Degree Requirements

Below is a table listing the courses in which the genetic counseling students enroll as a cohort.

Fall - Semester 1			
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	
STME 5900	Introduction to Genetic Counseling	3	
CED 5910	Orientation to Professional Counseling	3	
STME 5912	Molecular Genetics & Laboratory Techniques	2	
STME 5915	Human Cytogenetics	2	
STME 5919	Human Developmental Biology & Teratology	3	
STME 5961	Research Methods in Genetic Counseling	3	
	Total Semester Credits	16	
	Spring - Semester 2		
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	
STME 5901	Fundamentals of Genetic Counseling: Reproductive and Pediatric Care	3	
CED 5950	Counseling Skills	3	
STME 5920	Medical Genetics 1	3	
STME 5940	Cancer Genetics and Genetic Counseling	3	
STME 5962	Advanced Research Methods in Genetic Counseling	3	
STME 5931	Introductory Genetic Counseling Rotation	1	
	Total Semester Credits	16	
Summer – Semester 3			
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	
STME 5971	Genetic Counseling Thesis 1	1	
STME 5941	Genetic Counseling Clinical Rotation 1	3	
STME 5942	Genetic Counseling Clinical Rotation 2	3	
	Total Semester Credits	7	
Fall – Semester 4			
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	
STME 5902	Fundamentals of Genetic Counseling: Further Roles and Skills	3	
CED 5980	Practicum in Counseling	3	
STME 5922	Medical Genetics 2	3	
STME 5918	Bioinformatics & Clinical Applications	2	
STME 5972	Genetic Counseling Thesis 2	1	
STME 5943	Genetic Counseling Clinical Rotation 3	2	
STME 5944	Genetic Counseling Clinical Rotation 4	2	
	Total Semester Credits	16	

Spring – Semester 5		
Course Number	Course Name	Credits
STME 5903	Fundamentals of Genetic Counseling: Professional Development	3
STME 5930	Ethical Perspectives of Genetics	2
STME 5970	Translational Medicine	2
STME 5973	Genetic Counseling Thesis 3	1
STME 5945	Genetic Counseling Clinical Rotation 5	2
	Total Semester Credits	10
Total Program Credits		65

Students also participate in extracurricular activities including case conferences, journal club, book club, advocacy group meetings and events, medical terminology education and local and national genetics conferences.