# Temporary Study Plan

**MA in Clinical Mental Health Counseling**

Department of Educational Leadership & Counseling  
Sam Houston State University

*Student's Name ___________________________________  Student ID # ______________________________

**Degree Plan:** Master of Arts [60 hours]/Clinical Mental Health Counseling

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO CANDIDACY MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW TO COUNSELING FACULTY PRIOR TO ENROLLMENT BEYOND 15 SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED GRADUATE HOURS.

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## Pre-requisite: Abnormal Behavior and Human Growth/Lifespan

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**Election: (see options below)**

- **COUN 5393** Community Counseling
- **COUN 5364** sum/fail Counseling for Addictions (prereq 5364)
- **COUN 6332** Theories of Marriage & Family Therapy (prereq 5364)
- **COUN 6376** Supervised Practice in Counseling (prereq 6374/5394) (must have candidacy) (100 hrs)
- **COUN 6385** Internship (first semester) (prereq 6376) (300 hrs)
- **COUN 6386** Internship (second consecutive semester) (300 hrs)

60 hr. Program Focus Plus Orientation Hour

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I have read the Counseling Program Student Handbook and understand the contents.  

(Initial)   

I have read the current ACA Code of Ethics and can abide by the mandates contained therein.  

(Initial)

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**Signature of Advising Professor/Date**  
**Signature of Graduate Student/Date**

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**Effective Options:**

- **COUN 5391** Child and Adolescent Issues in Counseling (prereq 5334)  
  - sp/sum
- **COUN 5392** Play Therapy Basics (prereq 5364, 5397)  
  - sum/sum
- **COUN 6331** Advanced Play Therapy (prereq 5399)  
  - sp
- **COUN 6334** Professional and Ethical Issues in Counseling (prereq 5389)  
  - sum
- **COUN 6337** Counseling for Sexual Concerns (prereq 5334, 6332)  
  - sp/fail
- **COUN 6333** Techniques of Marriage & Family Therapy (prereq 6332)  
  - sp/fail
- **COUN** Family Therapy Techniques  
  - (prereq 6332)
- **COUN** Couple and Family Therapy Applications  
  - (prereq 6332)

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