

<b><u>EARLY CORE COURSES (21 hours)<sup>1</sup></u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
CMHC 500	Orientation to Counselor Profession Identity & Function	3	_____	_____
CMHC 501	Ethical & Legal Issues in Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 502	Human Growth & Development	3	_____	_____
CMHC 504	Multicultural Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 505	Counseling Techniques & the Helping Relationship	3	_____	_____
CMHC 506	Integration of Spirituality & Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 510	Theories of Counseling	3	_____	_____
<b><u>ADVANCED CORE COURSES (15 hours)</u></b>				
CMHC 512	Group Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 515	Research & Program Evaluation	3	_____	_____
CMHC 521	Assessment Techniques in Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 522	Career Development & Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 646	Psychopathology & Counseling	3	_____	_____
<b><u>COUNSELING SPECIALIZATION COURSES (24 hours)</u></b>				
CMHC 601	Marriage & Family Counseling I	3	_____	_____
CMHC 602	Marriage & Family Counseling II	3	_____	_____
CMHC 603	Premarital & Marital Counseling	3	_____	_____
CMHC 610	Human Sexuality	3	_____	_____
CMHC 620	Counseling Children, Adolescents, & Families	3	_____	_____
CMHC 667	Clinical Diagnosis & Treatment Planning	3	_____	_____
CMHC 670	Comprehensive Exam-CPCE	Pass	_____	_____
CMHC 671	Comprehensive Exam-Integration	Pass	_____	_____
CMHC 698	Counseling Practicum	3	_____	_____
CMHC 699	Counseling Internship <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>60</b>		

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 60 total hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level 3.0 GPA

No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)

No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)

Successful completion of Comprehensive Exam

Liberty University course work that is more than seven years old may not be applied towards this degree. Students are required to repeat the course if it has exceeded the age limit.

Degree must be completed within 7 years

Submission of Graduation Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Program Offered in Resident Format**

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**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

<sup>1</sup>Students must successfully complete six hours of undergraduate coursework in counseling, psychology or related study and three hours in statistics. For those who did not complete these courses in their undergraduate programs, they may fulfill these prerequisite requirements during the first two semesters of the program

<sup>2</sup>May be repeated

*Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page*

Effective: Catalog Term 2017-40

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

First Semester		Second Semester	
CMHC 500	3	CMHC 504	3
CMHC 501	3	CMHC 505	3
CMHC 502	<u>3</u>	CMHC 510	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
CMHC 506	3	CMHC 521	3
CMHC 512	3	CMHC 522	3
CMHC 515	<u>3</u>	CMHC 646	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester	
CMHC 601	3	CMHC 602 <sup>1</sup>	3
CMHC 667	3	CMHC 603	3
CMHC 698	<u>3</u>	CMHC 670 <sup>2</sup>	0
Total	9	CMHC 671 <sup>2</sup>	0
		CMHC 699	<u>3</u>
		Total	9

Seventh Semester	
CMHC 610	3
CMHC 620 <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	6

**Notes**

<sup>1</sup>Course is unique to the LMFT in VA. A total of 60 semester hours with a concentration in marriage and family therapy is required for VA's LMFT.

<sup>2</sup>Counseling Comprehensive Exam prerequisites: CMHC 500, 501, 502, 504, 505, 506, 510, 512, 515, 521, 522, 646 and 667

**Remember:** Students who plan to seek licensure in a state other than Virginia after graduation will need to research their state's requirements for any additional required electives. Liberty University or the CCFS are not responsible to inform students of specific educational requirements for state licensure.