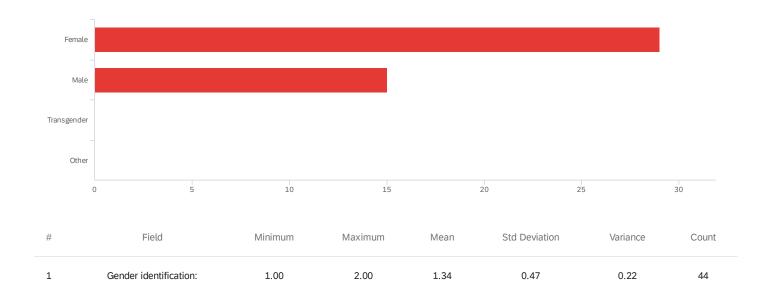
Spring 2019 ALUMNI

2019 GWU Alumni CACREP Survey - Spring February 10, 2020 3:25 AM EST

Q2 - What year did you graduate from the program?

What year did you graduate from the program?
2018
Clinical mental health counseling
2015
2013
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2015
2018
2013
2015
not sure
2015
2018
2015

Q3 - Gender identification:



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Female	65.91% 29
2	Male	34.09% 15
3	Transgender	0.00% 0
4	Other	0.00% 0

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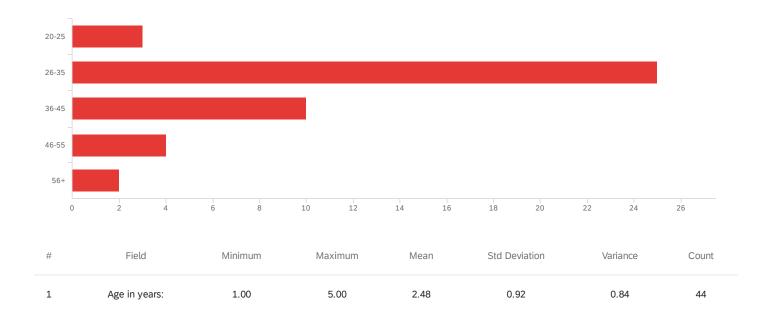
Q4 - Sexual orientation:



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Bisexual	2.27% 1
2	Gay/Lesbian	4.55% 2
3	Heterosexual	86.36% 38
99	Prefer not to answer	6.82% 3

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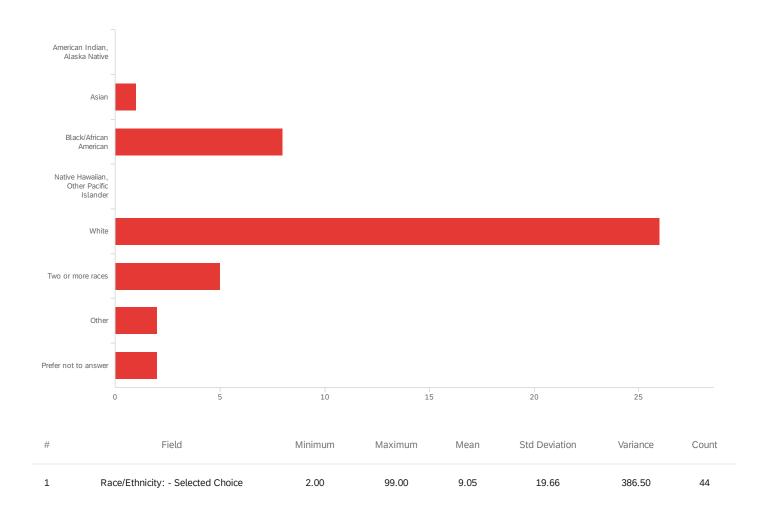
Q5 - Age in years:



#	Field	Choice Count	
1	20-25	6.82%	3
2	26-35	56.82%	25
3	36-45	22.73%	10
4	46-55	9.09%	4
5	56+	4.55%	2
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Q6 - Race/Ethnicity:



#	Field	Choic Coun	
1	American Indian, Alaska Native	0.00%	0
2	Asian	2.27%	1
3	Black/African American	18.18%	8
4	Native Hawaiian, Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
5	White	59.09%	26
6	Two or more races	11.36%	5
7	Other	4.55%	2
99	Prefer not to answer	4.55%	2

Q6_	_7_	_TEXT	-	Other

Other

Latino

Q7 - Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?



