

Annual Report 2017-2018

During the 2018 academic year, 205 students were enrolled in the Counseling program: approximately 124 for Clinical Mental Health counseling, 49 for School Counseling, 20 for Marriage Couple and Family Counseling and 12 were undecided. During these terms, 79 new students were admitted; 51 for Clinical Mental Health, 17 for School Counseling and 11 undecided. Of the seventy-nine students, 56 were female and 23 were male.

Of the total enrollment of 205 students, 89 (43%) were Hispanic, 53 (26%) did not report ethnicity, 38(19%) were White, 20(10%) were Black/African American, 3 were Asian/Pacific Islander, and 2 reported ethnicity as other/unknown. 48(23%) of students reported either active or retired military or military dependent.

In 2017-2018, 47 students graduated from the Counseling Program: 34 in Clinical Mental Health, 12 in School Counseling and 1 in Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling. The programs five year graduation rate was 55%.

Test results show 90% of students who sat for the National Counselor Examination, the standardized examination required for Texas Licensure as a Professional Counselor (NCE), passed the exam. During this time period, 100% of students who sat for the TExES-School Counselor exam, the examination required for Texas Certification as a Professional School Counselor, passes the exam.

The job placement rate for the 12 School Counseling graduates is approximately 92% in education or related field. The job placement rate for the Clinical Mental Health Counseling graduates is undetermined at this time.

During this term, the Counseling Department has 11 full-time faculty and one adjunct. Of the full-time faculty, six are male and five are female. Three females are Caucasian/white; the females are Hispanic; all five males are Caucasian/white.