



COUN6301 Psychopathology: Diagnosis & Treatment
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary
Counseling Division
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Mission Statement

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary and Leavell College prepare servants to walk with Christ, proclaim His truth, and fulfill His mission.

Core Value Focus

The seminary has five core values: Doctrinal Integrity, Spiritual Vitality, Mission Focus, Characteristic Excellence, and Servant Leadership. The core value focus for this academic year is Mission Focus.

Curriculum Competencies

All graduates of NOBTS are expected to have at least a minimum level of competency in each of the following areas: Biblical Exposition, Christian Theological Heritage, Disciple Making, Interpersonal Skills, Servant Leadership, Spiritual and Character Formation, and Worship Leadership. The curriculum competencies addressed in this course are interpersonal skills and servant leadership.

Course Description

This course is designed as a comprehensive overview of mental disorders and treatments. Students will acquire a working knowledge of the DSM-5 classification system, the diagnostic categories, and the primary treatment options for the major mental disorders. Diagnostic techniques, etiology and pathogenesis, epidemiology, clinical course, and psychopharmacology are also examined. This course is a prerequisite for full admission to the counseling program, including the practicum and internship.

Syllabus Distribution

This syllabus will be made available via blackboard one week prior to the first day of class. Due to regular semester updates, any version accessed prior to this date may contain inaccuracies.

Program Objectives:

#2. Upon successful completion of one of the master's programs in counseling, graduates should be able to synthesize theoretical and empirical knowledge in the field of counseling.

#4. Upon successful completion of one of the master's programs in counseling, graduates should be able to integrate historical Christian beliefs, faith, and spirituality with the best practices of mental health science, in an ethical manner.

Key Performance Indicator	Learning Experiences	Assessments
2.F.1.a History and philosophy of the counseling profession and its specialty areas	<i>Instruction</i> Reading assignments, lectures, videos. <i>Reading</i> DSM-5, <i>Abnormal Psychology in a Changing World, 10/e</i> , <i>Modern Psychopathologies, 2/e</i>	<i>Course Assignments</i> Midterm & Final Exams

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Students will examine the nomenclature, concepts, codes, and definitions intrinsic to the study of abnormal psychology. (2.F.1.a, 2.F.3.c, 2.F.3.e-g, 2.F.8.a)	<i>Instruction</i> Class lecture, video and discussion <i>Readings</i> DSM-5 and Required Texts	<i>Course Assignments</i> Midterm Exam Final Exam
Students will acquire a working knowledge of the 16 major diagnostic classifications and one additional "Other Conditions. . ." section of the DSM-5.	<i>Instruction</i> Class lecture, video and discussion <i>Readings</i> DSM-5 and Required Texts	<i>Course Assignments</i> Midterm Exam Final Exam
Students will learn the primary diagnostic criteria for the major mental disorders. (2.F.3.c)	<i>Instruction</i> Class Lecture, video and discussion <i>Readings</i> DSM-5 and Required Text <i>Nevid, et al.</i>	<i>Course Assignments</i> Midterm Exam Final Exam
Students will acquire a general knowledge of the primary treatment options for the major mental disorders. (2.F.5.h,i)	<i>Instruction</i> Class lecture, video and discussion <i>Practice</i> Lethality Assessment <i>Readings</i> DSM-5 and Required Texts	<i>Course Assignments</i> Midterm Exam Final Exam
Students will appreciate how an understanding of abnormal psychology and modern-day psychiatry may complement the Christian counselor's efforts to minister to individuals and families touched by mental illness.	<i>Instruction</i> Class lecture, video and discussion <i>Readings</i> Required Text <i>Yarhouse, et al.</i>	<i>Course Assignments</i> Midterm Exam Final Exam

Course Requirements and Evaluation of Grades

Assignment/Requirements & Description	Percentage	Due Date
Reading Quizzes Students will be given 6 Reading Quizzes throughout the semester. <i>All quizzes will be primarily multiple-choice. Although overlap will exist between lectures and reading, quizzes will primarily contain questions from the reading</i>	35%	Every other Tuesday (see course schedule for

<i>assignments. This is a fast-paced and academically demanding course. Students are strongly encouraged to stay current with the reading assignments.</i>		specific dates)
Mid-Term Examination <i>The mid-term and final exams will contain questions from both reading and lecture. Midterm and Final exam will include discussion / diagnosis, short answer, listing, multiple choice, and matching.</i>	30%	Anytime Oct 13-25
Final Examination <i>The mid-term and final exams will contain questions from both reading and lecture. Midterm and Final exam will include discussion / diagnosis, short answer, listing, multiple choice, and matching.</i>	35%	Per Catalog Tuesday, Dec 10

Course Teaching Methodology

The course will involve the following methodologies:

Lecture: this course is content rich and provides the foundational knowledge for interfacing with the mental health treatment community.

