



## Course Syllabus • Master of Christian Counseling

Course #	Course Title	Course Description/Credit Value
	Required Material	Assignment
COU 510	Biblical Counseling	This course addresses relevant issues applying Biblical principles as solutions. The student will understand the interrelationship between Biblical truth and godliness, as well as be able to defend their counseling position with sound Biblical interpretations. <b>Credit Hours: 3</b>
	Book: <a href="#">Counseling: How to Counsel Biblically</a> Author: John MacArthur	1. Write a reaction paper on the required book.
COU 512	Counseling Theories and Strategies <a href="#">Click here to view class</a>	This course explores the major psychotherapeutic models and theories in current use. The focus is on the application of techniques to a variety of clinical situations to improve, restore, or maintain healthy individual, couple, and family relationships. Emphasis is given to the development of those personal qualities that are intimately related to the counseling situation such as integrity, sensitivity, flexibility, insight, compassion, and personal presence. <b>Credit Hours: 3</b>
	Book: <a href="#">86 Tips for the Therapeutic Toolbox</a> Author: Judith A. Belmont	1. Write a reaction paper on the required book.
COU 514	Marriage and Family Therapy II	In this course students will learn and implement treatment planning and therapeutic interventions in marriage and family counseling situations. Special topics relevant to marriage and family counseling practice will also be addressed. <b>Credit Hours: 3</b>
	Book: <a href="#">The Quick Reference Guide to Marriage and Family Counseling</a> Author: Dr. Tim Clinton	1. Write a reaction paper on the required book
COU 516	Group Counseling Dynamics	A course designed to teach the student how to initiate a small group program in a local church. The student will also learn principles of group counseling and their practical application in small groups. <b>Credit Hours: 3</b>
	Book: <a href="#">Effective Support Groups</a> Author: James E. Miller	1. Write a reaction paper on the required book.
OMG 540	Conflict Management and Resolution II	A deeper study into conflict and negotiation theories and processes applied to human resource and counseling practices. <b>Credit Hours: 3</b>
	Book: <a href="#">Crucial Confrontations</a> Author: Patterson, Grenny	1. Write a reaction paper on the required book.
PMI 500	Master Internship	The internship addresses and accesses spiritual formation, depth of understanding, progress and vocational preparedness within professional context. Must be within an approved ministry or professional organization. Each student must have 10 or more hours per month. Graduate Level. <b>Maximum Credits: 9</b>

**Credit Hours: 24**