



## SFBC&TS COURSE BREAKDOWN

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### *Master of Arts (M.A.) degree in Pastoral Counseling*

Degree Prerequisite: Bachelor's degree in from an approved and accredited college or university.

Upon completion of the Master of Arts in Pastoral Counseling, the graduate will be able to:

1. Evaluate and implement pastoral counseling theories and practices.
2. Produce scholarly research papers pertaining to theological and theoretical basis for counseling.
3. Critique and apply human growth and development theories in context of pastoral counseling.
4. Conduct comparative analysis of Biblical worldview and the secular as it pertains to issues of human sexuality, diversity, legal and ethical considerations, and professional standards through scholarly papers and/or projects.
5. Critique and apply group theories and practice in the context of pastoral counseling.
6. Demonstrate the ability to assess cases and provide pastoral counseling in community settings.
7. Demonstrate the ability to assess for substance abuse and implement appropriate counseling practices.

### *This is the breakdown of core curriculum for the Major in Pastoral Counseling:*

MHS 5426	Social and Cultural Diversity	3 Credits
MHS 5441	Marriage and Family Counseling Theories	3 Credits
MHS 5482	Human Growth and Development	3 Credits
MHS 6020	Counseling in Community Settings	3 Credits
MHS 6450	Psychotherapy and Substance Abuse	3 Credits
MHS 6470	Human Sexuality	3 Credits
MHS 6511	Group Theories and Practices	3 Credits
MHS 6700	Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues in Counseling	3 Credits
MHS 6800	Practicum	3 Credits
MHS 6850	MAPC Capstone Seminar	3 Credits
SDS 6411	Psychotherapy with Children and Adolescents	3 Credits
THE 5406	Pastoral Counseling Theories	<u>3 Credits</u>
	Total	36 Credits