

Master of Ministerial Counseling

This program is designed in a way that focuses on equipping students with the knowledge as well as the application of counseling skills for ministry at church or Christian counseling centres. It is unique in the way that it integrates clinical counseling practice with Christian theological foundations, addressing behavioral health issues for individuals, couples, families, and groups. This program is not a Malaysian licensure degree, but graduates from this program will undergo practicum as well as internship, supervised by qualified, experienced counselors and mental health professionals to serve effectively for God's Kingdom. **Graduation requirement: 60 credits.**

Admission Criteria

- Spiritual maturity and active church attendance
- Church endorsement
- Existing bachelor's degree from various fields

Program Structure (60 credits)

- Economical and convenient education design to accommodate students with work and ministry commitments.
- A modular program of 20 modules. Each module is scheduled over 5 - 10 weeks and is held on Mondays-Fridays, or Saturdays.
- Time of classes: From 7:00 pm- 10:00 pm weekdays and Saturday mornings.
- Up to 80% of coursework available in a hybrid-online format.

Core Courses	30 Credits
Basic Counseling Skills*	3
Counseling Theories *	3
Ethics in Counseling *	3
Human Personality *	3
Couple & Marriage Counseling	3
Family Counseling	3
Counseling Practicum I	3
Counseling Practicum II	3
Internship	6
Biblical Components	12 Credits
Introduction to Old Testament *	3
Introduction to New Testament*	3
Christ & Salvation *	3
Spiritual Formation *	3

Focus/Concentration (to complete 4 out of 7 courses)	12 Credits
Biblical Truth Therapy	3
Group processes & Counseling	3
Crisis Counseling	3
Major issues in counseling	3
Psychotherapy	3
Introduction to Psychology	3
Trauma informed counseling	3

Electives (to complete any 2 counseling courses)	6 Credits
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Notes:

1. *Students who have taken the above subjects prior to the Master's program can replace it with other Counseling and Theology electives.
2. The above listed modules are subject to change.