SMU Department of Counseling

FALL TERM (1267) SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

AUGUST 24 – DECEMBER 19, 2026

REGISTRATION PERIOD: APRIL 6* - APRIL 24, 2026

(*APRIL 7TH FOR STUDENTS WITH LESS THAN 36 HOURS IN THE PROGRAM AT THE END OF SPRING TERM)

NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION PERIOD BEGINS – APRIL 25, 2026, AT MIDNIGHT

- TEXTBOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE BARNES & NOBLE ON THE MAIN CAMPUS ON MOCKINGBIRD a few days before the term begins, and there will be a direct link to the bookstore from my.SMU when you register for classes. This will also allow you to charge your books to your SMU account, rent books, resell books, etc. **REMEMBER, you can purchase your textbooks at any retail or online store of your choosing.**
- Our Program Calendar for this Academic Year with term dates, holidays, Drop and Withdrawal Policies, etc. can be found on our website or by clicking here.

Remember, it is your responsibility to ensure that your enrollment is accurate, and all University deadlines are met.

REGULAR CLASS – ONCE PER WEEK FOR 15 WEEKS		CLASS NO.			
HDCN 6301 SEC 001	COUNSELING THEORIES	4940	MONDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	MARIO DE LA GARZA, PH.D.
HDCN 6301 SEC 002	COUNSELING THEORIES	4943	TUESDAYS	1:00PM – 3:50PM	RUBEN GOMEZ, PH.D.
HDCN 6301 SEC 701	COUNSELING THEORIES	4941	MONDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	RUBEN GOMEZ, PH.D.
HDCN 6301 SEC 702	COUNSELING THEORIES	4942	WEDNESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	LAKAAVIA TAYLOR-HOLMAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6302 SEC 001	BASIC CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES	4944	MONDAYS	1:00 PM – 3:50 PM	LAKAAVIA TAYLOR-HOLMAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6302 SEC 002	BASIC CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES	4947	TUESDAYS	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	TIFFANY BORDONADA, PH.D.
HDCN 6302 SEC 003	BASIC CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES	4948	FRIDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	BECK MUNSEY, PH.D.
HDCN 6302 SEC 701	BASIC CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES	4945	TUESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	BECK MUNSEY, PH.D.
HDCN 6302 SEC 702	BASIC CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES	4946	WEDNESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	TIFFANY BORDONADA, PH.D.
HDCN 6302 SEC 703	BASIC CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES -	5998	THURSDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	CINDY ANDERTON, PH.D.
HDCN 6303 SEC 001	GROUP COUNSELING PRE-REQUISITE: HDCN 6302 BASIC CLINICAL METHODS	4950	TUESDAYS	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	MISTY SOLT, PH.D.
HDCN 6303 SEC 002	GROUP COUNSELING PRE-REQUISITE: HDCN 6302 BASIC CLINICAL METHODS	4951	THURSDAYS	1:00PM – 3:50PM	RUBEN GOMEZ, PH.D.
HDCN 6303 SEC 701	GROUP COUNSELING PRE-REQUISITE: HDCN 6302 BASIC CLINICAL METHODS	4949	WEDNESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	TERRA WAGNER, PH.D.
HDCN 6304 SEC 001	COUNSELING DIVERSE COMMUNITIES	4952	TUESDAY	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	TERRA WAGNER, PH.D.
HDCN 6304 SEC 002	COUNSELING DIVERSE COMMUNITIES	4953	WEDNESDAYS	1:00PM – 3:50PM	TERRA WAGNER, PH.D.
HDCN 6304 SEC 701	COUNSELING DIVERSE COMMUNITIES	5075	MONDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	CINDY ANDERTON, PH.D.
HDCN 6305 SEC 001	ADVANCED CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6301, 6302, 6303, 6316, 6318	4956	THURSDAYS	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	FARNOOSH NOURI, PH.D.