#	Field	Choic Cour	
2	No, not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	81.82%	36
1	Yes, please specify	18.18%	8

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Q7_2_TEXT - Yes, please specify

Yes, please specify

Mexican-American

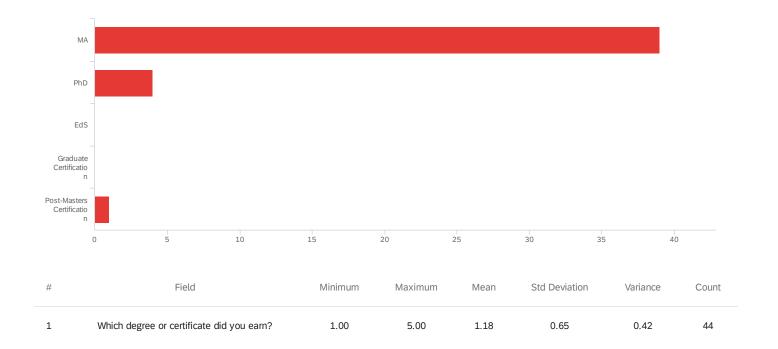
Yes

Half Ecuadorian

Mexican / Portuguese

Bolivian

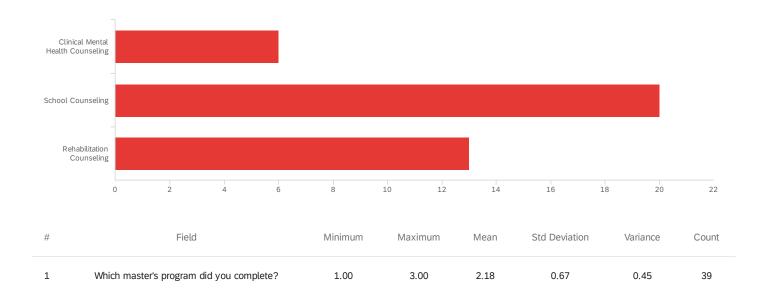
Q8 - Which degree or certificate did you earn?



#	Field	Choice Count	
1	MA	88.64% 39	39
2	PhD	9.09% 4	1
3	EdS	0.00% 0)
4	Graduate Certification	0.00% 0)
5	Post-Masters Certification	2.27% 1	L
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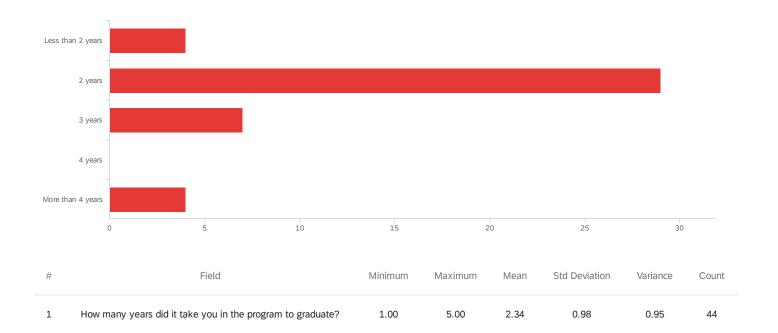
Q9 - Which master's program did you complete?



#	Field	Choice Count	
1	Clinical Mental Health Counseling	15.38%	6
2	School Counseling	51.28%	20
3	Rehabilitation Counseling	33.33%	13
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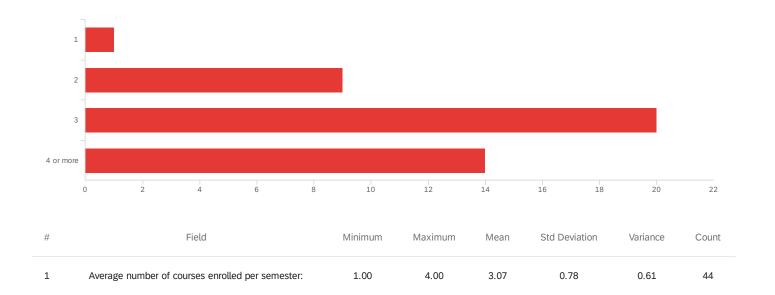
Q10 - How many years did it take you in the program to graduate?



#	Field	Choice Count	
1	Less than 2 years	9.09%	4
2	2 years	65.91%	29
3	3 years	15.91%	7
4	4 years	0.00%	0
5	More than 4 years	9.09%	4
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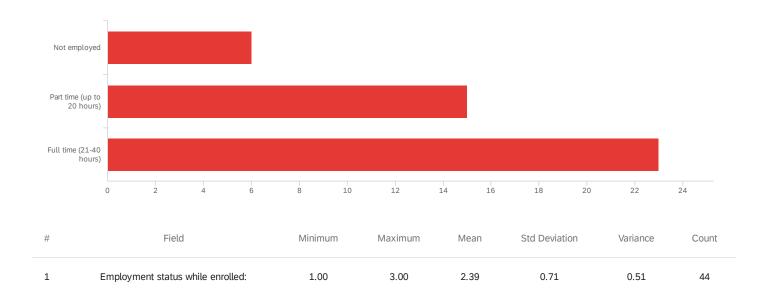
Q11 - Average number of courses enrolled per semester:



#	Field	Choice Count
1	1	2.27% 1
2	2	20.45% 9
3	3	45.45% 20
4	4 or more	31.82% 14

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Q12 - Employment status while enrolled:



