



HBIU
COLLEGE OF
CHRISTIAN COUNSELING
& PSYCHOLOGY

Master of Arts in Christian Counseling & Psychology (Clinical Mental Health Counseling)

| SEMESTER 1 |
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| Orientation to Counselor Profession Identity & Function |
| Ethical & Legal Issues in Counseling |
| Human Growth & Development |
| Multicultural Counseling |
| Counseling Techniques & the Helping Relationship |
| Theories of Counseling |
| Assessment and Diagnosis |
| Group Counseling |
| Research & Program Evaluation |

| ASSESSMENT |
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| Counseling Practicum |
| Counseling Internship/Field Experience |
| Thesis |

| SEMESTER 2 |
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| Assessment Techniques in Counseling |
| Career Development |
| Lifestyle Assessment |
| Psychopathology |
| Theories of Family Systems |
| Crisis Counseling |
| Clinical Diagnosis |
| Clinical Treatment Planning |
| Substance Abuse: Diagnosis, Treatment & Prevention |
| Human Sexuality |
| Social Work Dynamics |
| The Ministry of Christian Counseling |
| Pastoral Psychotherapy |

Grading System

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| A - Excellent |
| B - Very Good |
| C - Good |
| D - Fairly Good |
| F - Fail |

*Although the average Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) is 2.0, students are to strive for excellence in each course.

Cost

- Effective February 2022 from our Financial Department
- Associate Degree - \$10,000 (USD) – After Scholarship – \$3,500
- Bachelor's Degree - \$30,000 (USD) – After Scholarship – \$4,500
- Master's Degree - \$40,000 (USD) – After Scholarship – \$5,500
- PhD Degree - \$100,000 (USD) – After Scholarship - \$6,500
- These can be paid in full or via monthly installments.

Manuscript

- Towards the end of the Associate & Bachelor's programs, students will be required to formulate a manuscript highlighting a summary of what was learnt from each course in this degree program.
- Students are to state how each course benefited them, and their missions thereafter.
- Each manuscript is to be ten (10) pages in length.
- Students will then be required to submit their manuscripts to be graded by the Professor.

Thesis/Dissertation

- Towards the end of the Master's & PhD programs, students will be required to formulate a thesis (Master's) or a dissertation (PhD).
- Students are to state how each course benefited them, and their missions thereafter.
- Thesis papers are to be seventy-five (75) pages in length while dissertation papers are to be one hundred and fifty (150) pages in length.
- Students will then be required to submit their papers to be graded by the Professor.

Practicum

- Towards the end of the program, students will be required to engage in an intensive practicum.
- Each student will be supervised by a professional.
- The professional will be provided with a checklist.
- When the practicum is complete, the professional is to give an honest report of the student's performance.
- This component is to ensure that the student demonstrates a practical application within the field of Christian Counseling & Psychology.

Graduation

- There will be a Graduation Ceremony at the end of the program. This event will be held virtually. Students will be required to be impeccably dressed in their graduation attire.