





 FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY	NEW/CHANGE PROGRAM REQUEST Graduate Programs		UGPC Approval _____ UFS Approval _____ Banner _____ Catalog _____
	Department Counselor Education College Education		
Program Name Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling		<input type="checkbox"/> New Program* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change Program*	Effective Date (TERM & YEAR) Spring 2022
<p>Please explain the requested change(s) and offer rationale below or on an attachment.</p> <p>Due to recent changes in Florida License requirements for Practicum and Internship hours for Licensed Mental Health Counselors from 1000 hours to 750 hours, the Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling masters program wishes to change the curriculum and remove RCS 6805 Advanced Practicum from the Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling program. The overall number of credits will change from 66 to 63. The program meets the State of Florida 60-hour masters degree requirement.</p>			
<p><small>*All new programs and changes to existing programs must be accompanied by a catalog entry showing the new or proposed changes.</small></p>			
Faculty Contact/Email/Phone Carman Gill/cgill@fau.edu/7-3602		Consult and list departments that may be affected by the change(s) and attach documentation	
Approved by Department Chair  College Curriculum Chair  College Dean  UGPC Chair  UGC Chair  Graduate College Dean  UFS President _____ Provost _____		Date 10/20/21 10/20/21 10/21/2021 Nov 12, 2021 Nov 12, 2021 Nov 12, 2021 _____ _____	

Email this form and attachments to UGPC@fau.edu 10 days before the UGPC meeting.



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Notice of Choice Regarding Program Change

Dear Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling student:

As you may know, the State of Florida recently changed its requirements regarding licensing mental health counselors. Rather than requiring 1000 hours of university supervised field placement, Florida now requires 750 hours of field placement, prior to graduation. This brings our state requirement in line with CACREP's expectations. As a result, the Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling faculty will petition the College to change our course sequence. Beginning in 2023, RCS 6805-Advanced Practicum will no longer be a part of the requirements for graduation.

As an entering CRC student, this means you have a choice. You may choose to remain in your current program of study, under the catalog in which you enrolled, and take RCS 6805 and complete 66-hour course sequence. You may also choose to move to the new course sequence, when it is approved, meaning that you would not take Advanced Practicum in Summer 2023 and complete the 63-hour course sequence. Both options meet the State of Florida 60-hour master's in counseling course requirement. It is strongly recommended that **every student must meet with their faculty advisor** regarding this decision. **If spring 2024 is your final semester, you must make a decision prior to December 10th, 2021 to be eligible to switch to the new program of study.** Please select either the new course sequence or the previous one, on the following page. Sign and return the form to the department (mkursell@fau.edu). Thanks and take care,

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Notice of Choice of Degree Program Informed Consent

ACTION: Your signature is required.

I, _____, have been informed of the Master's
(student, please print name)
Program change from requiring RCS 6805 Advanced Practicum, effective in fall semester, 2022.

M.Ed. original catalog
(includes RCS 6805)

This option is the program of study you are
currently enrolled in.

M.Ed. program change
(removes 3 credit-hour from
the total #of credits)

This option removes RCS 6805 Advanced
Practicum.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Phone(s): _____

Advisor: _____

Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Track		
YEAR I		
<u>Fall:</u>		
Foundations of Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling	RCS 6031	3
Multicultural Counseling for Diverse Populations	MHS 5428	3
Lifespan Development	MHS 6482	3
<u>Spring:</u>		
Medical and Psychosocial Aspects of Disability	RCS 6080	3
Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	MHS 6700	3
Processes in Counseling	MHS 5005	3
<u>Summer:</u>		
Counseling Theories and Techniques	MHS 6401	3
Appraisal and Evaluation in Counseling	MHS 6220	3
Psychopathology	MHS 6070	3
YEAR II		
<u>Fall:</u>		
Occupational Information and Job Placement	RCS 6320	3
Counseling and Human Sexuality	MHS 6470	3
Educational Statistics	STA 6113	3
<u>Spring:</u>		
Case Management in Vocational Rehabilitation	RCS 6644	3
Counseling Research and Evidence-Based Practice	MHS 6710	3
Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Practicum	RCS 6801	3
<u>Summer:</u>		
Group Counseling	MHS 6510	3
Substance Abuse Counseling	MHS 6450	3
Adv. Practicum in Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling	RCS 6805	3
YEAR III New Sequence		
<u>Fall:</u>		
Career Development	MHS 6340	3
Family Counseling	MHS 6430	3
Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Internship (may be taken over two terms for a total of 6 credits)	RCS 6825	3 - 6

TOTAL: 66 credits

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Lifespan Development	MHS 6482	3
Spring:		
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Legal, Ethical, and Professional Issues	MHS 6700	3
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Fall:		
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Family Counseling	MHS 6430	3
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TOTAL: 663 credits

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Date: Monday, October 18, 2021 3:36:32 PM
Attachments: [Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Catalog Table Fall2021.docx](#)
[Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Catalog Table Redline copy.docx](#)
[Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling Catalog Table Updated.docx](#)
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[ProgramChange-CRC Program.pdf](#)

Good afternoon Cheryl,

Attached you will find more forms for GPC. Essentially, our Rehabilitation track is following the same process as CMHC, dropping the Advanced Practicum course. However, they will reduce the credit hour expectation from 66 to 63, rather than replacing the course with another. Let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Take care,
Dr. Gill

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