

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, MASTER OF ARTS (MA)

Required Core Courses

ADST 501	RELAPSE PREVENTION	2
ADST 502	COUNSELING THEORIES FOR ADDICTION PROFESSIONALS	2
ADST 503	HIV/AIDS AND ADDICTION TREATMENT	2
ADST 504	ADOLESCENT ADDICTION ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT	4
ADST 505	ADDICTION GROUP COUNSELING	2
ADST 512	PHARMACOLOGICAL ACTIONS OF ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS	4
ADST 520	CASE MANAGEMENT	4
ADST 530	ADDICTION TREATMENT WITH FAMILIES AND DIVERSE POPULATIONS	4
ADST 535	CONFIDENTIALITY, LAW AND ETHICS FOR THE ADDICTION PROFESSIONAL	4
ADST 542	SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT OF CO-OCCURRING DISORDERS	4
ADST 544	TREATING CO-OCCURRING DISORDERS	4
ADST 602	ADST PROFESSIONAL PORTFOLIO	2
Specialized Content		
ADST 548	MEDICATION ASSISTED TREATMENT	2
ADST 550	SPIRITUALITY AND ADDICTION	4
ADST 552	PROCESS ADDICTIONS	4
ADST 554	TRAUMA INFORMED CARE	4
ADST 555	FOOD AND ADDICTION	4
ADST 582	RESEARCH FOR EVIDENCE BASED PRACTICE	4
Optional Practicum		
ADST 595	ADST BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COUNSELING PRACTICUM	
ADST 695	ADST BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COUNSELING PRACTICUM II	

Total Credits 60

Students who successfully earn an MA in Behavioral Health from EWU should be able to do the following

- adapt therapeutic responses to client stated recovery goals;
- apply NAADAC ethical decision-making model to address an ethical dilemma;
- create a treatment plan that demonstrates knowledge of ASAM Criteria;
- determine the types of medications used to treat substance use disorders;
- develop an effective continuum of recovery plan to reduce consequences of substance abuse
- evaluate the neurobehavioral effects of psychoactive substances on the brain and body;
- incorporating the needs of diverse clients.