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HDCN 6305 Sec 701	ADVANCED CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6301, 6302, 6303, 6316, 6318	4954	MONDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	LISA BEIJAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6305 Sec 702	ADVANCED CLINICAL METHODS FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES AND FAMILIES PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6301, 6302, 6303, 6316, 6318	4955	TUESDAYS	6:30 PM – 9:20 PM	RUBEN GOMEZ, PH.D.
HDCN 6308 Sec 701 HDCN 6309 Sec701	COUNSELING: ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COUNSELING: SECONDARY SCHOOL	5076 5077	WEDNESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	MARIO DE LA GARZA, PH.D.
HDCN 6311 Sec 001	COUPLES THERAPY	4957	TUESDAYS	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	NICOLE VAN NESS, PSY.D.
HDCN 6316 Sec 001	FAMILY THERAPY I: INTERGENERATIONAL MODELS AND TREATMENT	4959	MONDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50AM	HAYLEY STULMAKER, PH.D.
HDCN 6316 Sec 002	FAMILY THERAPY I: INTERGENERATIONAL MODELS AND TREATMENT	5028	WEDNESDAYS	1:00 PM – 3:50PM	EDITA RUZGYTE, PH.D.
HDCN 6316 Sec 701	FAMILY THERAPY I: INTERGENERATIONAL MODELS AND TREATMENT	4958	THURSDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	HAYLEY STULMAKER, PH.D.
HDCN 6317 Sec 001	AFFIRMATIVE COUPLE & FAMILY COUNSELING PRE-REQUISITE: HDCN 6316 FAMILY THERAPY I	4960	WEDNESDAYS	9:00AM – 11:50AM	EDITA RUZGYTE, PH.D.
HDCN 6318 Sec 001	ETHICS I AND PROFESSIONAL ORIENTATION	4962	MONDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	TIFFANY BORDONADA, PH.D.
HDCN 6318 Sec 002	ETHICS I AND PROFESSIONAL ORIENTATION	4963	FRIDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	TERI SARTOR, PH.D.
HDCN 6318 Sec 701	ETHICS I AND PROFESSIONAL ORIENTATION	4961	TUESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	PATRICE DUNN, PH.D.
HDCN 6319 Sec 001	ETHICS II AND MENTAL HEALTH PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6318 ETHICS I AND PROFESSIONAL ORIENTATION	4993	THURSDAYS	9:30AM – 12:20PM	TERI SARTOR, PH.D.
HDCN 6319 Sec 701	ETHICS II AND MENTAL HEALTH PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6318 ETHICS I AND PROFESSIONAL ORIENTATION	4964	MONDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	LAKAAVIA TAYLOR-HOLMAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6320 Sec 001	LIFE SPAN DEVELOPMENT	4966	MONDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	BECK MUNSEY, PH.D.
HDCN 6320 Sec 002	LIFE SPAN DEVELOPMENT	4968	WEDNESDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	TIFFANY BORDONADA, PH.D.
HDCN 6320 Sec 701	LIFE SPAN DEVELOPMENT	4965	MONDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	BECK MUNSEY, PH.D.
HDCN 6320 Sec 702	LIFE SPAN DEVELOPMENT	4967	TUESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	AZADEH MANSOUR, PH.D.
HDCN 6321 Sec 001	LIFESTYLE & CAREER DEVELOPMENT	4969	TUESDAYS	1:00 PM - 3:50 PM	ROZAN CHRISTIAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6321 Sec 701	LIFESTYLE & CAREER DEVELOPMENT	4994	THURSDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	ROBIN WASHINGTON-WHITE, PH.D.
HDCN 6323 Sec 001	PRE/ADOLESCENT COUNSELING: PLAY THERAPY	4995	THURSDAYS 10/11 & 11/5 10:00AM – 3:00PM	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	BRANDY SCHUMANN, PH.D.
HDCN 6330 Sec 001	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY: ADULT	4970	WEDNESDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	CINDY ANDERTON, PH.D.
HDCN 6330 Sec 002	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY: ADULT	5027	THURSDAYS	1:00PM – 3:50PM	CINDY ANDERTON, PH.D.
HDCN 6330 Sec 701	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY: ADULT	4971	TUESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	ANGELA PEÑA, PH.D.
HDCN 6331 Sec 001	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY: CHILD	4972	MONDAYS	1:00 PM – 3:50 PM	MISTY SOLT, PH.D.
HDCN 6331 Sec 002	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY: CHILD	5020	WEDNESDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	LAKAAVIA TAYLOR, PH.D.

