

CORE COURSES (24 hours)

		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
PACO 500	Introduction to Pastoral Counseling ¹	3	_____	_____
PACO 501	Foundational Doctrines for Pastoral Counselors ¹	3	_____	_____
PACO 504	Multicultural Issues in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 509	Spiritual Formation in Pastoral Counseling ²	3	_____	_____
PACO 604	Crisis Intervention in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 615	Marriage & Family Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 617	Theories & Techniques in Pastoral Counseling ²	3	_____	_____
PACO 699	Pastoral Counseling Internship ^{3,4}	3	_____	_____

PASTORAL COUNSELING COGNATE (12 hours)

Choose four of the following courses:

PACO 506	Integration of Psychology & Theology	3	_____	_____
PACO 507	Theology & Spirituality in Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 625	Healthy Sexuality	3	_____	_____
PACO 630	Gerontology & Counseling	3	_____	_____
PACO 687	Counseling Women	3	_____	_____
TOTAL HOURS		36	_____	_____

Graduation Requirements

Complete 36 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

2.5 GPA

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

Liberty University course work that is more than 10 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 5 years

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

Offered in Resident and Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹PACO 500 and 501 are required first entry courses for all students in this degree.

²Intensive Format Optional

³May register for PACO 699 after successfully completing 21 hours

⁴Background check clearance required

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
PACO 500 ¹	3	PACO 509 ²	3
PACO 501 ¹	3	PACO 604	3
PACO 504	<u>3</u>	PACO 615	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

<u>Third Semester</u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
PACO 617 ²	3	PACO 699 ^{4,5}	3
Elective ³	3	Elective ³	3
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Total	9	Total	9

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³Choose four courses from PACO 506, 507, 625, 630 or 687

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