

MS MFT Program

Disclosure for Academic Programs Leading to Licensure or Credentialing and Licensing Regulations Across States and Provinces

Please read the licensing disclosure and sign the acknowledgement below.

Admission into programs leading to licensure and credentialing does not guarantee that students will obtain a license or credential. Agencies and States set licensure and credentialing requirements that are not controlled by or affiliated with the university, and requirements can change at any time. For example, licensure or credentialing requirements can include evidence of the right to work in the United States (e.g., social security number or taxpayer identification number) or successfully passing a criminal background check. Applicants and students are responsible for determining whether they can meet licensure or credentialing requirements. The university will not refund tuition, fees, or any associated costs to students who determine that they cannot meet licensure or credentialing requirements after admission.

Furthermore, Couples, Marriage, and Family Therapy is a profession that leads to licensure in all 50 states; however, each state has its law and regulations about what is needed to become licensed as an MFT in that state. Additionally, not every state will accept a degree and supervised hours earned in another state.

Therefore, you are encouraged to review license requirements in the state you intend to practice in as soon as possible so that you understand what different states may and may not accept. Here is the link to each state's licensure resources MFT State/Provincial Resources:

https://aamft.org/Advocacy/State_Resources/MFT_State_Resources.aspx

The coursework for Loma Linda University was designed to meet MFT licensure requirements in California. You may read more about California's state requirements for MFT licensure by visiting the CA Board of Behavioral Sciences website at BBS.CA.GOV. Information concerning licensure and credentialing requirements is available in the CFS Student Clinical Handbook. If you have questions about the program's alignment with professional licensure, you may contact the Program Director: Kristen Watkins, DMFT, LMFT, RPT-S at kwatkins@llu.edu. Please acknowledge you have read this disclosure by signing below.

Enter your name:

Today's date: (mm/dd/yyyy)

I acknowledge that I have been informed and am aware that admission into programs leading to licensure and credentialing does not guarantee licensure, and licensing regulations differ across states and provinces. I understand that the LLU MS MFT program is designed to meet the licensure requirements in California and that an MFT degree from this program may not meet MFT licensing requirements in a different state.

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