

# MASTERS PROGRAMS in INFANT MENTAL HEALTH



## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INFANT MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

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- Programs focus on the personal and professional growth of students, preparing them to promote infant-caregiver relationships
- Curriculum is designed to meet the recently proposed Pennsylvania Early Childhood Mental Health Competencies for children 0 through 5
- Students are given the chance to engage in community-based leadership opportunities
- Students complete practicum and internships in a variety of settings that serve infants, toddlers, and their families with Reflective Supervision provided by IMH faculty
- Program features opportunities to interact with nationally recognized leaders in the Infant Mental Health field
- Full and part-time options
- Classes offered online, in the evenings, and on the weekends

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AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

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## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 preferred
- Personal statement
- Copy of curriculum vitae or resume
- Two letters of recommendation from previous faculty or employers
- Evidence of completion of undergraduate level courses in statistics, biology, and psychology *(An applicant may be accepted into the program without statistics or biology courses, but will need to take them prior to taking the related graduate level courses)*
- Online application without fee at [www.chatham.edu/sceapp](http://www.chatham.edu/sceapp)

## CHATHAM UNIVERSITY ONLINE PROGRAMS

- Professional Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD)
- Doctor of Nursing Practice
- Master of Science in Nursing
- Low-Residency Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing
- Master of Professional Writing
- Master of Science in Interior Architecture
- RN-to-Bachelor of Science in Nursing
- Master of Science in Infant Mental Health Counseling
- Master of Science in Infant Mental Health
- Low-Residency Graduate Certificate in Infant Mental Health (for-credit or non-credit)

## PROGRAMS OF STUDY

### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INFANT MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

60 credits (51 credits + 9 credits Field Placement)

A total of 60 credit hours is needed to become a licensed professional counselor (LPC) in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Each course is 3 credit hours.

#### PREREQUISITES COURSES (42 credits)

- Essentials of Infant Mental Health
- Theories and Techniques of Counseling
- Psychology of Culture and Identity
- Infant Attachment: A Dual Relationship
- Assessment
- Professional Integration Seminar
- Statistics and Research Design
- Practices and Principles of Infant Mental Health Intervention
- Infant Development
- Infant Assessment
- Group Counseling
- Family Interactions
- Human Development
- Vocational and Career Counseling

#### ELECTIVES (9 credits)

Must take three of the following four courses

- The NICU Experience
- Foundations of Family Therapy
- Developmental Psychopathology
- Infant-Parent Psychotherapy

#### FIELD PLACEMENTS (9 credits)

- Practicum
- Internship I
- Internship II

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- Essentials of Infant Mental Health
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- Infant Assessment
- Practices & Principles of IMH Intervention
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- The NICU Experience
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