

**M.A. in Counseling
Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Kutztown University**

Program Criteria – 60 Credits	Credits	Semester	Year	Grade
Core I. Common (18 credits)				
COU 518 Professional Orientation and Ethics in Mental Health COU.				
COU 519 Intercultural Issues in Counseling				
COU 530 Fundamentals of Counseling				
COU 535 Career Counseling Issues Across the Life Span				
COU 546 Group Processes Seminar*				
COU 548 Counseling Theories Seminar				
Core II. Research (6 credits)**				
COU 507 Tests and Assessment in Counseling AND				
COU 508 Research Methods in Counseling (Prerequisite: COU 507)				
Core III. Program Core (15 credits)				
PSY 530 Life Span Development OR COU 565 Human Growth and Development				
PSY 546 Psychopathology OR COU 510 Diagnosis and Treatment Planning				
COU 562 Introduction to Problems of Addiction				
COU 554 Counseling and Family Systems OR				
COU 544 Contemporary Issues in Marriage and Family Counseling				
COU 575 Psychological Trauma and Addiction OR COU 532 Trauma Counseling				
Core IV. Specialty Area (12 credits)				
COU OR Courses as approved by advisor.				
Core V. Clinical Experience (9 credits)				
COU 580 Practicum in Counseling# (100 Hours)				
COU 594 Field Experience (Fall)				
COU 594 Field Experience (Spring) (600 Hours Total)				
Transfer Credits				

Advisor: _____

*This Course has prerequisites. Check graduate Course catalogue for prerequisites for this Course.

**Substitution permitted with prior advisor approval only.

#All Core I must be completed as prerequisite. Practicum completed during spring semester prior to fall and spring sequence of internship.

Check State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors for most current information for requirements for Licensed Professional Counselor.