



Ponce Health Sciences University

PsyD in Clinical Psychology Curricular Sequence

FIRST YEAR (Foundation)

First Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 511	Fundamentals of Neuroscience	3
PSY 512	Neuroanatomy Laboratory	2
PSY 515	Human Growth & Development	3
PSY 522	Psychology of Personality	3
PSY 581	Introduction to Clinical Practice	0
PSY 625	Test Construction	2
Total Credits		13
Second Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 523	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSY 527	History of Psychological Thought	2
PSY 514	Neurobiology & Psych of Emotion & Mot	2
PSY 573	Ethics in Professional Psychology	2
PSY 541	Fund of Clinical Psychopathology	2
PSY 582	Fund Clin Interventions & Emergency Psy	0
PSY 686	Intro to Psych Assessment & Testing	2
Total Credits		13

THIRD YEAR (Intervention)

First Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 772	Prog Dev & Administrat in Mental Health	2
PSY 724	Research Practicum: Data Coll & Analysis	0
PSY 648	Psychopath Disord in Child & Adolescent	2
PSY 786	General Clinical Practice: Integration I	0
PSY 731	Racial, Ethnic & Cultural Diversity	3
PSY 755 *	Psychoed Ass & Prof Cons Acad Settings	2
* Recommended	Total Credits	9
Second Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 766	Group Processes & Group Psychotherapy	2
PSY 747	Personality & Psychotic Disorders	3
PSY 717	Clinical Psychopharmacology	2
PSY 657	Objective Assessment of Personality	3
PSY 787	General Clinical Practice: Integration II	0
	Elective	2
	Clinical Practice Examination	
Total Credits		12

SECOND YEAR (Psychopathology & Assessment)

First Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 620	Applied Research for Psychologists	2
PSY 660	Behavior Modification: Theory & Practice	2
PSY 652	Cognitive Assessment	3
PSY 681	Cognitive Assessment Practicum	0
PSY 645	Mood and Anxiety Disorders	3
PSY 685	Conceptualization & Intervent Planning	0
PSY 518	Principles of Psychoneuroimmunology	1
Total Credits		11
Second Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 662	Cognit and Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy	2
PSY 658	Projective Assessment of Personality	2
PSY 688	Practicum Projective Personality Assessm	0
PSY 767	Fam Therapy and Systemic Intervention	2
PSY 623	Qual/Quant Methods & Descrip Statistics	3
PSY 667	Short-Term Psychotherapy	2
PSY 683	Psychotherapeutic Techniques	0
	Comprehensive Examination	
Total Credits		11

FOURTH YEAR (Elective Professional Courses)

First Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 832	Social Bases of Behavior	3
PSY	Elective	3
PSY	Elective	2
PSY 826	Doctoral Dissertation	0
Total Credits		8
Second Semester		
CODE	COURSE TITLE	Credits
PSY 773	Supervision and Consultation	3
PSY	Elective	2
PSY	Elective	2
PSY	Elective	2
PSY 826	Doctoral Dissertation	0
Total Credits		9

FIFTH YEAR (Internship)

First Semester & Second Semester	
PSY 900 Pre-doctoral Internship	2000 contact hours
Total credits required for PsyD degree	
86	