



## Ph.D. in Marriage and Family Therapy Curriculum

The Ph.D. degree program in Marriage and Family Therapy (MFT) requires a minimum of 85 credit hours of which 21 are clinical/supervision and 24 are dissertation.

<b>Required Core Courses</b>		<b>15-18 credit hours</b>
HOE 6366	Research Best Practices in Human Sciences	2
CHD 5617	Professional Development in FCS	1
FAD 5481	College Teaching in Family Sciences	2-3
FAD 5942	Supervised Teaching	1-3
FAD 6916	Outcome Research in MFT	3
FAD 6605	Advanced Clinical MFT Theory	3
FAD 6266	Diversity Considerations for Family Research & Practice	3
<b>Required Research and Statistics</b>		<b>41 credit hours</b>
CHD 5915	Methods of Research	4
FAD 5700	Applied Research in Human Sciences	4
FAD 5705	Qualitative Research in FCS	3
FAD 6917	Research Methods in FCS	3
FAD 6706	Intervention Research	3
FAD 8964r	Preliminary Doctoral Exam	0
FAD 6980r	Dissertation	24
FAD 8985r	Dissertation Defense Examination	0
<b>Research and Data Analytic Electives (examples)</b>		<b>3 credit hours</b>
FAD 6608	Effectiveness and Translation Research in MFT	3
COM 5317	Content Analysis in Communication Research	3
EDF 5402	Adv. Topics in Analysis of Variance Apps.	3
EDF 5406	Multivariate Analysis Applications	3
EDF 5409	Causal Modeling	3
EDF 5410	Nonparametric Analysis Applications	3
SOW 6407	Survey Research Methods	3
STA 5179	Applied Survival Analysis	3
<b>Clinical Practice Requirements</b>		<b>21 credit hours</b>
FAD 6606	Supervision in MFT	3
FAD 6940r	Practicum in MFT	12
FAD 8944r	Internship in MFT	6
<b>Elective Courses (examples)</b>		<b>5 credit hours</b>
CHD 5266	Advanced Child Development	3
CHD 5919	Grant Writing in FCS	3
FAD 6436	Theories of Family Science	3
FAD 5263	Advanced Family Studies	3
FAD 5906r	Directed Individual Study (topics vary)	1-3
<b>TOTAL MINIMUM (includes 24 credits for dissertation)</b>		<b>85 credit hours</b>