Video: Real examples of individuals with diagnoses and symptoms presented in class help students understand what mental disorders “look like.”

Discussion: Students will participate in discussions designed to enrich understanding and conceptualization of difficult content.

Textbooks

Required Textbooks

American Psychiatric Association. (2013) *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, 5th edition (DSM-5)*. Washington, K.D.: A.P.A. (ISBN: 978-0890425558)

Nevid, Jeffery S., Spencer A. Rathus & Beverly Greene. (2017) *Abnormal Psychology in a Changing World, 10/e*. New Jersey: Prentice-Hall. (ISBN: 978-0134484921)

Yarhouse, Butman, & McRay. (2016). *Modern Psychopathologies: A Comprehensive Christian Appraisal/2e*. InterVarsity Press. (ISBN: 9780830828500)

Required Articles

Captari, LE, Hook, JN, Hoyt, W, Davis, DE, McElroy-Heltzel, SE, Worthington, EL. Integrating clients’ religion and spirituality within psychotherapy: A comprehensive meta-analysis. *J Clin Psychol*. 2018; 74: 1938– 1951. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jclp.22681>

David M. Blankenship; Five Efficacious Treatments for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: An Empirical Review. *Journal of Mental Health Counseling* 1 October 2017; 39 (4): 275–288. doi: <https://doi.org/10.17744/mehc.39.4.01>

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Marks, A. The evolution of our understanding and treatment of eating disorders over the past 50 years. *J. Clin. Psychol*. 2019; 75: 1380– 1391. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jclp.22782>

Thomas A. Field; Clinical Mental Health Counseling: A 40-Year Retrospective. *Journal of Mental Health*

Counseling 1 January 2017; 39 (1): 1–11. doi: <https://doi.org/10.17744/mehc.39.1.01>

Siev, J, Rasmussen, J, Sullivan, ADW, Wilhelm, S. Clinical features of scrupulosity: Associated symptoms and comorbidity. *J Clin Psychol.* 2020; 1– 16. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jclp.23019>

Stefan, S., Cristea, I. A., Szentagotai Tatar, A., & David, D. (2019). Cognitive-behavioral therapy (CBT) for generalized anxiety disorder: Contrasting various CBT approaches in a randomized clinical trial. *Journal of Clinical Psychology, 75*(7), 1188–1202. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jclp.22779>

Optional Texts

Paris, Joel. (2013) *The Intelligent Clinician's Guide to the DSM-5*. Oxford University Press, USA. (ISBN: 978-0199738175)

Preston, John, Mary Talaga, and John O'Neal. (2017) *Handbook of Clinical Psychopharmacology for Therapists*, 8th edition. Oakland: New Harbinger Press, Inc. (ISBN: 978-1626259256)

Evaluation of Grade

This course is graded according to seminary policy:

- A--93-100
- B--85-92*
- C--77-84
- D--70-76
- F--Below 70

**Students are required to pass this course with a grade of B or higher to apply for full program acceptance.*

Addition Items and Class Policies

Academic Honesty Policy

All graduate and undergraduate NOBTS students, whether on-campus, internet, or extension center students, are expected to adhere to the highest Christian standard of honesty and integrity when completing academic assignments for all courses in every delivery system format. The Bible provides our standard for academic integrity and honesty. This standard applies whether a student is taking tests, quizzes, exams, writing papers, completing Discussion Boards, or any other course requirement.

Academic Policies

Academic policies relating to absences, grading scale, final examination schedules, and other topics can be found in the current online catalog: [New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary Academic Catalog](#).

Classroom Parameters

Please arrive on time.
Turn off cell phones. Utilize laptops and other technology for class purposes only.
Respect the professor and other members of the class.
Maintain confidentiality when someone shares personal information.
Participate in class and group discussions.

Classroom Participation/Active Dialogue

Student participation is expected. Class interaction is an important and valuable aspect of the learning environment where we can experience the truth of the Great Commandment by truly knowing one another.

