## Rehabilitation and Counselor Education, M.A.

### Academic Plans

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### Clinical Mental Health Counseling Subprogram

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**CMHC Elective**
- 3

**Spring**
- RCE:6352 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling | 12
- RCE:6353 Pre-Practicum and Case Management in Counseling | 3

**Final Exam**
- 15

**Total Hours:** 60

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### School Counseling Subprogram

#### Course Title Hours

#### Academic Career

**Any Semester**

60 s.h. must be graduate level coursework; graduate transfer credits and course substitution allowed upon approval. More information is included in the General Catalog and on department website.

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- Prior to fall 2018 a minimum of 57 s.h. were required for degree completion. Therefore, students admitted prior to fall 2018 will complete 57 s.h. and will not be held to the 60 s.h. requirement.
- Students who enter without teaching licensure are required to take the following classes in education: EPLS:3000, EDTL:4900, and PSQF:6200; these three courses do not count towards the 60 s.h. required to complete the degree.
- Students must complete specific requirements in the University of Iowa Graduate College after program admission. Refer to the Graduate College website and the Manual of Rules and Regulations for more information.
- Work with academic advisor to determine appropriate graduate electives and sequence.
- Typically completed during final semester. Includes a written six-hour exam in the departmental core and school counseling; an oral exam also is required unless waived by the MA comprehensive exam committee.