HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY SCIENCE: MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY, MS

Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2023-2024. Learn more about Graduate College Academic Regulation 7.0 (http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70).

Thesis Option

Total Hours: 60

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		
AREA I. Theoretical Foundations		
HDFS 5613	Theoretical Models of Marriage and Family Therapy	3
HDFS 5623	Systems Theory and Applications to the Family	3
AREA II. Clinical Practice		
HDFS 5603	Pre-Practicum in Marriage and Family Therapy: Counseling Skills	3
HDFS 5633	Couples Treatment in Marriage and Family Therapy	3
HDFS 5643	Child and Adolescent Treatment in Marriage and Family Therapy	3
HDFS 5653	Systemic Approaches to Psychopathology and Psychopharmacology	3
AREA III. Individual Development and Family Relations		
HDFS 5213	Lifespan Development	3
HDFS 5523	Family Theory	3
HDFS 5543	Family Crisis and Trauma	3
HDFS 5583	Intimate Relationships and Sexuality across the Lifespan	3
AREA IV. Professional Identity and Ethics		
HDFS 5663	Professionalism and Ethics in Marriage and Family Therapy	3
Standard Curriculum Clinical Experience Requirements		
(minimum of 15 hours)		
HDFS 5690	Marriage and Family Therapy Practicum (Minimum of 18 months of practicum experience required and a minimum of 500 client contact hours.) [1]	15
AREA V. Research		
HDFS 5123	Research Methods and Design in HDFS I	3
Area VI. Additional Learning		
All students are required to complete either thesis (6 hours of HDFS 5000 Masters Research and an advisor-approved statistics/research methods course) or complete a creative component (HDFS 5160) and six additional hours of elective courses.		
HDFS 5000	Master's Thesis	6
Select 3 hours from the following:		3
REMS 5953	Statistical Methods in Education	
STAT 5013	Statistics for Experimenters I	
Committee-approved equivalent		
Total Hours		**60**

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Total hours for HDFS 5690 can range from 15-18. Any hours beyond 15 for this course increase the total hours required for this degree.

Non-Thesis Option

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HDFS 5160	Master's Creative Component	3
Select two 3-credit hours courses of advisor-approved electives.		6
Total Hours		**60**

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Graduate College Master's Program Requirements

Learn more about Graduate College 2023-2024 Master's Degree Program Requirements (http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/). Check the General Graduate College academic regulations for minimal GPA, language proficiency and other general requirements.