#	Field		Choice Count	
1	Not employed	13.64%	6	
2	Part time (up to 20 hours)	34.09%	15	
3	Full time (21-40 hours)	52.27%	23	
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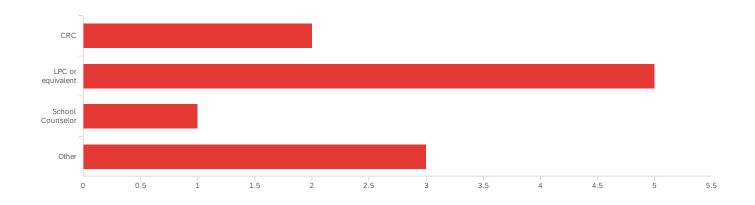
Q13 - Do you currently hold a clinical license?



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Yes	23.81% 10
2	No	76.19% 32

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Q14 - Are you licensed as a:



#	Field	Choice Count
1	CRC	18.18% 2
2	LPC or equivalent	45.45% 5
3	School Counselor	9.09% 1
4	Other	27.27% 3

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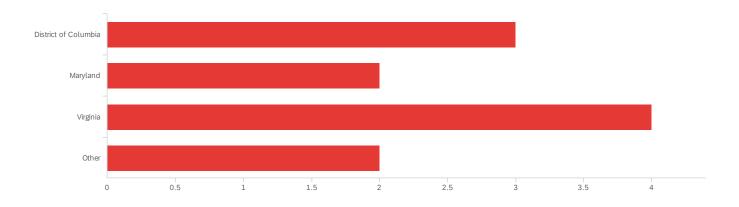
Q14_4_TEXT - Other

Other

Virginia QMHP

LGPC

Q15 - In which state(s) do you currently hold a license?



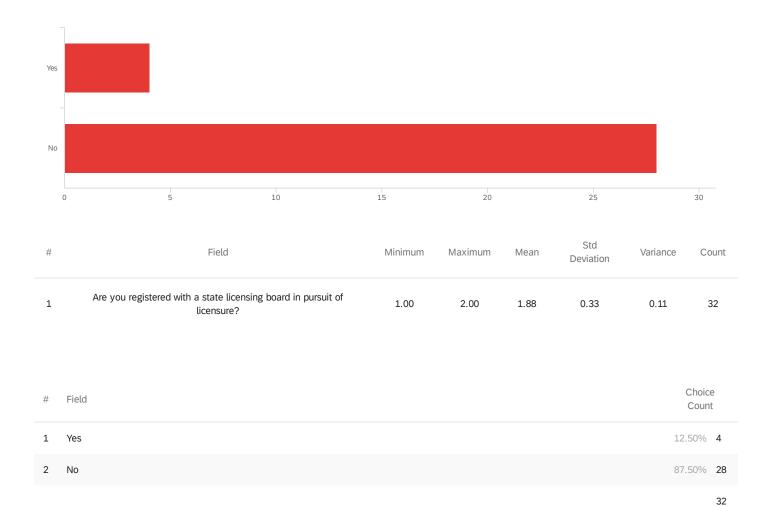
#	Field	Choice Count	
1	District of Columbia	27.27%	3
2	Maryland	18.18%	2
3	Virginia	36.36%	4
4	Other	18.18%	2

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Q15_4_TEXT - Other

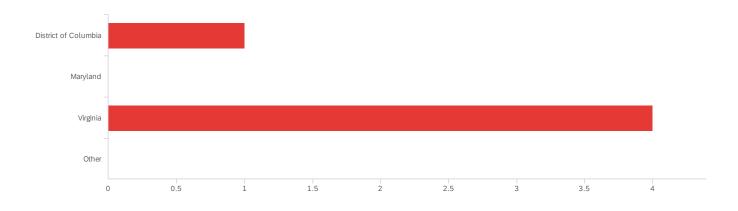
Other

Q16 - Are you registered with a state licensing board in pursuit of licensure?



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Q17 - In which state(s) are you currently pursuing licensure?



#	Field	Choice Count
1	District of Columbia	20.00% 1
2	Maryland	0.00% 0
4	Virginia	80.00% 4
3	Other	0.00% 0

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Q17_3_TEXT - Other

Other

Q18 - Are you currently employed?



