

Degree Plan

Professional School Counseling (2 ½ Year Program)

Online 60-hour plan of study

Fall Year One

- *CTM 5019 – Techniques of Counseling and Psychotherapy (Requires a 1-week face to face intensive)
- *CTM 5005- Foundations of School Counseling
- *CTM 5310 Psychometrics and Assessment or CTM 5170 Vocational Discernment & Counseling (whichever is offered; both courses are required)
- *CTM 5007 -- Pre-practicum

Spring Year One

- *CTM 5006-- Issues, Ethics, & Evaluation of School Counseling Programs
- *CTM 5015-- Spirituality and Theories of Human Development
- *CTM 5016-- Diversity & Social Justice in the Clinical Encounter
- *CTM 5020-- Theories of Counseling & Psychotherapy

Summer Year One

- *CTM 5220 – Therapy with Children & Adolescents (Requires a 2-day face-to-face intensive)
- **EDU 6580 Introduction to the English Language; EDU 5025 Literacy, Culture, and Community; EDU 6580 Introduction to English Learners or another ***approved education course

Fall Year Two

- *CTM 5210 Group Dynamics & Therapy (Requires a 3-day face-to-face intensive)
- *CTM 5018- Theories & Methods of Psychotherapy Research
- *CTM 6010- Practicum in Mental Health Counseling (School Counseling Section)
- *CTM 5310 Psychometrics and Assessment or CTM 5170 Vocational Discernment & Counseling (whichever has not been taken yet. Both courses are required)

Spring Year Two

- *CTM 6110-Internship in Counseling I (School Counseling Section)
- *CTM 5410-Family Systems Theory

Education or Counseling Elective (including: **EDU 5800 Intro. To Exceptional Learners or another ***approved education course, CTM 5011 Foundations, CTM 5017 Christian Ethics in the Clinical Encounter, CTM 5120 Diagnosis and Treatment of Addictions, CTM 5130 Marriage and Family Therapy Skills, or another counseling or education course selected with advisor approval).

**** (Students with teaching experience may choose another elective)**

Summer Year Two

*CTM 5014-Diagnosis & Treatment of Mental Disorders (Requires a 3-day face-to-face intensive)

*Comprehensive Exam Occurs

Fall Year Three

*CTM 6210-Internship in Counseling II (School Counseling Section)

*EDU 5010-Contemporary Issues in Education; EDU 5630 Leadership in Communication and Collaboration in Special Education or another ***approved education course

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Advisor signature/date

*Required for all students ** Required for students without teaching education/experience

***Recommended EDU Courses for school counselors:

- EDU 5010 Contemporary Issues
- EDU 5110 Advanced Educational Psychology
- EDU 5800 Introduction to Exceptional Learners
- EDU 6580 Introduction to English Learners
- EDU 5025 Literacy, Culture, and Community
- EDU 5630 Leadership in Communication and Collaboration in Special Education
- EDU 5605 Advanced Study of Lifespan Growth, Development and Disability