**M.S. in Counseling Degree Plan**

# Department of Educational Leadership & Counseling, Texas A&M University – Kingsville

**Specialization**: 🞎 Clinical Mental HealthCounseling (60 Hours) 🞎 School Counseling Certification\* (48 Hours)

🞎 DualSpecialization(60 Hours CMHC & School Counseling Certification)

🞎 Initial Plan 🞎 Revised Plan 🞎 Final Plan Date:

Name: Student ID #

Address: City: State: Zip Code:

Phone (Home): Work:

Test Scores: GRE V Q MAT Undergrad. GPA: Student Email:

**MAJOR: Counseling Core and Specialization (60 Hours)**

60 hours – Core Requirements

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| **Date Taken** | **Core Requirements *(54 Hours)*** |  | **Date Taken** | **Specialization/Resources *(6 Hours)*** |
|  | **EDCG 5310** Intro to Counseling and Ethics\* (3) |  | **EDCG 5358** School Counseling Techniques\*  Summer only |
|  | **EDCG 5311** Theories of Counseling\* (3) |  | **EDCG 5354** Program Development for   School Counselors\* Summer only |
|  | **EDCG 5329** Research in Counseling\* (3) |  | **EDCG 5360** Community/Rural Mental   Health Counseling (RMH Emphasis) |
|  | **EDCG 5339** Human Growth & Development\* (3) |
|  | **EDCG 5312** Counseling Techniques\* (3) |  | **EDCG 5362** Leadership & Advocacy in   Rural Communities (RMH Emphasis) |
|  | **EDCG 5324** Assessment in Counseling\* (3) |
|  | **EDCG 5321** Abnormal Human Behavior\* (3) |  | **EDCG 5341** Sp. Topics: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | **EDCG 5315** Ethics and Legal Issues\* (3) |
|  | **EDCG** ***5341*** Diagnosis in Counseling (3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5355** Vocational Career Counseling\* (3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5323** Group Counseling\* (3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5347** Multicultural Counseling\* (3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5364** Crisis Counseling\* (3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5357** Field Practicum\* (3) Fall & Spring Only |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5322** Substance Abuse Counseling (3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5366** Internship I (3) Fall & Spring Only |  |  |
|  | **EDCG *5341*** Marriage and Family Counseling(3) |  |  |
|  | **EDCG 5368** Internship II (3) Fall & Spring Only |  |  |

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| **Sixty (60) semester hours must be completed for LPC licensure.**  **All comprehensive exams, once passed are good for one year.**  **All “I” grades must be removed within 12 months.**  **Independent Study requests must meet strict guidelines for approval.**  **The student must submit standardized test scores during the first semester of enrollment (GRE, GRE Advanced Education Test, or MAT).**  **Please follow the suggested course sequences.**  **Students must take Abnormal before Diagnosis.** | **All degree work must be completed within 5 years.**  **This form must be filed within the first 12 credit hours.**  **The Research Project Manuscript must be filed with the Dean of Graduate Studies.**  **All work must be coordinated through the advisor.**  **Students who wish to take the School Counselor Exam must take EDCG 5358.**  **A total of 700 cumulative hours (280 direct and 420 indirect) must be completed throughout field experience (EDCG 5357, 5366, 5368)** |

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**Advisor’s Signature Student’s Signature**

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**Graduate Coordinator’s Signature REVISED 8/16/18**