

Sam Houston State University

Department of Counselor Education

CACREP Counseling Programs Vital Statistics Report 2020-2021

Each year to keep all interested parties and perspective students aware of the efforts made in the Department of Counselor Education we provide vital statistics that provide a brief overview of our program, the students in it, and the success they achieve while completing a master’s degree or doctoral degree in counseling at Sam Houston State University. We are pleased to provide the following information based on data from the 2020-2021 academic year.

Overall, as of the Fall semester 2021 the department included the following number of Full Time and Part Time students:

Semester	MA (CMHC & MCFC)	MED (School Counseling)	PhD (Counselor Education)
Fall 2021 FT	111	4	7
Fall 2020 FT	87	1	14
Fall 2021 PT	74	48	25
Fall 2020 PT	71	15	27

CMHC – Clinical Mental Health Counseling

MCFC – Mental Health Counseling

Clinical mental Health Counseling Program (CACREP Accredited)

Last year, there were 38 graduates of Sam Houston State University’s CACREP accredited Clinical Mental Health Counseling program. Our graduates consistently achieve high pass rates on licensing examinations. The pass rate for graduates taking the NCE examination, through the GSA-NCC program, has historically been 100% during the October and April administrations of the exam; however, final results are not available due to the Covid virus causing interruptions in the distribution of overall results. Of the admitted students, 90% graduate from the program in the expected time and 85% of those program graduates responding to surveys who are actively seeking employment as counselors have been able to find employment.

Approximately 178 students are enrolled in the Clinical Mental Health Counseling program with approximately 28 women and 10 men graduating each year. The Counseling program accepted 106 students in 2020-2021 (fall and spring combined) into the Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program. Ninety percent of accepted students graduate in the expected time period, three years for full-time students and six years for part-time students. Courses accommodate both part-time and full-time students.

Data on licensure examination pass rates are not provided for this program because not all students take the licensure exam through the on-campus testing program; however, based on the results of the GSA-NCC testing program noted above, the majority of students would be expected to pass the exam.

School Counseling Program (CACREP Accredited)

Last year, there were 6 graduates of the Sam Houston State University's School Counseling program. Our graduates consistently achieve high pass rates on school counselor certification examinations. The pass rate for graduates taking the School Counselor Certification Exam 100% (6 of 6 passed). Of the admitted students, 90% graduate from the program in the expected time period and 80% of those program graduates responding to surveys who are actively seeking employment as counselors have been able to find employment.

Approximately 50 students are currently enrolled in the School Counseling program with 44 being women and 6 men. The School Counseling program accepts all qualified applicants each Fall and Spring semester who are currently certified teachers with a teaching contract. For the CACREP School Counseling program, 85% of the students graduated on time. The School Counseling program accommodates both part-time and full-time students.

Marriage Couples and Family Counseling

Last year, there were 2 graduates of Sam Houston State University's CACREP accredited Marriage, Couples and Family Counseling program. Of the admitted students, 80% graduate from the program in the expected time period and 85% of those program graduates responding to surveys who are actively seeking employment as counselors have been able to find employment.

Approximately 43 students are enrolled in the Marriage, Couples and Family Counseling program with approximately 10 students graduating each year on average. The Marriage, Couples and Family Counseling program accepts an average of 24 students each academic year (fall and spring) into the Marriage, Couples and Family Counseling Program. Eighty percent of accepted students graduate in the expected time period, three years for full-time students and six years for part-time students. Courses accommodate both part-time and full-time students.

Data on licensure examination pass rates are not provided for this program because Texas does not release LMFT licensure exam pass rates by individual institution.

Doctoral Program (CACREP Accredited)

Last year, there were 11 graduates of Sam Houston State University's CACREP accredited Ph.D. doctoral program in Counselor Education and Supervision. Of the admitted students, 85% graduate from the program in the expected time period and 100% of those program graduates responding to surveys who are actively seeking jobs are employed within the field of Counselor Education & Supervision as faculty members or in the field of Professional Counseling.

Approximately 35 students are currently enrolled in the Ph.D. doctoral program in Counselor Education and Supervision with approximately 29 women and 6 men. The Doctoral Counseling program accepts a maximum of 12 students annually, as a cohort, into the Ph.D. doctoral program in Counselor Education and Supervision. Eighty percent of accepted students graduate in the expected time period, with an 8-year maximum. Courses accommodate both part-time and full-time students.

Counseling Program Demographics (All Programs)
Academic Year 2020-2021

<u>Statistic</u>	<u>2020-2021</u>
Total Enrollment	310
Women	87.4%
Men	12.6%
African American	12.9%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	.003% (1 Student)
Asian American	.04% (11 students)
Hispanic	26.5% (82 students)
International	.01% (3 Students)
Multiple Heritage	.02% (7 students)
White	52.5% (163 Students)
Not Reported	.01% (3 students)

CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING PROGRAM

Statistic	2020-2021
Applicants	244
Accepted	106
Number of Students Enrolled	178
Average Class size	18
Academic Class (Face to Face 20 and On-line15)	
Practicum 6	
Internship 12	
Number of Graduates	
Completion Rate	90%
GSA-NCE Examination Pass Rate	Numbers not currently available.
Job Placement Rate*	85%

*Represents the percentage of graduates actively seeking employment who responded to survey
The 90% completion rate represents students who were admitted into the CMHC program between 2015 and 2021 and graduated within the expected time frame of six years.

MARRIAGE COUPLES AND FAMILY COUNSELING PROGRAM

Statistic	2020-2021
Applicants	55
Accepted	24
Number of Students Enrolled	43
Average Class size	18
Academic Class (Face to Face 20 and On-line15)	
Practicum 6	
Internship 12	

Number of Graduates	
Completion Rate	80%
GSA-NCE Examination Pass Rate	Numbers not currently available.
Job Placement Rate*	80%

*Represents the percentage of graduates actively seeking employment who responded to survey
The 90% completion rate represents students who were admitted into the CMHC program between 2015 and 2021 and graduated within the expected time frame of six years.

SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM

Statistic	2020-2021*
Applicants	70
Accepted	27
Number of Students Enrolled	50
Average Class Size	18
Academic Class	15 (Face to Face 20 and On-line 15)
Practicum	6
Internship	12
Number of Graduates	
Completion Rate	85%
TEA School Counselor Exam Pass rate	100%
Job Placement Rate	80%

Students in the School Counseling Program take the Texas Education Agency **Texas Examinations** of Educator Standards (TEXES) specialty exam in School Counseling and have historically passed at a rate of 100%.

DOCTORAL COUNSELING PROGRAM

Statistic	2020-2021
Applicants	23
Accepted	14
Number of Students Enrolled	35
Average Class Size	8
Number of Graduates	
Completion Rate (Overall)	80%
Job Placement Rate*	100%

*Represents the percentage of graduates actively seeking employment who responded to survey