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Yes, full-time	90.48% 38
2	Yes, part-time	4.76% 2
3	No	4.76% 2
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Q19 - Please provide the name of your employer:

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FCPS
Blue ridge school district
DoD
FCPS
Prince William County Schools
Arlington Public Schools
Diocese of Arlington Catholic Schools
Disability Rights Texas
Accrossed the Board Services
Trauma and hope
State of Hawaii - Department of Human Services - Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
Jurupa Unified School District
Stafford County Public Schools - Colonial Forge High School
Saint Mary Magdalene Academy
Ho'opono Services for the Blind Branch of Division of Vocational Rehabilitation State of Hawaii
APS
Prince William county schools
PA Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
Department of Defense
State of Washington
State of Nevada Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation
The Crone Esquivel Group

DARS		
The Trust (Powered by the NFLPA)		
OVR		
Stafford County Public Schools		

Please provide the name of your employer:

Q20 - Please provide an email contact for your employer:

Please provide an email contact for your employer:
Dsberhan@fcps.edu
Websterc@brsd.org
Colby.dillard@dodiis.mil
zwfisher@fcps.edu
bevanssb@pwcs.edu
kstanfill@drtx.org
shayrl@staffordschools.net
ceinwen.gilmore@smmacademy.org
cmadruga@dhs.hawaii.gov
kbaskett@pa.gov
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JAC@CroneEsquivelGroupLLC.com
Ermartin@pa.gov
Stemplejd@staffordschools.net

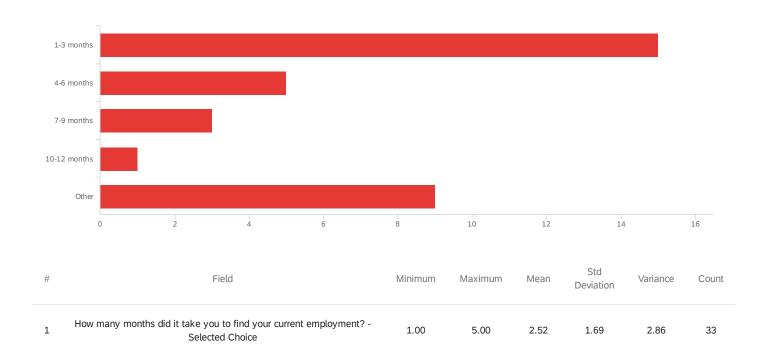
Q21 - Which best describes your current situation?



#	Field	Choice Count
1	looking for full-time employment in my field	50.00% 1
2	not looking for employment in my field	50.00% 1

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Q22 - How many months did it take you to find your current employment?



#	Field	Choice Count
1	1-3 months	45.45% 15
2	4-6 months	15.15% 5
3	7-9 months	9.09% 3
4	10-12 months	3.03% 1
5	Other	27.27% 9
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Q22_5_TEXT - Other

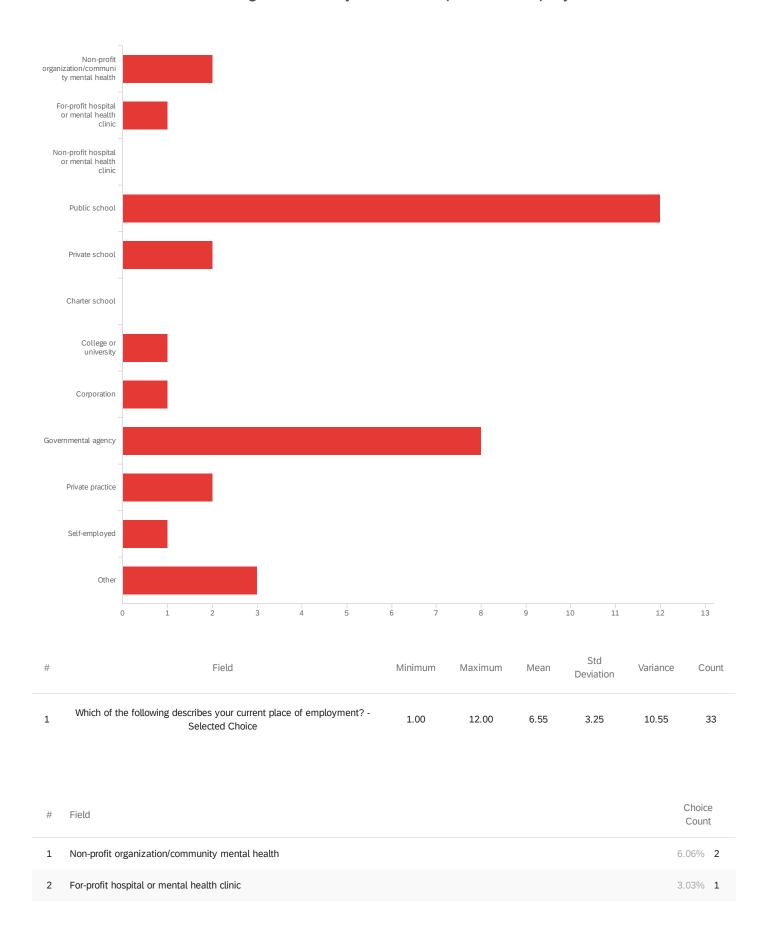
Other

Employment lined up prior to graduation.

0 months - I was already employed

I was already employed. Not connected to my degree

Q23 - Which of the following describes your current place of employment?



