

Doctor of Philosophy in Psychology (Ph.D.)

Behavioral Health Leadership Concentration

2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

CORE COURSES (21 hours)			<u>Sem</u>	Grade
PSYC 510	Research Methods & Statistics I	3	<u> </u>	
PSYC 515	Research Methods & Statistics II	3		
PSYC 700	Foundations of Doctoral Study in Psychology	3		
PSYC 710	Psychological Research & Biblical Worldview ¹	3		
PSYC 775	Teaching of Psychology	3		
PSYC 810	Advanced Research: Qualitative Research & Analysis	3		
PSYC 815	Advanced Research: Quantitative Research & Analysis	3		
BEHAVIOR	AL HEALTH LEADERSHIP CONCENTRATION (21 hours)			
PSYC 718	Theories & Research in Behavioral Health	3		
PSYC 780	Strategic Planning & Management	3		
PSYC 828	Contemporary Topics in Behavioral Health ¹	3		
PSYC 840	Leadership & Development	3		
Choose three o	of the following courses:			
PSYC 800	Grant Writing	3		
PSYC 802	Program Evaluation	3		
PSYC 847	Organizational Consulting & Change	3		
PSYC 857	Behavioral Healthcare Policy & Governance	3		
PSYC 858	Healthcare Financial Management	3		
DISSERTATI	ION COURSES (18 hours)			
PSYC 870	Prospectus: Developing the Dissertation Concept ¹	3		
PSYC 987	Dissertation I ²	5		
PSYC 988	Dissertation II ²	5		
PSYC 989	Dissertation III ²	5		
PSYC 990	Dissertation Defense	0		
	TOTAL HOURS	60		

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 hours

A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree 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 grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree Degree must be completed within 7 years

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

Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Intensive Format optional.

²PSYC 987, 988, and 989 can each be repeated one time to meet milestone.

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

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First Semester			Second Semester		
PSYC 510		3	PSYC 515		3
PSYC 700		3	PSYC 710 ^{1,2}		3
PSYC 718		<u>3</u>	PSYC 780		3
	Total	9		Total	9
Third Semester			Fourth Semester		
PSYC 815		3	PSYC 775		3
PSYC 840		3	PSYC 828		3
PSYC Elective ³		<u>3</u>	PSYC Elective ³		3
	Total	9		Total	9

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

Fifth Semester			Sixth Semester	
PSYC 810		3	PSYC 987 ⁴	
PSYC 8701		3		Total
PSYC Elective ³		<u>3</u>		
	Total	9		

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Seventh Semester			Eighth Semester		
PSYC 988 ⁴		<u>5</u>	PSYC 989 ⁴		5
	Total	5	PSYC 990		0
				Total	5

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²Must be taken within the first year.

³Choose from the following courses: PSYC 800, 802, 847, 857, or 858.

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