

Horizon College & Seminary Program Form 2024-2025
Master of Arts – Clinical Pastoral Counselling

Student: _____

CORE COURSES		Term	Grade	Credit Hours
Bible and Theology (18 credit hours total)				
BI/TS	Interpreting God's Word ¹			3
BI/TS	Theological Foundations ²			3
BI/TS	Old Testament (OT) elective			3
BI/TS	New Testament (NT) elective			3
BI/TS	Bible (BI / OT / NT), Theology or Church History (TS) electives (2 courses @ 3 credit hours each)			6
Counselling (18 credit hours total)				
CP	Counselling Theory and Techniques			3
CP	Ethical and Legal Issues in Counselling			3
CP	Assessment in Counselling			3
CP	Counselling Skills Lab ³			3
CP	Integration of Theology and Counselling			3
CP	Psychopathology – Recognizing Common Mental Health Disorders			3
Electives and Practica (12 credit hours total)				
	Two Open Electives (see counselling electives below)			6
	Counselling Practicum I (125 hours) ⁴			3
	Counselling Practicum II (125 hours) ⁵			3
Summative Assessment⁶				P/F

Counselling Electives

Pastoral Care and Counselling	3
Crisis, Trauma, and Grief Counselling	3
Group Dynamics and Counselling	3
Human Growth and Development	3
Marriage and Family Counselling	3
Addictions Counselling	3

Program Summary

Current

Bible OR Theology	18
Counselling	18
Electives & Practica	12
Total Credits Required	48

¹ Students who already have an advanced undergraduate course in hermeneutics should choose a different elective in any area related to this degree.

² Students who have a similar course from their undergraduate degree should choose a different elective in any area related to this degree.

³ Pre-requisites: Ethical and Legal Issues in Counselling; Counselling Theory and Techniques.

⁴ Pre-requisites: Ethical and Legal Issues in Counselling; Counselling Theory and Techniques; Counselling Skills Lab. Students must complete at least 30 credit hours in their program (10/16 courses) before being eligible to apply for practicum.

⁵ Pre-requisites: Ethical and Legal Issues in Counselling; Counselling Theory and Techniques; Counselling Skills Lab; Counselling Practicum I

⁶ Students must complete the Summative Assessment to complete their program and graduate. This requirement will be documented as a Pass/Fail.