

COMMUNITY CARE & COUNSELING (ED.S.) - TRAUMATOLOGY

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2025 through summer 2026. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

| Code | Title | Hours |
|---------------------|---|-----------|
| Core Courses | | |
| EDCO 705 | Issues and Trends in Community Counseling | 3 |
| EDCO 711 | Advanced Group Counseling | 3 |
| EDCO 715 | Applied Counseling Theories | 3 |
| EDCO 725 | Teaching and Learning | 3 |
| EDCO 741 | Introduction to Research Methods | 3 |
| Total Hours | | 15 |

| Code | Title | Hours |
|-----------------------------|---|-----------|
| Traumatology Cognate | | |
| TRMA 800 | Child Adolescent Trauma Research Design | 3 |
| TRMA 810 | Adult and Familial Trauma | 3 |
| TRMA 820 | Disaster Mental Health and Community Response | 3 |
| TRMA 830 | Assessment and Testing in the Treatment of Trauma | 3 |
| TRMA 840 | Empirically-Supported Treatments for Trauma | 3 |
| Total Hours | | 15 |

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- Complete 30 hours
- A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level
- 3.0 GPA
- No grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree
- Degree must be completed within 5 years
- Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Program Offered in Online Format

Course Sequence

| Course | Title | Hours |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|
| First Year | | |
| First Semester | | |
| EDCO 705 | Issues and Trends in Community Counseling | 3 |
| EDCO 715 | Applied Counseling Theories | 3 |
| EDCO 711 | Advanced Group Counseling ¹ | 3 |
| EDCO 741 | Introduction to Research Methods | 3 |
| Hours | | 12 |

| Course | Title | Hours |
|------------------------|---|-----------|
| Second Semester | | |
| EDCO 725 | Teaching and Learning | 3 |
| TRMA 800 | Child Adolescent Trauma Research Design | 3 |
| TRMA 810 | Adult and Familial Trauma | 3 |
| TRMA 820 | Disaster Mental Health and Community Response | 3 |
| Hours | | 12 |
| Second Year | | |
| First Semester | | |
| TRMA 830 | Assessment and Testing in the Treatment of Trauma | 3 |
| TRMA 840 | Empirically-Supported Treatments for Trauma | 3 |
| Hours | | 6 |
| Total Hours | | 30 |

¹ Intensive Format optional