

Ottawa University - Master of Arts in Counseling

PROGRAM APPROVAL INFO: Board approved date 10/07/16 for applicants beginning the program during the Early Summer 2016 semester or later and completing the approved program. Approval expiration date 10/06/2026.

| CORE CONTENT AREA | COURSE CODE | COURSE TITLE |
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| Professional orientation and ethical practice | PYF 8012 | Professional and Ethical Issues in Counseling |
| Social and cultural diversity | PYC 7422 | Identities and Experiences (previously Social and Cultural Concerns in Counseling) * |
| Human growth and development | PYC 7832 | Human Growth and Development |
| Career development | PYC 7822 | Life Planning and Career Development |
| Helping relationship* | PYF 7132 | Counseling in the Helping Professions |
| | PYC 7922 | Counseling Theories |
| Group work | PYC 7932 | Group Counseling and Dynamics |
| Assessment** | PYC 8040 | Advanced Psychodiagnostics and Treatment Planning |
| | PYC 7802 | Psychological Testing |
| Research and program evaluation | PYF 7162 | Methods and Models of Research |

* Both PYF 7132 and PYC 7922 must be taken to meet the core content area requirement

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| OTHER APPROVED COUNSELING RELATED COURSES (continued on pg 2) | COURSE CODE | COURSE TITLE |
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| | ACG 8100 | Appraisal, Assessment & Treatment Planning in Addictions Counseling |
| | ACG 8200 | Psychopharmacology and Addictions Counseling |
| | ACG 8300 | Co-Occurring Disorders |
| | ACG 8400/ PYC 8082 | Fundamentals of Treatment of Trauma, Abuse, and Deprivation |
| | ACG 8500 | Addictions Counseling in Family Systems |
| | PYC 7392 | Perspectives on Aging |
| | PYC 7852 | Abnormal Psychology |
| | PYC 7862 | Biological Bases of Abnormal Behavior |
| | PYC 8092 | Integration of Psychology and Christianity |
| | PYC 8112 | Theory and Techniques in Marriage and Family Counseling |

| OTHER APPROVED COUNSELING RELATED COURSES (cont'd) | COURSE CODE | COURSE TITLE |
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| | PYC 8122 | Human Sexual Behavior (previously Human Sexuality) * |
| | PYC 8132 | Expressive Arts Therapies |
| | PYC 8142 | Introduction to Substance Abuse, Addictions and Related Disorders |
| | PYC 8172 | Applications and Integration of Expressive Arts Therapies |
| | PYC 8202 | Legal and Ethical Issues in Family Therapy and Family Law |
| | PYC 8212 | Family Systems Theory |
| | PYC 8222 | Advanced Techniques in Marriage and Family Therapy |
| | PYC 8262 | Advanced Group Therapy: A Systems Approach |
| | PYC 8272 | Family and Societal Gender Issues |
| | PYC 8282 | Child and Adolescent Therapy |
| | PYC 8312 | Principles, Techniques, and Practice in Expressive Arts Therapy |
| | PYC 8342 | Clinical Issues in Expressive Arts |
| | PYC 8372 | Counseling Adults II: Late Adulthood |
| | PYC 8392 | Sex Therapy |
| | PYC 8410 | Children and Complex Trauma |
| | PYC 8422 | Clinical Assessment and Treatment of Trauma, Abuse, and Deprivation |
| | PYC 8424 | Assessment and Treatment TAD Child |
| | PYC 8442 | Advanced Clinical Applications in Trauma, Abuse, and Deprivation |
| | PYC 8452 | Wellness Counseling |
| | PYC 8552 | Advanced Special Topics: Counseling |

IMPORTANT:

Program must include a practicum providing 700 hours of supervised clinical hours as prescribed in A.A.C. R4-6-501(E.) and 60 semester credit hours total.

*Effective February 2025, PYC 7422 Social and Cultural Concerns in Counseling was changed to PYC 7422 Identities and Experiences & PYC 8122 Human Sexuality was changed to PYC 8122 Human Sexual Behavior