#	Field	Choice Count	
3	Non-profit hospital or mental health clinic	0.00%	0
4	Public school	36.36%	12
5	Private school	6.06%	2
6	Charter school	0.00%	0
7	College or university	3.03%	1
8	Corporation	3.03%	1
9	Governmental agency	24.24%	8
10	Private practice	6.06%	2
11	Self-employed	3.03%	1
12	Other	9.09%	3

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Q23_12_TEXT - Other

Other

Non profit law firm.

Federal government

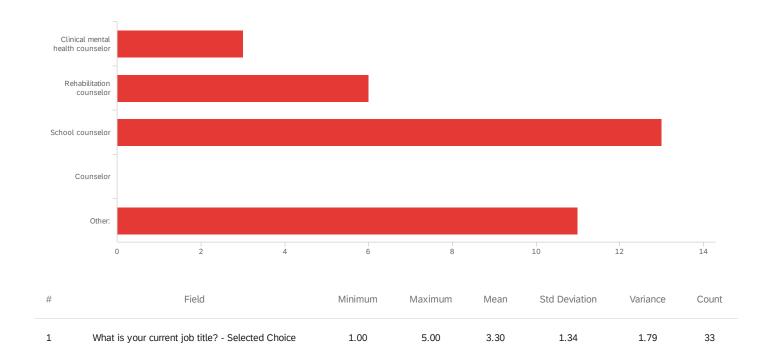
Q24 - What is the name of the company/agency/organization for whom you work?

What is the name of the company/agency/organization for whom you work?
Blue ridge school district
Exceptional Matters LLC
DoD
FCPS
Arlington Public Schools
Saint Leo the Great Catholic School
Disability Rights Texas
Acrossed the Board Services
Trauma and hope
Jurupa Valley High School
Stafford County Public Schools - Colonial Forge High School
University of Providence
Ho'opono Services for the Blind Branch
Prince William county schools
PA Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
AFOSI
Washington Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
State of Nevada Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation
The Crone Esquivel Group
Virginia DARS
The Trust (Powered by the NFLPA)
Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

What is the name of the company/agency/organization for whom you work?

Stafford County Schools

Q25 - What is your current job title?



#	Field	Choic Coun	
1	Clinical mental health counselor	9.09%	3
2	Rehabilitation counselor	18.18%	6
3	School counselor	39.39%	13
4	Counselor	0.00%	0
5	Other:	33.33%	11
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$\ensuremath{\mathsf{Q25_5_TEXT}}$ - Other:

Other:

QMHP

Disability Program Manager

Advocate

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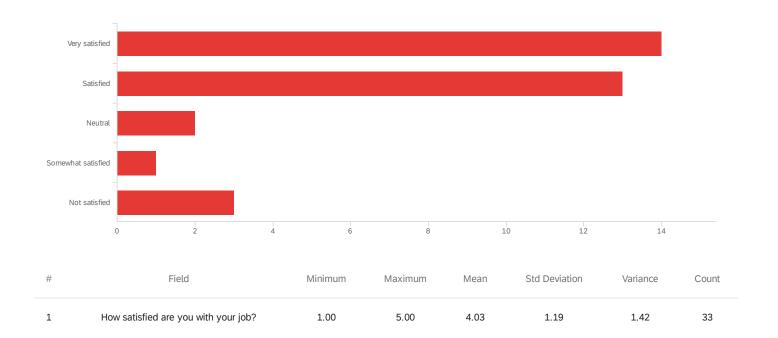
Therapeutic Day Treatment Specialist

Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist

Federal Agent

Teacher

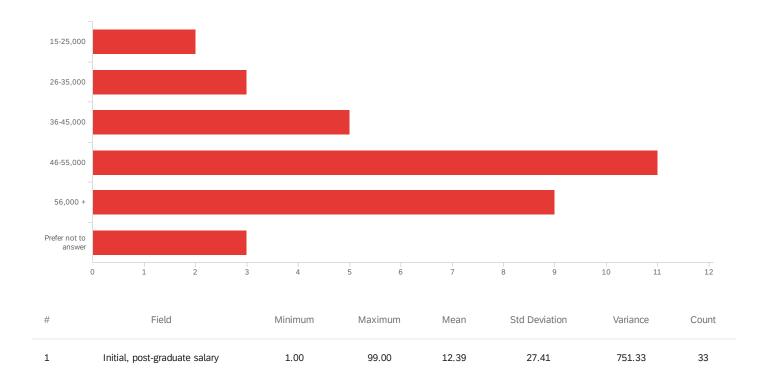
Q26 - How satisfied are you with your job?