Disabilities and Accommodations

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary does not discriminate against applicants/ students on the basis of

personal disabilities. The Seminary, in voluntary compliance with the American Disabilities Act, will provide reasonable institutional accommodations, modifications, and adjustments to enable and empower students with disabilities to participate in Seminary programs and activities to the fullest extent possible. However, NOBTS cannot support accommodations that place undue hardship on the Seminary or its resources or which alter the essential requirements of curriculum and academic progress. While the seminary does not provide direct assistance to students in the form of equipment or personnel, accommodations may be made by individual professors at their discretion. These accommodations usually take the form of early access to lecture materials in electronic format and additional time to complete tests and assignments. The most efficient way to pursue such accommodations is to provide the Director of Testing and Counseling (Dr. Jeff Nave, jnave@nobts.edu, 504-282-4455 ext. 8004) with documentation of the condition for which you seek accommodation, an explanation of helpful accommodations received in the past, and a description of the specific accommodations you desire. The Director of Testing and Counseling will document your request and communicate on your behalf with the professors who teach the course(s) for which you are registered. The seminary reserves the right to consider each request for “special” accommodations on a case by case basis pursuant to the criteria enumerated above.

Diversity

The Counseling Program at NOBTS affirms the Christian doctrinal position that God created man in His own image, and that Christ died for man; therefore, every person of every race possesses full dignity and is worthy of respect and Christian love. We believe the counseling profession affords our students and graduates the opportunity to be “salt and light” (Matthew 5:13-16) whatever their places of service, and that a robust appreciation for and sensitivity to human diversity is key to that end. Further, a learning environment diverse in its people, curricula, scholarship, research, and creative activities expands opportunities for intellectual inquiry and engagement, helps students develop critical thinking skills, and prepares students for social and civic responsibilities. Students and faculty benefit from diversity. The quality of learning, research, scholarship, and creative activities are enhanced by a climate of inclusion, understanding, and appreciation of the full range of human experience. We are committed to nurturing and training a diverse student body in an atmosphere of mutual respect and appreciation of differences. As a result, the counseling program is committed to diversity and equal opportunity and recognizes that it must represent the diversity inherent in American society, reflected in our local community, and aligned with the core values of the NOBTS community.

Emergencies

In cases of emergency, such as hurricanes, disease outbreaks, or other disasters, go to the seminary website (www.nobts.edu) for information. The seminary administration will post information, such as the nature of the emergency, instructions for response, and evacuation and return dates. Please check Blackboard for information specific to this course. Because Blackboard is available, the course will continue even if the main campus is closed. Please consider registering for the seminary’s priority text messaging service through [SelfServe](#). This service is used only in emergencies and will allow the seminary to deliver urgent information to you as needed.

Extra Credit

No extra credit is available in this course.

Netiquette

Netiquette refers to appropriate online behavior in Blackboard or other online discussions. Each student is expected to demonstrate appropriate Christian behavior when working online on Discussion Boards or whenever interaction occurs through web, digital, or other electronic medium. The student is expected to interact with other students in a fashion that will promote learning and respect for the opinions of others in the course. A spirit of Christian charity is expected at all times in the online environment.

Plagiarism on Written Assignments

NOBTS has a no tolerance policy for plagiarism and considers it a serious academic and ethical offense. Plagiarism in certain cases may result in expulsion from the seminary. See the NOBTS *Student Handbook* for the definition, penalties, and policies associated with plagiarism. See your style guides (APA or Turabian) for correct format for citation in your assignments.

Policy for Graduating Seniors

Graduating seniors are responsible for alerting the professor of your intention to graduate. All of your assignments

must be completed by noon (12:00 PM) on the Wednesday prior to commencement exercises.

Professor's Policy on Late Assignments

All work is due on the assigned date in the syllabus. The grade for late assignments will automatically be reduced by one letter grade per week late.

Professional Conduct

Students are expected to adhere to the appropriate codes of ethics for their particular programs. Any behavior deemed unethical will be grounds for dismissal from the program.

Professor's Availability and Assignment Feedback

The student may contact the professor at any time using the email address provided in the course syllabus. The professor will make every effort to return answers to emailed questions within a 24-hour period of time. Assignments requiring grading will be returned to the student within a reasonable period of time. Student feedback on graded assignments will be provided through the grading rubric located in the student's Blackboard Grade Book. The student will find comments in the grading rubric, as well as on graded paper assignments. The student may also email the course grader with questions regarding grading.

