

Counseling Programs

Vital Statistics | 2022-23 Academic Year Enrollment

Current Students					
	Graduate		Undergraduate Accelerated		
AY 2022-2023	Addiction Counseling	Clinical Mental Health Counseling	Psychology B.S./M.S. Addiction Counseling	Psychology B.S./M.S Clinical Mental Health	Total
Full Time	7	51	0	12	70
Part Time	1	8	0	0	9
Total	8	59	0	12	79

Graduates AY 2022-2023

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Addiction Counseling	3
Clinical Mental Health Counseling	24
Total:	27

Completion Rates (Cohorts 9 and 10):

Student Retention Rate and Student Full Time Graduation rate within 18 and 24 months

1YR Retention- Cohort 9 June 2021 (Summer 2021)			Full Time Graduation Rate- Cohort 9 June 2021 (Summer 2021)					
Total Cohort (FT + PT)	Count Retained or Graduated at 1YR	%	Cohort	Count Graduated	Count Graduated w/in 18 MO	%	Count Graduated w/in 24 MO	%
15	14	93.3%	13	12	8	61.5%	12	92.3%
1YR Retention- Cohort 10 Jan 2022 (202230)			Full Time* Graduation Rate- Cohort 10 January 2022 (202230)					
Total Cohort (FT + PT)	Count Retained or Graduated at 1YR	%	Cohort	Count Graduated	Count Graduated w/in 18 MO	%	*Count Graduated w/in 24 MO	*%
8	8	100.0%	8	6	2	25.0%	6	*75.0%

* "True" graduation rate cannot be calculated until 24 Month Completion Term has passed

Pass rates on credentialing examinations and license acquisition (Cohorts 1-6):

The program annually surveys all its graduates and requests updates on examinations taken, pass rates for examinations and certifications and licensing documentation. This data is gathered via an annual survey and review of RI Department of Health, which lists active Licensed Mental Health Counselors in the state. Because this information is based on the voluntary sharing of alumni data and program efforts to review state records, it is necessarily incomplete. As of the writing of this report, 49 graduates have passed the NCMHCE credentialing exam and are Licensed Mental Health Counselors in Rhode Island. Two graduates are Licensed Professional Counselors in Connecticut. This number (54) represents 36% of the 151 eligible graduates from the first six cohorts. (Cohort 6 became eligible in 2023).

Job Placement Rates (Cohorts 3-8):

In terms of program effectiveness, as measured by employment, the following table provides data for the past five (5) graduating cohorts between 2017 and 2022 (Cohorts 3-8). There were 120 graduates surveyed, 77 graduates replied to the survey and 97% of respondents reported that they are working in the field of counseling.

Survey: Total Number of Graduates 2017-2022		
Cohorts 3-8	120 surveyed graduates	
Employed in field	77	64%
Employed out of field	2	2%
No response	41	34%

Seventy-nine of 120 graduates (64%) responded to the survey. Seventy-seven respondents are employed in the field, 7 of these individuals are continuing or planning to continue their education. Two respondents are employed outside of the counseling field. This survey will be reissued in the fall of 2023.