Program Assessment

Program effectiveness (i.e. achievement on program objectives) is assessed through the systematic evaluation of select Academic Quality Indicator using multiple assessments across multiple points in the curriculum specific to knowledge and skill, as noted in the table below.

Program Objectives

Objective I: Students will demonstrate content knowledge appropriate to working effectively

with diverse client/student populations in a pluralistic society.

Objective II: Students will demonstrate knowledge of and ability to effectively apply

counseling theory, skills, and techniques with diverse client/student populations

in a pluralistic society.

Objective III: Students will demonstrate understanding of and ability to apply-the appropriate

professional and ethical standards required to work effectively with diverse

client/student populations in a pluralistic society.

Objective IV: Students will demonstrate the personal and professional dispositions appropriate

to working effectively with diverse client/student populations in a pluralistic

society.

AQI = Academic Quality Indicator

PO = Program Objective

AQI	PO#	Measurement Standard	Focus	Course/Timeline
AQ1	PO1	Reflection Paper I	Knowledge	COUN 500/Year 1, Semester 1
AQ2	PO1	Competence Assignment	Knowledge	COUN 555/Year 1, Semester 2
AQ3	PO1	Diversity Presentation	Knowledge	COUN 608/Year 3, Semester 8
AQ4	PO2	Mock Session 1	Knowledge/Skills	COUN 500/Year 1, Semester 1
AQ5	PO2	Experiential Group	Knowledge/Skills	COUN 520/Year 1, Semester 2
AQ6	PO2	Child/Adolescent Interview	Knowledge/Skills	COUN 600/Year 2, Semester 5
AQ7	PO3	Ethics Case Study	Knowledge/Skills	COUN 501/Year 1, Semester 1
AQ8	PO3	Case Conceptualization/Presentation	Knowledge/Skills	COUN 601/Year 2, Semester 5
AQ9	PO4	Mock Session 3	Knowledge/Skills/Disposition	COUN 500/Year 1, Semester 1
AQ10	PO4	Fieldwork Site Supervisor	Knowledge/Skills/Dispositions	COUN 601/Year 2, Semester 5
		Eval/Disposition Section (Final)		
		Faculty Supervisor		
		Eval/Dispositions Section (final)		
AQ11	PO4	Fieldwork Site Supervisor	Knowledge/Skills/Disposition	COUN 608/Year 3, Semester 8
		Eval/Disposition Section (Final)		
		Faculty Supervisor		
		Eval/Dispositions Section (final)		

The program also collects data on program effectiveness through the surveys of community partners noted below. Analysis of this data is utilized by faculty for program improvement and development.

- 1. Employer Survey
- 2. Fieldwork Site Supervisor Survey
- 3. Graduate Survey

Individual Student Assessment

Student knowledge and learning is

Key Performance Indicators (KPI) assessing student knowledge and learning are measured using multiple measures over multiple points during the student's matriculation through the program noted below.

KPI I - CACREP 3. A	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate an understanding of the	Course: COUN 501	Course: COUN 630
professional identity, roles, responsibilities, and	Measurement: Ethics Case	Measurement: Quiz 1
dispositions inherent in the counseling discipline.	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 1	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 2
	Focus: Knowledge, skills, disposition	Focus: Knowledge
KPI 2 – CACREP 3. A	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate an understanding of the	Course: COUN 501	Course: COUN 630
professional identity, roles, responsibilities, and	Measurement: Reflection Paper	Measurement: Self-Care Strategies
dispositions inherent in the counseling discipline.	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 1	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 2
	Focus: Knowledge, Dispositions	Focus: Knowledge, Skills, Dispositions
KPI 3 – CACREP 3. B	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate multicultural knowledge,	Course: COUN 555	Course: COUN 545
self-awareness, humility, skill, and dispositions	Measurement: Competence Assign	Measurement: Up Journal (final)
necessary for working effectively within and across a	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 4	Timeline : Year 2, Semester 6
dynamic, pluralistic society.	Focus: Knowledge, Dispositions	Focus: Knowledge
KPI 4 – CACREP 3.C	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate knowledge and awareness of	Course: COUN 545	Course: COUN 630
(non) critical life events and stages that could influence	Measurement: Up Journal (final)	Measurement: Crisis Pamphlet
an individual's mental, emotional, and psychological	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 6	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 2
health and well-being across the lifespan.	Focus: Knowledge	Focus: Knowledge
KPI 5 – CACREP 3. D	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate the knowledge and skills	Course: COUN 501	Course: COUN 550
required to conceptualize client issues through a career	Measurement: Final Exam items	Measurement: Case Presentation
development theory framework and design an ethical,	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 1	Timeline: Year 3, Semester 8
effective, and evidence-based treatment plan to	Focus: Knowledge	Focus: Knowledge, Skills
maximize a client's career development and trajectory		
KPI 6 – CACREP 3. E	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate the requisite knowledge,	Course: COUN 500	Course: COUN 520
counseling skills, and professional dispositions	Measurement: Reflection Paper 2	Measurement: Group Proposal
necessary to establish and maintain quality therapeutic	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 1	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 2
alliances with diverse client populations.	Focus: Knowledge, Dispositions	Focus: Knowledge, Skills
KPI 7 – CACREP 3. F	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate the knowledge, skills, and	Course: COUN 520	Course: COUN 600
professional disposition necessary to conduct ethical,	Measurement: Group Proposal	Measurement: Group Curriculum
effective individual and group counseling services	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 2	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 5
	Focus: Knowledge, Skills	Focus: Knowledge
KPI 8- CACREP 3. G	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate understanding of the ethical	Course: COUN 540	Course: COUN 560
and legal issues required to prepare, implement, and	Measurement: Mid-Term/Final	Measurement: Final Exam
interpret assessment instruments and strategies for	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 6	Timeline: Year 1, Semester 3
clients as part of an effective individualized, evidence-	Focus: Knowledge	Focus: Knowledge
based treatment plan.		
KPI 9 – CACREP 3.H	Assassment I	Assessment II
KII) – CACKEI 3.II	Assessment I	
Students will demonstrate an understanding of the	Assessment I Course: COUN 560	Course: COUN 607
Students will demonstrate an understanding of the importance of using evidence-based models, strategies,		
Students will demonstrate an understanding of the	Course: COUN 560	Course: COUN 607

KPI 10 – CACREP 5-C (CMHC)	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate the knowledge, skills, and professional disposition necessary to conduct detailed	Course: COUN 515 Measurement: Clinical Interview	Course: COUN 601 Measurement: Case Presentation
clinical interviews and, by extension, create and maintain effective, evidenced-based individualized	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 4 Focus: Knowledge, Skills, Dispositions	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 5 Focus: Knowledge, Skills, Dispositions
treatment plans.	Pocus. Knowledge, Jamis, Dispositions	rocus. Knowieuge, Skins, Dispositions
KPI 11 – CACREP 5-C (CMHC)	Assessment I	Assessment II
Students will demonstrate the ability to draw from and	Course: COUN 635	Course: COUN 601
implement evidence-based strategies and interventions	Measurement: Case Concept	Measurement: Case Presentation
to facilitate the prevention and treatment across a wide	Timeline: Year 2, Semester 4	Timeline: Year 3, Semester 8
range mental and behavioral health issues. Students will also demonstrate, in word and deed, the professional dispositions expected of a Counseling professional.	Focus: Knowledge, Skills, Dispositions	Focus: Knowledge, Skills, Dispositions