Counseling Program Professional Outcomes

Through Academic Year 2014-2015

Degrees Awarded and Grade Point Averages
Last year, fourteen Counseling Program candidates completed a Master’s of Science Degree in Counseling, with two specializing in School Counseling and twelve specializing in Clinical Mental Health Counseling.

### Degrees Awarded, GPA

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Academic Year</th>
<th>School Counseling Completers</th>
<th>Clinical Mental Health Counseling Completers</th>
<th>Dual Option Completers (Both SC and CMHC)</th>
<th>Graduate Degrees (MS) Awarded</th>
<th>Average GPA</th>
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<tr>
<td>2014-2015</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>12</td>
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<td>2</td>
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<td>2008-2009</td>
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Supervised Field Work and Clinical Practice
The Counseling Program maintains a strong presence in the greater community for clinical practice during professional preparation. Graduates completing requirements for the Master of Science degree during the 2014-2015 academic year logged at least 14000 clock hours in supervised field experiences.

### Clock Hours of Supervised Field Work by AY 2013/2014 Program Completers

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Track</th>
<th>AY15 Degree Completers</th>
<th>Required Clock Hours</th>
<th>Total Hours for AY14 Degree Completers</th>
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<tr>
<td>School</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>700 hrs</td>
<td>1400</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mental Health</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>1000 hrs</td>
<td>12000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dual Option</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>1600 hrs</td>
<td>0</td>
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<tr>
<td>Post-Masters Studies in School Counseling</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>1 (MH degree AY2010)</td>
<td>600</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>700-1600 clock hrs</td>
<td>14000</td>
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Data Source: Counseling Program Records

Enrollment and Degree Completion Rates
The Counseling Program is designed for students to be able to complete degree requirements within two to three years depending the student’s selected focus: two years for full time School Counseling, two and one half years for full time Clinical Mental Health, and three years for those completing both tracks (Dual track). Part-time students tend to take an average of four years to complete the program requirements.

### Counseling Program Retention and Completion Rates

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Counseling Program Year Entered</th>
<th># of Students Entering</th>
<th>2-yr Completion Rate</th>
<th>3-yr Completion Rate</th>
<th>4-year Completion Rate</th>
<th>5-year Completion Rate</th>
<th>Still Enrolled</th>
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<td>N/A</td>
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<td>N/A</td>
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<td>2013-2014</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>12.5%</td>
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<td>64.7%</td>
<td>82.4%</td>
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<td>2009-2010</td>
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### Pass Rates for Licensure and Degree Completion Exams

In addition to comprehensive exams, all students enrolled in the School Counseling Track are required to complete a School Counseling Licensure Portfolio, which is a comprehensive State assessment that draws primarily from the candidate’s internship experiences and course assignments aligned with School Counseling standards.

Counseling program students are not required to take the National Counselor Examination (NCE) for program completion. However, many states require passing NCE scores for licensure, including the State of Vermont. Therefore, students are encouraged to take the NCE during their final semester if they wish to pursue licensure as a Clinical Mental Health Counselor.

### Pass Rates: Oral Comprehensive Exam, Education State Licensure Portfolio, National Counselor Examinations

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<tr>
<th>Academic Year</th>
<th>Number of Oral Exams Taken</th>
<th>Pass Rate Oral Exams</th>
<th>Number of Portfolios Initiated</th>
<th>Pass Rate State School Licensure Portfolios</th>
<th>Number of NCE Tests Taken</th>
<th>Pass Rate of NCE</th>
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Data Source: Counseling Program Records and National Board for Certified Counselors
Job Placement Rate
The Counseling Program’s placement data reflects those program graduates who have self-reported employment. Percentages reflect known employment within the field in which they were prepared.

Counseling Program Job Placement Data

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<tr>
<th>Academic Year Completing Program Requirements</th>
<th>School Track Completers</th>
<th>Mental Health Track Completers</th>
<th>Dual Option Completers</th>
<th># Not Seeking Employment</th>
<th># No Information</th>
<th># Employed in Field</th>
<th>Employment Rate for Those Seeking Employment in the Field</th>
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