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HDCN 6331 Sec 701	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY: CHILD	4973	TUESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	NICOLE VAN NESS, PSY.D.
HDCN 6338 Sec701	THE SCIENCE OF INTERPERSONAL NEUROBIOLOGY AND TRAUMA COUNSELING	6055	THURSDAYS	6:30PM – 9:20PM	FARNOOSH NOURI, PH.D.
HDCN 6340 Sec 001	ASSESSMENT PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6349 RESEARCH DESIGN & STATS	4974	WEDNESDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	LIZ ENER, PH.D.
HDCN 6340 Sec 002	ASSESSMENT PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6349 RESEARCH DESIGN & STATS	4975	THURSDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	JODIE ELDER, PH.D.
HDCN 6340 Sec 701	ASSESSMENT PRE-REQ.: HDCN 6349 RESEARCH DESIGN & STATS	5029	WEDNESDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	AUDREY ROBINSON, PH.D.
HDCN 6343 Sec 701	CHILD COUNSELING: PLAY THERAPY	4996	TUESDAYS + 9/26/26 MICRO 8:30AM - 5:30PM	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	MISTY SOLT, PH.D.
HDCN 6344 Sec 701	ART OF TRAUMA TREATMENT	4976	THURSDAYS	6:30PM – 9:20PM	KIM CAOLO, ABD
HDCN 6349 Sec 001	RESEARCH DESIGN & STATISTICS	4979	THURSDAYS	9:30AM – 12:20PM	HAYLEY STULMAKER, PH.D.
HDCN 6349 Sec 002	RESEARCH DESIGN & STATISTICS	4978	FRIDAYS	9:00 AM - 11:50 AM	JODIE ELDER, PH.D.
HDCN 6349 Sec 701	RESEARCH DESIGN & STATISTICS	4977	MONDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:20 PM	HAYLEY STULMAKER, PH.D.
HDCN 6352 Sec 001	PSYCHOLOGY OF ADDICTIONS	4980	MONDAYS	9:00AM – 11:50AM	MISTY SOLT, PH.D.
HDCN 6352 Sec 701	PSYCHOLOGY OF ADDICTIONS	4981	WEDNESDAYS	6:30PM – 9:20PM	KATIE CHADWICK, PH.D.
HDCN 6395 Sec 001	SUPERVISED CLINICAL PRACTICUM	4982	MONDAYS	1:30PM – 4:30PM	TARA GODHWANI, PH.D.
HDCN 6395 Sec 002	SUPERVISED CLINICAL PRACTICUM	4983	TUESDAYS	9:30 AM - 12:30 PM	LISA BEIJAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6395 Sec 003	SUPERVISED CLINICAL PRACTICUM	4984	THURSDAYS	9:30 AM - 12:30 PM	RAKIMA PARSON, PH.D.
HDCN 6395 Sec 004	SUPERVISED CLINICAL PRACTICUM	6213	WEDNESDAYS	1:30PM – 4:30PM	TARA GODHWANI, PH.D.
HDCN 6395 Sec 702	SUPERVISED CLINICAL PRACTICUM	4986	THURSDAYS	6:30 PM - 9:30 PM	LISA BEIJAN, PH.D.
HDCN 6398 Sec 001	INTERNSHIP I	4987	MEETS ON EVERY OTHER TUESDAY	9:30 AM - 12:45 PM	BRANDY SCHUMANN, PH.D.
HDCN 6398 Sec 002	INTERNSHIP I	6497	MEETS ON EVERY OTHER THURSDAY	1:00PM – 3:50PM	FARNOOSH NOURI, PH.D.
HDCN 6398 Sec 701	INTERNSHIP I	4988	MEETS ON EVERY OTHER TUESDAY	6:30 PM - 9:45 PM	TRACY MCCLUNG, PH.D.
HDCN 6398 Sec 702	INTERNSHIP I	5030	MEETS ON EVERY OTHER THURSDAY	6:30 PM - 9:45PM	JEN BALCH, PH.D.
HDCN 6399 Sec 001	INTERNSHIP II	4989	MEETS ON EVERY OTHER TUESDAY	9:30 AM - 12:20 PM	BRANDY SCHUMANN, PH.D.
HDCN 6399 Sec 701	INTERNSHIP II	4990	MEETS ON EVERY OTHER TUESDAY	6:30 PM - 9:45PM	TRACY MCCLUNG, PH.D.
WEEKEND CLASSES – AS DESCRIBED					
HDCN 6314 Sec 701	SEXUAL COUNSELING	4992	TWO WEEKENDS*	10/2-4; 11/20-22	EDITA RUZGYTE, PH.D.
HDCN 6321 Sec 702	LIFESTYLE AND CAREER	5031	TWO WEEKENDS*	9/25-27; 11/6-8	GRETA DAVIS, PH.D.
HDCN 6325 Sec 701	THERAPEUTIC PARENTING	6007	TWO WEEKENDS*	8/28-30; 9/18-20	KATHY ODEN, PH.D.
HDCN 6338 Sec 702	THE SCIENCE OF INTERPERSONAL NEUROBIOLOGY AND TRAUMA COUNSELING	5081	TWO WEEKENDS*	10/30-11/1; 11/20-22	KATHY ODEN, PH.D.

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HDCN 6352 Sec 702	PSYCHOLOGY OF ADDICTION	5099	TWO WEEKENDS*	9/18-20; 11/13-15	KATIE CHADWICK, PH.D.

