HOUSTON CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY DEGREE PLAN
MASTER OF ARTS (MA) IN MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPY
CATALOG YEAR: 2024-2025

NAME: _____ **H#:** _____ **DATE:** _____

Candidates for a MA in Marriage & Family Therapy must complete a total of at least 60 credit hours along with the following requirements:

- No more than 6 semester hours on transfer from another college or university
- No grade below a "C"
- Cumulative GPA of at least 3.00

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

COURSE #	COURSE NAME	HOURS
	PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING CORE CLASSES	
COUN 5310	Ethical and Legal Issues in Counseling	3
COUN 5316	Human Growth & Development	3
COUN 5317	Multicultural Counseling	3
COUN 5318	Counseling Skills & Techniques	3
COUN 5319	Spirituality, Theology, & Counseling	3
COUN 5320	Theories of Counseling	3
COUN 5321	Group Counseling & Psychotherapy	3
COUN 6310	Clinical Psychopathology	3
COUN 6320	Research Design & Program Evaluation	3
COUN 6321	Career Counseling & Lifestyle Development	3
COUN 6323	Crisis Response & Trauma Care	3
COUN 6324	Substance Abuse and Addictive Disorders	3
	MARRIAGE & FAMILY CORE	
COUN 6322	Marriage & Family Counseling	3
COUN 6328	Premarital Counseling & Marital Enrichment	3
COUN 6329	Assessment & Counseling with Couples & Families	3
COUN 6341	Counseling Children, Adolescents & Families	3
COUN 6391	Counseling Practicum	3
COUN 6392 or COUN 6394	Counseling Internship I or Counseling Internship: Study Abroad Experience	3
COUN 6393 or COUN 6394	Counseling Internship II or Counseling Internship: Study Abroad Experience	3
	MARRIAGE & FAMILY ELECTIVE (CHOOSE ONE)	
	COUN 6326 Human Sexuality COUN 6304 Gender Issues & Differences	3
	TOTAL HOURS IN DEGREE	**60**

BY SIGNING BELOW, YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL REQUIREMENTS ON THE DEGREE PLAN. THIS DEGREE PLAN IS NOT VALID UNTIL RECEIVED & PROCESSED BY THE OFFICE OF ACADEMIC RECORDS.

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STUDENT SIGNATURE **DATE**

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ACADEMIC ADVISOR **DATE**

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DEAN OF COLLEGE **DATE**

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