#	Field	Choice	
5	Very satisfied	42.42%	14
4	Satisfied	39.39%	13
3	Neutral	6.06%	2
2	Somewhat satisfied	3.03%	1
1	Not satisfied	9.09%	3
			33

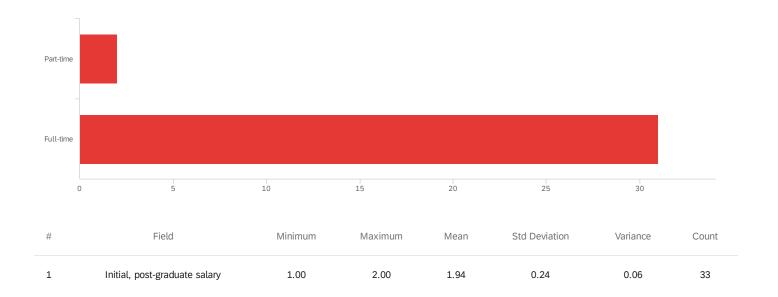
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Q15#1 - What was your initial, post-graduate salary? - Salary



#	Field	Choice Count
1	15-25,000	6.06% 2
2	26-35,000	9.09% 3
3	36-45,000	15.15% 5
4	46-55,000	33.33% 11
5	56,000 +	27.27% 9
99	Prefer not to answer	9.09% 3

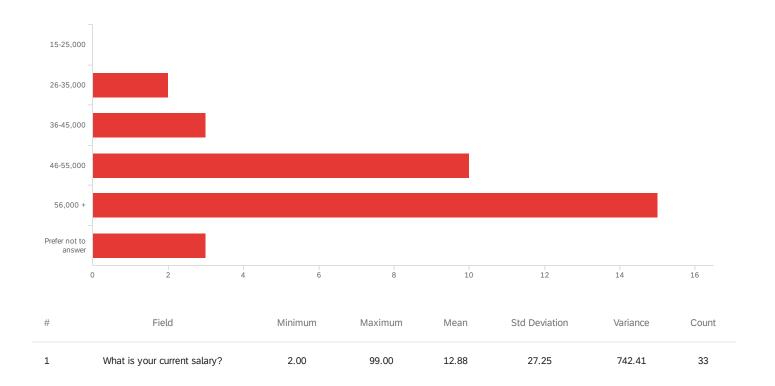
Q15#2 - What was your initial, post-graduate salary? - Type of Employment



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Part-time	6.06% 2
2	Full-time	93.94% 31

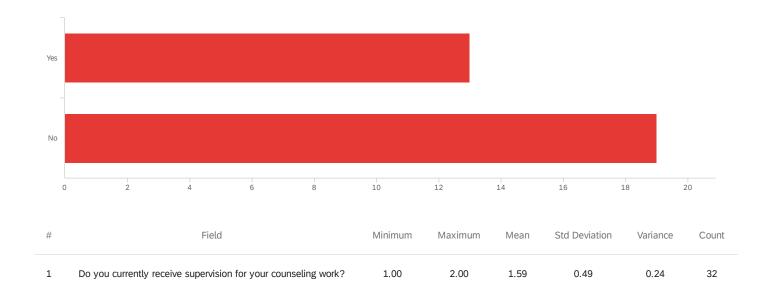
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Q28 - What is your current salary?



#	Field	Choic Coun	
1	15-25,000	0.00%	0
2	26-35,000	6.06%	2
3	36-45,000	9.09%	3
4	46-55,000	30.30%	10
5	56,000 +	45.45%	15
99	Prefer not to answer	9.09%	3

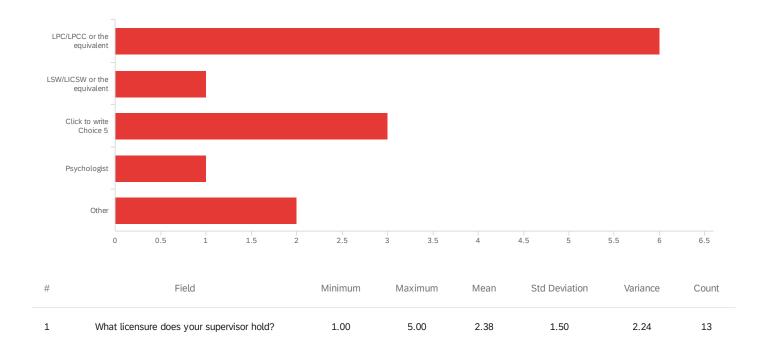
Q29 - Do you currently receive supervision for your counseling work?



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Yes	40.63% 13
2	No	59.38% 19

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Q30 - What licensure does your supervisor hold?



#	Field	Choice Count	
1	LPC/LPCC or the equivalent	46.15% 6	
2	LSW/LICSW or the equivalent	7.69% 1	
3	Click to write Choice 5	23.08% 3	
4	Psychologist	7.69% 1	
5	Other	15.38% 2	
		13	

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Q31 - Do you regularly attend professional conferences?



#	Field	Count	
1	Yes, please specify below	38.24% 13	3
2	No	61.76% 21	L

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Q31_1_TEXT - Yes, please specify below

Yes, please specify below

State and local counseling conferences

As often as able. College counseling days, division sponsored conferences

British Association of Counseling and Psychotherapy

PacRim Disability Conference

VSCA

Pa Rehabilitation Association Professional Development Institute

ADARA

Q32 - Within the past year, have you presented at any professional conferences?

