and complete a minimum of 225 face-to-face client hours, which can include 75 hours of client-centered advocacy.

A minimum GPA of 2.5 overall is required to graduate, with a minimum GPA of 3.0 in the major. Students are limited to receiving only 2 “C” grades in their counseling coursework. Grades of C- or below in any CNS course result in an automatic required re-take. Further, a “C” grade or below in one of the following core CNS courses (CNS 501, 505, 506, and 53X) will result in an automatic retake of the course. If the second attempt does not surpass a “C” grade, the student will be dismissed from the program. Additionally, a “C” grade in one of the student’s practicum courses will automatically activate action to initiate a remedial plan.

Please remember: Courses are typically offered only once a year in the semester specified above. If you choose to deviate from this sequence, you may delay your graduation by a year. Please consult the program advisor regularly prior to making such changes.

= Course has prerequisite, listed below course in red.

+ = Course is offered through our distance program, the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL). Please go to www.wscll.net for more information.