

M.S. in Counseling Degree Plan

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

Specialization: Clinical Mental Health Counseling (60 Hours) School Counseling Certification* (48)
 Dual Specialization (60 Hours CMHC & School Counseling Certification)

Initial Plan Revised Plan Final Plan Date: _____
 Name: _____ Student ID # K
 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

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) (Spring & Fall Only)		EDCG 5354 Program Development for School Counselors Summer Only
	EDCG 5329 Research in Counseling (3) (Spring & Fall Only)		EDCG 5360 Community/Rural Mental Health Counseling (Summer & Fall Only)
	EDCG 5339 Human Growth & Development (3)		
	EDCG 5312 Counseling Techniques (3)		EDCG 5362 Leadership & Advocacy in Rural Communities (Summer & Spring Only)
	EDCG 5324 Assessment in Counseling (3) (Spring & Fall Only)		EDCG 5341 Sp. Topics: Sandtray Therapy (Summer Only)
	EDCG 5321 Abnormal Human Behavior (3)		EDCG 5341 Sp. Topics: _____
	EDCG 5315 Ethics and Legal Issues (3)		
	EDCG 5345 Diagnosis in Counseling (3) (Spring & Fall Only)		
	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 5350 Marriage and Family Counseling (3)		
	EDCG 5368 Internship II (3) Fall & Spring Only		

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)

 Advisor's Signature

 Student's Signature

 Graduate Coordinator's Signature