# DEPARTMENT OF COUNSELING

2017 PROGRAM OUTCOMES REPORT



#### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the UNO Counseling Department is to provide high quality training and curricular experiences to masters-level candidates, leading to eligibility for professional counselor certification and licensure. We educate academically grounded and clinically skilled counselors who are competent to work with diverse clients and in a variety of settings, with special emphasis on issues that emerge in a metropolitan environment. Through implementation of a rigorous CACREP accredited program, candidates will acquire knowledge and skills to practice effectively and ethically, develop as critical and innovative thinkers, and become leaders in the counseling profession and in their particular specialization.

#### CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING PROGRAM

YEAR	NUMBER OF GRADUATES	COMPLETION RATE	NCE EXAM PASS RATE	PLACEMENT RATE*
2016-17	22	75%	87.5%	85%

Data from Fall 2016, Spring 2017, and Summer 2017.

## SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM

YEAR	NUMBER OF GRADUATES	COMPLETION RATE	PRAXIS II PASS RATE	PLACEMENT RATE*
2016-17	13	90%	100%	100%

<sup>\*</sup>Represents the percentage of graduates actively seeking employment.

#### DEPARTMENT of COUNSELING AVERAGE CLASS SIZE:

CACREP 2009 STANDARD REQUIREMENT	COURSE	AVERAGE SIZE
Teacher to Student Ratio of 6:1	Practicum COUN 8220	6.5
reacher to student Ratio of 6.1	Practicum COUN 8330	8
Teacher to Student Ratio of 12:1	Internship I – COUN 8250	7
	Internship I – COUN 8430	4.3
	Internship II – COUN 8260	6.3
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Data present in the table above is for average class size over a seven-year time period, since the fall of 2008 to the summer of 2015.



## UNIVERSITY of NEBRASKA at OMAHA STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS:

For more information about the University of Nebraska at Omaha's demographics and student profile, please visit, http://digitalcommons.unomaha.edu/oie/

## UNO Student Characteristics - Age Diversity | 2016

AGE GROUP	UNDERGRADUATE	GRADUATE
Under 19	30%	0%
20-24	48%	24%
25-29	11%	32%
30-39	7%	26%
40 & Over	3%	18%

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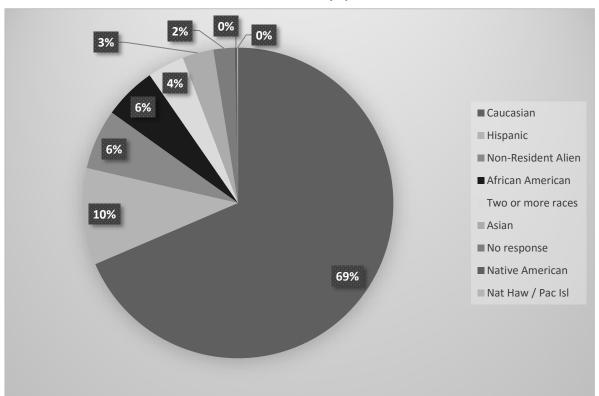
# UNO Student Characteristics - Gender | 2016

GENDER	UNDERGRADUATE	GRADUATE
Male	50%	41%
Female	50%	59%



### UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS:

## UNO Student Characteristics – Ethnicity | 2016



## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

To learn more about the UNO Department of Counseling, our programs, and how CACREP accreditation benefits students and alumni please visit: www.unomaha.edu/college-of-education/counseling/, call our office at (402) 554-2727 or stop by our suite in Roskens Hall, room 101.

## STUDENT OUTCOME DATA FOR LAST THREE YEARS

### **Praxis Exam Pass Rate**

	Number of Students	
Academic Year	Completed Exam	Pass Rate (%)
2016-2017	12	100%
2015-2016	9	100%
2014-2015	6	80%

School Counseling students are required to take the Praxis II exam prior to graduating. Passing the Praxis exam is a requirement for state certification for endorsement as a school counselor in NE.

## Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Exam (CPCE; CMHC Exit Exam)\*

	Number of Students	
Academic Year	Completed Exam	Pass Rate (%)
2016-2017	9	99%
2015-2016	9	90%
2014-2015	26	85%

<sup>\*</sup>The CPCE is the exit/comprehensive exam for CMHC students. It is distinct from the National Counselor Exam. Successful completion of the CPCE does not replace successful completion of the NCE as requirement for licensure as a professional counselor in NE.

## National Counselor Examination (NCE)\*

	Number of Students	
Academic Year	Completed Exam	Pass Rate (%)
2016-2017	22	87.5%
2015-2016	20	100%
2014-2015	34	95%

<sup>\*</sup>CMHC students are allowed to take the NCE during final semester of program given our CACREP accreditation in CMHC. The NCE is required for professional licensure in NE, but taking/passing the NCE is NOT a CMHC or COUN Dept. graduation requirement.

## **Master's Program Completion Rate**

	Number of Students	Percentage of Students
	Completed within Expected	Completed within Expected
Academic Year	Time Frame	Time Frame
2016-2017	37	85%
2015-2016	68 (actually graduated)	85%
2014-2015	52 (actually graduated)	80%

UNO makes every effort to accommodate non-traditional students that have other responsibilities that prevent them from following the traditional full time student curriculum.

# **Employment Rates of Graduates within One Year of Graduation**

Academic Year	Employment Rate in Profession	
2016-2017	95%	
2015-2016	83.3%	
2014-2015	91%	