(Counseling, Psychological, etc.)



#	rietu	Choice Co	Julit
1	Yes, please specify below	0.00%	0
2	No	100.00%	34

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Q32_1_TEXT - Yes, please specify below

Yes, please specify below

Q33 - Please list membership for any professional organizations below.



#	Field	Choice Count
1	American Counseling Association	50.00% 9
2	American School Counselor Association	44.44% 8
3	Association for Counselor Education and Supervision	0.00% 0
4	American Rehabilitation Counseling Association	5.56% 1

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Q33_1_TEXT - Other

Other

National Rehabilitation Association; Texas Rehabilitation Assn; Houston Area Rehab Assn

National Rehabilitation Association

National Rehabilitation Associaton

Q34 - The Department of Counseling and Human Development has identified 7 program objectives that guide the training our students receive. This portion of the survey refers to the stated CACREP objectives of the counseling programs. On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the following Professional Counseling Identity objective.



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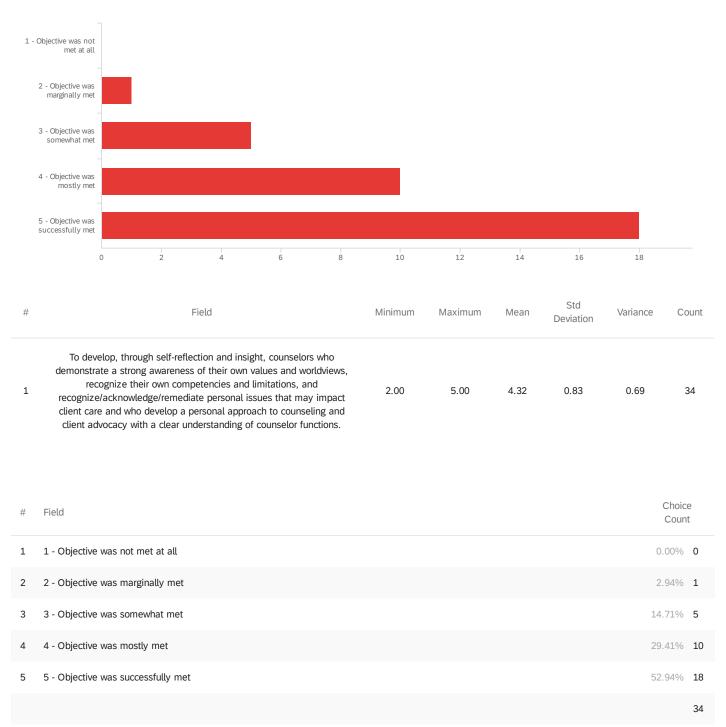
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4 - Objective was mostly met

5 - Objective was successfully met

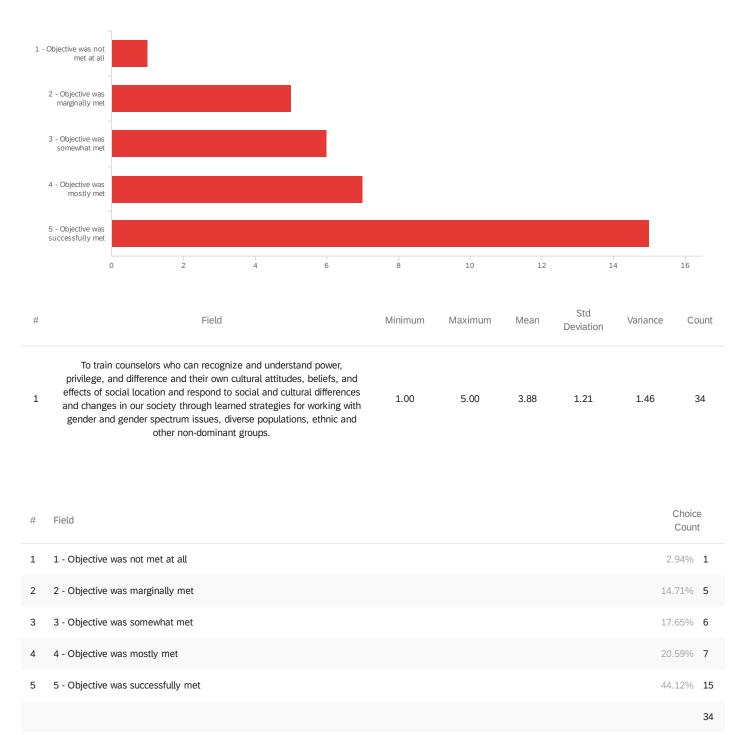
Q35 - On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the following Self as Counselor objective.



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Q36 - On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the

following Multicultural Competency objective.



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Q37 - On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the

following Theory to Practice objective.



