



Ph.D. in Counseling

PhD in Counseling with a Specialization in Marriage and Family Therapy

Required Quarter Credits: 93 (Equivalent to 62 Semester Credits)	
Course Titles	Credits
Prerequisite courses <i>Courses may be transferred from another graduate program once evaluated and accepted by the Program Director. Alternatively, courses can be taken from the MA Program concurrently prior to starting Practicum and Dissertation.</i>	
CFT 6010: Foundations of Marriage and Family Therapy	4.5
CFT 6060: Psychopathology: Principles of the Diagnostic Process	4.5
CFT 6080: Assessment, Appraisal, and Psychological Testing	4.5
CFT 6050: Clinical Research and Evaluation	4.5
CFT 6040: Group Therapy Process and Techniques	4.5
HST 6000: Human Sexuality Education I	4.5
Foundational Requirements: Coursework - <i>Courses and clinical requirements may be transferred from another graduate program once evaluated and accepted by the Program Director. Alternatively, courses can be taken from the MA Program concurrently prior to starting Practicum and Dissertation.</i>	
CFT 6090: Human Growth and Family Development Across the LifeSpan	4.5
CFT 6700: Abuse, Trauma, and Collaborative Care	4.5
CFT 6300: Diversity and Multicultural Counseling	4.5
CFT 7000: Counseling and Psychotherapeutic Theories and Techniques: IPCST	4.5
CFT 6500: Chemical Dependency and Addiction Counseling	4.5
CFT 6030: Couples Relationship Therapy	4.5
CFT 6600: Law, Professional Ethics, and Community Practice & Teletherapy	4.5
CFT 6070: Psychopharmacology	4.5
ACA 1: Advanced Research	
CFT 9000: PhD Research Methods I: Quantitative Research	4.5

CFT 9100: PhD Research Methods II: Qualitative Research	4.5
CFT 9200: PhD Research Publication Writing	4.5
ACA 2: Advanced Relational/Systemic Clinical Theory	
CFT 8700: Advanced Marriage and Family Therapy	4.5
ACA 3: Advanced Relational/Systemic Applications to Contemporary Challenges	
CFT 9750: MFT Professional Practice and Applications to Contemporary Challenges	4.5
ACA 4: Foundations of Relational/Systemic Teaching, Supervision, Consultation &/or Leadership	
CFT 9800: Supervision of Supervision (Supervisor Training)	4.5
CFT 9900: Fundamentals of Teaching and Professional Development Seminar	4.5
Advanced Practical Experience Component: <i>Must have at least 2 experiences for at least 9 months total</i>	
CFT 9600: Ph.D. Dissertation I	4.5
CFT 9600: Ph.D. Dissertation II	4.5
CFT 9600: Ph.D. Dissertation III	4.5
CFT 9600: Ph.D. Dissertation IV	4.5
CFT 9810: Supervision Practicum	4.5
CFT 9550: Teaching Practicum	3
Clinical Foundational Requirements	
<i>*Students who have not met the Foundational Clinical Component prior to entering the Ph.D. program must register for CFT 7900B continuously until the requirements have been met.</i>	
CFT 7900B: Practicum in Couples and Family Therapy	18 (4)
CFT 7900A: Practicum in Couples and Family Therapy	4.5 (1)
1. 300 Clinical hrs (100 hrs of Relational Cases) 2. 100 Supervision hours • 50 hours: Raw data at least (e.g., audio, video, etc.) • Group Supervision: Up to 8 people, Individual Supervision: Up to 2 people	
Total Credits	93 (21)

Ph.D. General Electives

No.	Course Titles	Credits
1	CFT 6300: Diversity and Multicultural Counseling	4.5
2	CFT 6050: Clinical Research and Evaluation	4.5
3	CFT 6060: Psychopathology: Principles of the Diagnostic Process	4.5
4	IRT 7000: Foundations of Imago Relationship Therapy	4.5

5	CFT 6030: Couples Relationship Therapy	4.5
6	HST 8100: Human Sexuality Education II	4.5
7	CFT 6070: Psychopharmacology	4.5
8	CFT 6080: Assessment, Appraisal, and Psychological Testing	4.5
9	CFT 6090: Human Growth and Family Development Across the Life Span	4.5
10	CFT 6500: Chemical Dependency and Addiction Counseling	4.5
11	CFT 6600: Law, Professional Ethics, and Community Practice & Teletherapy	4.5
12	CFT 6700: Abuse, Trauma, and Collaborative Care	4.5
13	CFT 7900B: Practicum in Couples and Family Therapy	4.5
14	CFT 9250: Self of the Therapist	4.5
15	CFT 9900: Professional Development Seminar	3
16	CFT 9300: Spirituality and Psychotherapy	4.5
17	CFT 9350: Christian Counseling	4.5
18	CFT 9400: Inner Child Therapy	4.5
19	CFT 9450: Carl Rogers Seminar	4.5
20	CFT 9550: Teaching Practicum	3