Reading Assignments

Students are responsible for completing all reading assignments and are expected to demonstrate completion of readings through class discussion.

Technical Assistance

For assistance regarding technology, consult the NOBTS Information Technology Center (ITC) at 504-816-8180 or the following websites:

1. Selfserve@nobts.edu - Email for technical questions/support requests with the Selfserve.nobts.edu site (Access to online registration, financial account, online transcript, etc.)
2. BlackboardHelpDesk@nobts.edu - Email for technical questions/support requests with the NOBTS Blackboard Learning Management System NOBTS.Blackboard.com.
3. ITCSupport@nobts.edu - Email for general technical questions/support requests.
4. www.NOBTS.edu/itc/ - General NOBTS technical help information is provided on this website.

Writing Center

NOBTS has adopted a Quality Enhancement Plan to improve English writing at the graduate level. As part of this effort, NOBTS has established a writing center located in the Hardin Student Center (290B). Visit the official [NOBTS Writing Center](#) online help site for writing academic papers and essays. You will discover writing guides, tips, and valuable information to help you become a better writer. Go here for Turabian and APA style helps and guidelines. You will also find language fonts for Greek and Hebrew. More information about how to set up an appointment for writing assistance is available on the writing center page.

Writing Style

All papers in counseling courses are to be written in American Psychological Association (APA) style. Please see the latest edition of the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association*.

Weekly Agenda and Reading Schedule

*indicates *DSM-5* reading

+indicates *Abnormal Psychology in a Changing World, 10/e* reading

#indicates *Modern Psychopathologies: A Comprehensive Christian Appraisal/2e* reading

Important Note: Each reading assignment is to be completed prior to the Tuesday quizzes. The journal articles posted in the unit folders are required reading. Seven quizzes will be given on selected Tuesdays. The lowest quiz grade will be dropped before the student's final average is computed.

Bring your DSM-5 to class each day.

DATES	QUIZZES/EXAMS	ASSIGNMENTS/READINGS
Aug 25	Quiz Sep 1 on Ch. 1,2,3	*xiii through 25, 817-831 +Chapters 1, 2, 3 #Ch. 1-3 Introduction, Methods of Research Contemporary Perspectives and Treatment, Nature vs. Nurture DSM-5 Classification and Assessment (Individuals, Couples, and Families)
Sep 1		
Sep 8	Quiz Sep 15 on Ch. 13	* pages 31-86, 733-748 +Chapter 13 #Ch. 4, 7 Neurodevelopmental Disorders, Abnormal Behavior in Childhood, and Adolescence Sociocultural Foundations of Mental Illness
Sep 15		
Sep 22	Quiz Sep 29 on Ch. 11	*pages 87-122 +Chapter 11 #Ch. 13 Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders
Sep 29		
Oct 6	Quiz Oct 13 on Ch. 7	*pages 123-188 +Chapter 7 #Ch. 9 Mood Disorders
Oct 13		
Mid-Term Exam		Midterm may be taken on Blackboard on your own Oct 13-25
Oct 19-23	FALL BREAK	FALL BREAK--NO CLASS MEETING
Oct 27	Quiz Oct 29 on Ch. 4 & 5	*pages 189-290 +Chapters 4 and 5 #Ch. 5, 8 Anxiety Disorders, OCD, and related disorders Stress Related Disorders
Oct 29		
Nov 3	Quiz Nov 10 on Ch. 6	*pages 291-328 + Chapter 6 #Ch. 10 Dissociative Disorders, Somatic Symptom and Related disorders
Nov 10		
Nov 17	Quiz Nov 17 on Ch. 12	*pages 461-480, 645-684, 761-782 +Chapter 12 #Ch. 11 Personality Disorders Impulse Control Disorders
Nov 23-27	THANKSGIVING BREAK	NO CLASS MEETING
Dec 1		NO IN-PERSON MEETING: Class meets on BlueJeans #Ch. 16 Problems Stemming from Societal Pathology The counselor and Interdisciplinary Community Care Review for Final Exam
FINAL EXAM	Final Exam Dec 8	Final Exam is on Blackboard, Dec 8, from 12:00 AM-11:59 PM

Although overlap will exist between lectures and reading, quizzes will primarily contain questions from the reading assignments. The mid-term and final exams will contain questions from both sources. All quizzes will be primarily multiple-choice. Midterm and Final exams will include discussion / diagnosis, short answer, listing, multiple choice, and matching. This is a fast-paced and academically demanding course.

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