

GRADUATE PROGRAM IN COUNSELING

Program Outcomes Report for 2023-2024 Academic Year

Mission

Our mission, as a Christ-centered program, is to educate invested and caring individuals who will serve in a variety of settings as counselors characterized by integrity, humility, skillfulness, and understanding. We desire that these professionals will be leaders who facilitate healing, growth, reconciliation and spiritual well-being for diverse people.

- I. Program Updates: Coming
- II. <u>Student Data/Vital Statistics</u>

CMHC = Clinical Mental Health Counseling (MA) SCH = School Counseling (MA) MCFC = Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling (MA) CAGS = Certificate of Advanced Graduate Studies (not CACREP accredited)

A. Enrollment (End of Academic Year 23-24 Snapshot)

СМНС	SCH	MCFC	TOTAL
185	37	24	246

B. Graduates (December 2023 to August 2024)

СМНС	SCH	MCFC	TOTAL
52	17	17	86

C. <u>Completion Rate*</u> (Master's students who completed the program)

СМНС	SCH	MCFC
68.5%	78.2%	69.5%

* 3-year average of completion rates for students who began in 2015, 2016, and 2017 fiscal years

D. National Counselor Exam (NCE) 2023-2024 Academic Year

Historically, students in all three tracks of the Counseling program have taken the National Counselor Exam before graduation.

	Tested	Passed	Pass Rate
Fall 23	39	38	97%
Spring 24	15	14	93%

Pass rates by track: School Counseling 4 of 4 (100%), Marriage Couple and Family Counseling 8 of 8 (100%), and Clinical Mental Health Counseling 44 of 46 (96%)

E. <u>Praxis II</u>

Professional School Counselor exam required of School Counseling students in order to become certified school counselors in Pennsylvania.

During the 2023-2024 academic year, 100% of the students who took the Praxis II exam passed.

F. Job Placement Rate for graduates of Master's programs 6 or more months after degree completion in counseling positions (based on 2024 Alumni Survey). Excludes those not seeking counseling positions.

Clinical Mental Health Counseling N= 87	School Counseling N=40	Marriage Couple and Family Counseling N=20
100%	100%	100%

III. Demographics

A. Counseling Student by Gender and Ethnicity, snapshot at the end of 2023 academic year (Master's only):

TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS	
GENDER	
Female	202
Male	44
ETHNIC BACKGROUND	
Asian / Asian-American	6
Black / African-American	28
Hispanic, Latino/a, inc. Spain	26
Multi-Ethnic / 2 or more races	8
White / Non-Hispanic	171

B. <u>Geography:</u> The Counseling Program has students in 36 U.S. states. Pennsylvania has the most students with 171. New York, Maryland, New Jersey, North Carolina, Washington and Florida have the next most students.