CORE COURSES (63 hours)

		Hrs	Sem	Grade
APOL 525	Pluralism & World Religions	3		
CHHI 510	Survey of the History of Christianity	3		
CHPL 500	Introduction to Chaplaincy Ministry	3		
CHPL 598	Spiritual & Professional Development of the Chaplain	3		
CHPL 615	Chaplain Ethics For Advisement & Pastoral Care	3		
CHPL 655	Chaplain Evangelism & Discipleship	3		
GLST 650	Intercultural Communication	3		
HOMI 500	Preparation of the Sermon			
or HOMI 601	Foundations of Expository Teaching & Preaching	3		
LEAD 510	Biblical Foundations of Leadership	3		
NBST 515	New Testament Orientation I	3		
NBST 520	New Testament Orientation II	3		
NBST 610	Hermeneutics	3		
NGRK 505	Greek Language Tools			
or NGRK 520	Beginning Greek I	3		
OBST 515	Old Testament Orientation I	3		
OBST 520	Old Testament Orientation II	3		
OTCL 505	Hebrew Language Tools			
or OTCL 520	Beginning Hebrew I	3		
PACO 500	Introduction to Pastoral Counseling	3		
PACO 603	Premarital & Marital Counseling	3		
RTCH 500	Research, Writing & Ministry Preparation	3		
THEO 525	Systematic Theology I	3		
THEO 530	Systematic Theology II	3		

HEALTHCARE CONCENTRATION (30 hours)

		Hrs	Sem	Grade
CHPL 645	Chaplain Resilient Leaders	3		
CHPL 681	Healthcare Chaplaincy	3		

Choose 24 credit hours from the following courses:[1]

		Hrs	Sem	Grade
CHPL 621	Mentoring for Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 1[1,2,3]	3		
CHPL 622	Mentoring for Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 2[2,3]	3		
CHPL 623	Mentoring for Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 3[2,3]	3		
CHPL 624	Mentoring for Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 4[2,3]	3		
CHPL 699	Chaplain Internship[1,2]	3		
CPED 631	Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 1[1,2,4]	6		
CPED 632	Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 2[2,4]	6		
CPED 633	Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 3[2,4]	6		
CPED 634	Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 4[2,4]	6		
CRIS 607	PTSD & Combat Related Trauma	3		
CRIS 608	Trauma Assessment & Interventions	3		
PACO 604	Crisis Intervention in Pastoral Counseling	3		
PACO 617	Theories & Techniques in Pastoral Counseling	3		
_____	Healthcare Chaplaincy Elective[5]	3		
_____	Healthcare Chaplaincy Elective[6]	3		
_____	Healthcare Chaplaincy Elective[6]	3		
	TOTAL HOURS	**93**		

Graduation Requirements

Complete 93 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
A minimum of 72 credit hours must be comprised of graded online or residential coursework from an accredited post-secondary academic institution
2.0 GPA
Degree must be completed within 10 years
Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met
[1] Student must enroll in either CHPL 621, 699, or CPED 631.
[2] 16 week A-term Course
[3] This course is online only and requires acceptance into a local CPE Program
[4] This course is only offered as a residential intensive
[5] Choose a 600 level CRIS or PACO course not already required by the degree
[6] Choose a 600 level HOMI, NBST, NGRK, OBST, or OTCL course not already required by the degree

Offered in Resident and Online Format

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester			Second Semester		
NBST 515	3		CHPL 598	3	
RTCH 500	3		OBST 515	3	
CHPL 500	3		CHHI 510	3	
NBST 520	3		OBST 520	3	
	Total 12			Total 12	

Third Semester			Fourth Semester		
NBST 610	3		HOMI 500 or 601	3	
THEO 525	3		NGRK 505 or 520	3	
CHPL 615	3		CHPL 681	3	
THEO 530	3		OTCL 505 or 520	3	
	12			Total 12	

Fifth Semester			Sixth Semester		
CHPL 621, 699, or CPED 631[1]	3-6		Elective[2]	3-6	
APOL 525	3		CHPL 645	3	
CHPL 655	3		PACO 603	3	
PACO 500	3		Elective[2,3]	3	
	Total 12-15			Total 12-15	

Seventh Semester			Eighth Semester		
Elective[2]	3-6		Elective[2]	3-6	
GLST 650	3		Elective[2]	3	
LEAD 510	3		Elective[2,3]	0-3	
Elective[2,3]	3			Total 9-12	
	Total 12-15				

Notes

[1]Course is 16 weeks

[2]See Degree Completion Plan for Elective options.

[3]Students who desire to complete a Thesis must complete RTCH 680, THES 689, and THES 690