Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Program-Level Student Learning Outcomes as prescribed by CACREP, specialized accreditor

1. PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING ORIENTATION – Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate an understanding of professional counselor identity.

2. ETHICAL PRACTICE—Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate an understanding of professional counseling ethical practice.

3. SOCIAL AND CULTURAL DIVERSITY – Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate knowledge of multicultural counseling competencies and identity development.

4. HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT - Skills Outcome: Students will be able to identify phases of human growth and development and how they conceptualize the client.

5. CAREER DEVELOPMENT - Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate an understanding of career development and related life factors.

6. COUNSELING AND HELPING RELATIONSHIPS - Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate knowledge of theoretical frameworks, case conceptualization skills, and strategies for incorporating evidence-based practice into counseling.

7. GROUP COUNSELING AND GROUP WORK - Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate knowledge about the theoretical frameworks, development and facilitation of group work.

8. ASSESSMENT AND TESTING - Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate an understanding of individual and group approaches to assessment and evaluation.

9. RESEARCH AND PROGRAM EVALUATION - Skills Outcome: Students will be able to identify and critique counseling research.

10. CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING Specialty Area - Knowledge Outcome: Students will demonstrate the knowledge necessary to address a wide variety of circumstances within the context of clinical mental health counseling.