

## Counseling Licensure Requirements: Nebraska

Licensed Professional Counseling	Marriage and Family Therapy
<p><b>Educational Requirement:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master’s degree or higher from an approved educational program that is primarily therapeutic mental health in content, in a CACREP accredited program “or complete equivalent coursework,” from a regionally accredited institution.</li> <li>• Completion of a practicum or internship with a minimum of 300 clock hours of direct client contact under the supervision of a qualified supervisor.</li> </ul> <p><b>Experiential Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LMHP-CPC / LPC, LMHP 3,000 hours of post-master's supervised experience in mental health practice accumulated during the 5 years immediately preceding application for licensure.</li> <li>• To include 1,500 hours of direct client contact (not more than 1,500 hours of non-direct service). Supervision must be under an LMHP, LIMHP, licensed psychologist, or licensed physician with mental health treatment training.</li> </ul> <p><b>Exam Required: LIMHP and LMHP with CPC credential</b> NCE or NCMHCE</p> <p><b>WEBSITE:</b> <a href="http://dhhs.ne.gov/behavioral_health/Pages/behavioral_health_index.aspx">http://dhhs.ne.gov/behavioral_health/Pages/behavioral_health_index.aspx</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earn a graduate degree</li> <li>• Complete 3000 hours of experience under supervision</li> <li>• Pass the Association of Marital and Family Therapy Regulatory Boards</li> <li>• <a href="http://dhhs.ne.gov/behavioral_health/Pages/behavioral_health_index.aspx">http://dhhs.ne.gov/behavioral_health/Pages/behavioral_health_index.aspx</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>NE Board of Mental Health Practice</b> P.O. Box 94986 Lincoln, NE 68509 402/471-0185 402/471-3577 (fax) <b>Program Manager:</b> Kris Chiles <a href="mailto:kris.chiles@nebraska.gov">kris.chiles@nebraska.gov</a> <b>WEBSITE:</b> <a href="http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/crl/mhcs/mental/mentalindex.htm">www.dhhs.ne.gov/crl/mhcs/mental/mentalindex.htm</a></p> <p>Independent Mental Health Practitioner License: \$50 (if applicant holds an LMHP) \$155 if no LMHP Mental Health Practitioner License: \$50 Professional Counselor Certificate: \$25</p> <p>Provisional Fees: Mental Health Practitioner License: \$25 Master Social Work Certificate: \$25 Marriage and Family Therapy Certificate: \$25</p>	<p><b>Nebraska Board of Mental Health Practice</b> P.O. Box 94986 Lincoln, NE 68509-4986</p> <p><b>Phone:</b> (402) 471-2117 <b>Fax:</b> (402) 471-3577 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:kris.chiles@nebraska.gov">kris.chiles@nebraska.gov</a> <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.dhhs.ne.gov">www.dhhs.ne.gov</a> <b>License Categories:</b> Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist</p>