

SCHOOL COUNSELING CERTIFICATE POST-M.A.

This program is designed to meet the requirements set forth by the New Jersey Department of Education for certification as a school counselor. The program is designed for those who already have or are receiving a graduate degree in the helping profession but who desire to either re-specialize or dual specialize in school counseling.

Admission

Candidates for admission must have earned their graduate degree from a regionally accredited university. Application requirements and deadlines follow those established for the on-campus M.A. in School Counseling. Students may begin coursework during Fall, Spring, or Summer terms. A completed graduate application and official transcripts of all graduate and undergraduate work must be received by the Office of Graduate Admissions.

The curriculum for the certificate follows the same curriculum as that for the M.A. in School Counseling (see below). The program director will review each student's transcripts in order to evaluate course equivalencies. Courses where an equivalent course has not been taken will need to be completed in the program.

| Code | Title | Hours |
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| Counseling Core | | |
| CPSY 6002 | Counseling Theory | 3 |
| CPSY 6103 | Abnormal Psychology | 3 |
| CPSY 6301 | Career Development-Counseling | 3 |
| CPSY 6316 | Group Counseling | 3 |
| CPSY 6003 | Counseling Skills | 3 |
| Assessment | | |
| CPSY 6005 | Appraisal and Assmt in Counslg | 3 |
| Psychological Foundations | | |
| CPSY 6102 | Psychology-Human Devl | 3 |
| CPSY 6505 | Prin Learn-Behavior Mod | 3 |
| Sociological Foundations | | |
| CPSY 8100 | Multicultural Couns-Psychology | 3 |
| CPSY 6303 | Counseling-Community Agencies | 3 |
| Research | | |
| CPSY 7101 | Research Methods | 3 |
| Supervised Experience | | |
| CPSY 7310 | Practicum Counseling * | 3 |
| CPSY 7380 | Internship-Counseling * | 3 |
| CPSY 7381 | Internship Counseling II * | 3 |
| Professional Orientation | | |
| CPSY 6305 | Couns and Superv in Sch Settin | 3 |
| CPSY 7001 | Counselor Ethics in Practice | 3 |
| Total Hours | | 48 |

* Prerequisites required. See program handbook or adviser for more information