

**CORE COURSES (63 hours)**

	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>Sem</b>	<b>Grade</b>
APOL 525	Pluralism & World Religions	3	_____
CHHI 510	Survey of the History of Christianity	3	_____
CHPL 500	Introduction to Chaplaincy Ministry	3	_____
CHPL 598	Spiritual & Professional Development of the Chaplain	3	_____
CHPL 615	Chaplain Ethics For Advisement & Pastoral Care	3	_____
CHPL 655	Chaplain Evangelism & Discipleship	3	_____
GLST 650	Intercultural Communication	3	_____
HOMI 500	Preparation of the Sermon	3	_____
or HOMI 601	Foundations of Expository Teaching & Preaching	3	_____
LEAD 510	Biblical Foundations of Leadership	3	_____
NBST 515	New Testament Orientation I	3	_____
NBST 520	New Testament Orientation II	3	_____
NBST 610	Hermeneutics	3	_____
NGRK 505	Greek Language Tools	3	_____
or NGRK 520	Beginning Greek I	3	_____
OBST 515	Old Testament Orientation I	3	_____
OBST 520	Old Testament Orientation II	3	_____
OTCL 505	Hebrew Language Tools	3	_____
or OTCL 520	Beginning Hebrew I	3	_____
PACO 500	Introduction to Pastoral Counseling	3	_____
PACO 603	Premarital & Marital Counseling	3	_____
RTCH 500	Research, Writing & Ministry Preparation	3	_____
THEO 525	Systematic Theology I	3	_____
THEO 530	Systematic Theology II	3	_____

**MILITARY CONCENTRATION (30 hours)**

CHPL 640	Chaplain Leadership for Religious Freedom	3	_____
CHPL 645	Chaplain Resilient Leaders	3	_____
CHPL 680	Military Chaplaincy	3	_____
HOMI 605	Expository Preaching	3	_____
HOMI 679	Homiletics Capstone	3	_____

Choose 15 credit hours from the following courses:

CHPL 621	Level 1 Unit 1 Clinical Pastoral Education Online <sup>1,2,3</sup>		
CHPL 631	Clinical Pastoral Education Unit 1 <sup>1,2,4</sup>	6	_____
CHPL 699	Chaplain Internship <sup>1,2</sup>	3	_____
CRIS 607	PTSD & Combat Related Trauma	3	_____
PACO 604	Crisis Intervention in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____
PACO 617	Theories & Techniques in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____
RTCH 680	Research Methods <sup>5</sup>	3	_____
THES 689	Thesis Project Proposal & Research <sup>2,5</sup>	3	_____
THES 690	Thesis Defense <sup>2,5</sup>	3	_____
_____	Military Chaplaincy Elective <sup>6</sup>	3	_____
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**TOTAL HOURS 93**

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 93 hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

A minimum of 72 credit hours must be comprised of graded online or residential coursework from an accredited post-secondary academic institution  
 2.0 GPA

Degree must be completed within 10 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Offered in Resident and Online Format**

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**Notes**

All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>Student must enroll in either CHPL 621, CHPL 631, or CHPL 699

<sup>2</sup>16 week A-term Course

<sup>3</sup>This course is online only and requires acceptance into a local CPE Program

<sup>4</sup>This course is only offered as a residential intensive

<sup>5</sup>Students who desire to complete a thesis must complete RTCH 680, THES 689, and THES 690

<sup>6</sup>Choose a 600 level NBST, NGRK, OBST, or OTCL course not already required by the degree

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**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
NBST 515	3	CHPL 598	3
RTCH 500	3	OBST 515	3
CHPL 500	3	CHHI 510	3
NBST 520	<u>3</u>	OBST 520	<u>3</u>
Total	12	Total	12
 <u>Third Semester</u>		 <u>Fourth Semester</u>	
NBST 610	3	HOMI 500 or 601	3
THEO 525	3	NGRK 505 or 520	3
CHPL 615	3	CHPL 655	3
THEO 530	<u>3</u>	OTCL 505 or 520	<u>3</u>
Total	12	Total	12
 <u>Fifth Semester</u>		 <u>Sixth Semester</u>	
APOL 525	3	Elective <sup>1,2</sup>	3
CHPL 640	3	HOMI 679	3
HOMI 605	3	PACO 500	3
CHPL 680	<u>3</u>	CHPL 645	<u>3</u>
Total	12	Total	12
 <u>Seventh Semester</u>		 <u>Eighth Semester</u>	
Elective <sup>1,2</sup>	3	CHPL 621, 631, or 699 <sup>3</sup>	3-6
LEAD 510	3	PACO 603	3
GLST 650	3	Elective <sup>1,2</sup>	<u>0-3</u>
Elective <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>	Total	9
Total	12		

**Notes**

<sup>1</sup>Choose from the following: CRIS 607, PACO 604, 617, RTCH 680, THES 689, 690, or any 600 level NBST, NGRK, OBST, or OTCL course not already required in the degree (a maximum of 2 of the NBST, NGRK, OBST, and OTCL electives may be applied to the degree)

<sup>2</sup>Students who desire to complete a Thesis must complete RTCH 680, THES 689, and THES 690

<sup>3</sup>Course is 16 weeks