* FRIDAYS 4:00 PM – 9:00 PM; SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS 8:30 AM – 5:30 PM

- **Students will not be able to register if they have not provided updated proof of Liability Insurance or Protection of Minors Certificate.** Make sure the counseling office has your updated proof of coverage and Certificate of Completion for your Protection of Minors so that your hold can be removed before registration begins.
- *PLEASE CHECK THE BURSAR'S WEBSITE FOR PAYMENT DUE DATE (www.smu.edu/bursar).*
- Counseling classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. To ensure you get the class you want, register *EARLY*. Classes are generally limited to a maximum of 14; however, some classes are limited to a smaller class size. **Do not contact an instructor or advisor to ask permission** to be added to a full class. Students should be using the waitlist system through my.smu. Waitlist information can be found in the Registration Information below.
- **Practicum and Internship students will be enrolled in their respective Practicum and Internship classes by the Program Specialist, once class lists are received from Dr. Godhwani and Dr. Schumann.**
- Make sure to order your SMU ID card, if you have not already done so.

Are you checking your SMU email, CANVAS and our website? Many things you call about are answered there. Here are the links if you need them: https://webmail.smu.edu/, https://www.smu.edu/OIT/Services/Canvas and www.smu.edu/mastercounseling. Log in using your SMU ID number and password.

Our Academic Calendars for the current Academic Year with term dates, payment due dates, holidays, Drop and Withdrawal Policies, etc. can be found at www.smu.edu/mastercounseling.

REMEMBER: The Texas Immunization Law has been revised and you may need to provide proof that you have had the Bacterial Meningitis Vaccination before you can enroll for classes if you're 22 years of age or younger. Go to https://sites.smu.edu/des/meningitis/ for details. If you are one of the students required to provide proof of immunization and you don't, a hold will be placed on your account blocking your enrollment.

Registration and Payment Instructions

STUDENTS WITH 36 HOURS OR MORE DURING SPRING TERM: Registration for Fall Term 2026 opens at 6:00 a.m., Monday, April 6th. Instructions 1 through 10 below explain how to register online and they apply to ALL students.

STUDENTS WITH LESS THAN 36 HOURS DURING SPRING TERM: Registration for Fall Term 2026 opens at 6:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 7th. Instructions 1 through 10 below explain how to register online and they apply to ALL students.

NEW STUDENTS: Registrations for Fall Term 2026 opens at Midnight on Saturday, April 25
Instructions 1 through 10 below explain how to register online and they apply to ALL students.

1. Go to my.SMU enter your ID number and password
2. The term is Fall 1267.
3. Use the **Class Number** (the numbers in **ORANGE** above in the middle column)
4. You must enroll in at least two (2) classes to qualify for financial aid. Students using financial aid must contact the Financial Aid office.
5. The **results page** will let you know whether your course enrollment was successful.
6. If you get a message of "**errors found**," click on that message to read the specific problem. If you cannot resolve the error(s), please contact help@smu.edu. Include your SMU ID number.
7. **Familiarize yourself with the Program Calendar and all add/drop deadline dates and refund policies.**

8. **Familiarize yourself with how the waitlist system on my.smu works *before* registration by using the following links:**

   https://www.smu.edu/oit/services/mysmu/student-essentials/enroll - scroll to the bottom.

   https://www.smu.edu/EnrollmentServices/registrar/Enrollment/WaitlistGuidelines -for FAQ's about the waitlist.

9. Most student questions regarding Academics, Financials, Health Center, Enrollment and navigating my.SMU can be found at the following links:

   http://www.smu.edu/OIT – select the "Student" tab.

   https://www.smu.edu/oit/services/mysmu/student-essentials

10. If you have difficulty with registration, please contact Katherine Silva for assistance: ksilva@smu.edu. Include your SMU ID number in all your correspondence.

ENROLLMENT GUIDANCE FOR NEW STUDENTS:

Welcome FIRST TERM Counseling Graduate Students!

Following is some information to help you with your first registration:

- If you are a new student, you are required to take the following courses during your first term in the program:

  1) Basic Clinical Methods
  2) Life Span Development

- If you can only take one course in the first term, you must enroll in Basic Clinical Methods (please note, you will not be eligible for financial aid if you take only one course).
- If you are planning on taking 3 classes (9 credit hours), the following classes are recommended to take in your first semester or as close to the start of the program as possible: COUNSELING THEORIES and RESEARCH DESIGN. Other classes can be taken at any time (unless there is a pre-req) throughout the program. Good ones to take are: FAMILY THERAPY I, ETHICS I, ADULT PSYCHOPATHOLOGY, DIVERSE COMMUNITIES or any of your ELECTIVES.
- ALL students entering the Counseling Program in the Fall 2026 semester are required to attend a Group Advising /Orientation Meeting on Monday, August 17th from 5:30 pm to 9:00 pm. At this meeting, we will review relevant policies, procedures, curriculum, and support resources. Watch for future emails regarding the location of this meeting. **If you do not attend this meeting, you will not be able to register for the following semester so please make the necessary arrangements to attend in person.**

CLASS SCHEDULES ARE POSTED ONLINE AT WWW.SMU.EDU/MASTERCOUNSELING

The faculty and staff look forward to seeing you in class!

