

<b>REQUIRED COURSES (48 hours)</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Grade</b>
COUN 501 Counselor Professional Identity, Function and Ethics	3	_____	_____
COUN 502 Human Growth and Development	3	_____	_____
COUN 503 Research and Program Evaluation	3	_____	_____
COUN 504 Social and Cultural Foundations in Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 505 <sup>1</sup> Counseling Techniques and the Helping Relationship	3	_____	_____
COUN 506 Integration of Psychology and Theology	3	_____	_____
COUN 507 Theology and Spirituality in Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 510 Theories of Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 512 <sup>1</sup> Group Process	3	_____	_____
COUN 521 Individual Appraisal	3	_____	_____
COUN 522 Career Development and Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 601 Marriage and Family Counseling I	3	_____	_____
COUN 646 Psychopathology and Counseling	3	_____	_____
COUN 667 <sup>1</sup> Clinical Diagnosis and Treatment Planning	3	_____	_____
COUN 699 Counseling Internship ( <i>may be repeated</i> )	3	_____	_____
COUN 711 Diagnosis & Treatment of Addictive Behaviors	3	_____	_____

**ELECTIVE COURSES (12 hours)**

*Choose four (4) electives from the following disciplines: COUN<sup>2</sup>, CRIS<sup>3</sup>, LIFC<sup>3</sup> and SUBS<sup>3</sup>*

_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____

**TOTAL HOURS 60**

**Graduation Requirements**

60 total hours  
 45 hours must be taken through Liberty University  
 3.0 GPA or higher  
 No more than two (2) grades of C may be applied to the degree  
 No grade of D may be applied to the degree  
 Successful completion of Comprehensive Exam  
 Degree must be completed within 7 years  
 Resident students are required to pass the graduate writing assessment or complete GRST 500  
 Online students will be required to take the graduate writing assessment  
 Submit Graduation Application at the beginning of the final semester

**Note**

<sup>1</sup>Intensive  
<sup>2</sup>Choose a 600-700 level COUN elective or COUN seminar  
<sup>3</sup>Choose a 500-700 level CRIS, LIFC or SUBS elective

### SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

#### First Semester

COUN 501	3
COUN 502	3
COUN 503	<u>3</u>
Total	9

#### Second Semester

COUN 504	3
COUN 505 <sup>1</sup>	3
COUN 510	<u>3</u>
Total	9

#### Third Semester

COUN 506	3
COUN 512 <sup>1</sup>	3
COUN 646	<u>3</u>
Total	9

#### Fourth Semester

COUN 507	3
COUN 521	3
COUN 601	<u>3</u>
Total	9

#### Fifth Semester

COUN 522	3
COUN 667 <sup>1</sup>	3
COUN 711	<u>3</u>
Total	9

#### Sixth Semester

COUN 699	3
Elective <sup>2</sup> [COUN 610] <sup>3</sup>	3
Elective <sup>2</sup> [COUN 602] <sup>3</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	9

#### Seventh Semester

Elective <sup>2</sup> [COUN 603, 604, 611, 620] <sup>3</sup>	3
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Total	6

#### **Notes:**

<sup>1</sup>Class only offered as an Intensive

<sup>2</sup>Choose a 600-700 COUN elective/seminar or a 500-700 level CRIS, LIFC, SUBS elective

<sup>3</sup>COUN 602,603, 604, 610, 611 & 620 can be used to fulfill the 60 hr requirement for LPC in VA.

These courses can be taken after the 4th semester, and may or may not be one-week intensives.

**Remember:** Students who are located in states that require 60 hours for licensure will need to research their state's requirements for necessary or required electives. Liberty University or the CCFS are not responsible to inform students of specific educational requirements for state licensure.