**HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY SCIENCE: DEVELOPMENTAL AND FAMILY SCIENCES, MS**

Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2024-2025. Learn more about Graduate College Academic Regulation 7.0 ([http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70](http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70)).

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¹ If PSYC 5304 and PSYC 5314 are selected, total hours required for degree are increased by two.

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