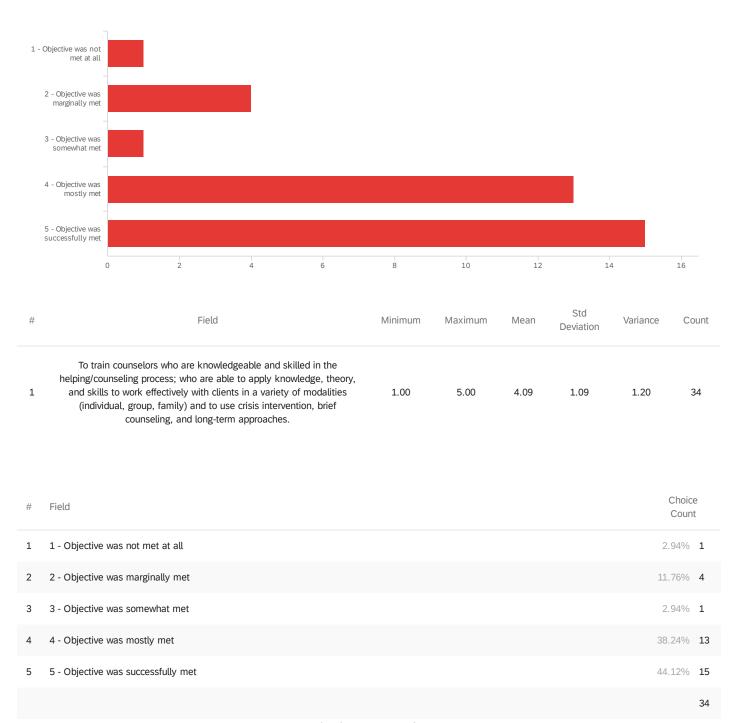
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Q38 - On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the following Ethical Practice objective.



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Q39 - On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the following Clinical Skills objective.



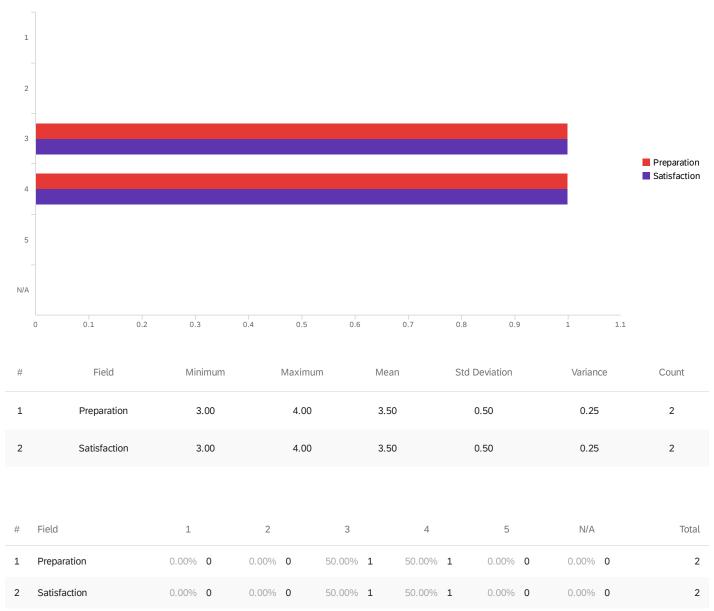
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Q40 - On a scale of 1-5, please rate the degree to which you feel your program met the following Research and Assessment objective.



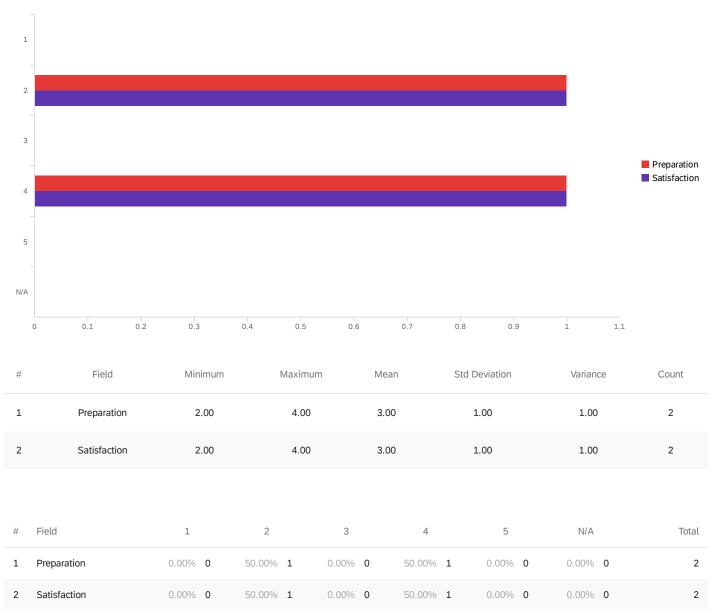
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Q42 - The program contributed to my knowledge and understanding of: the history, philosophy, trends, and ethical considerations in clinical mental health counseling.



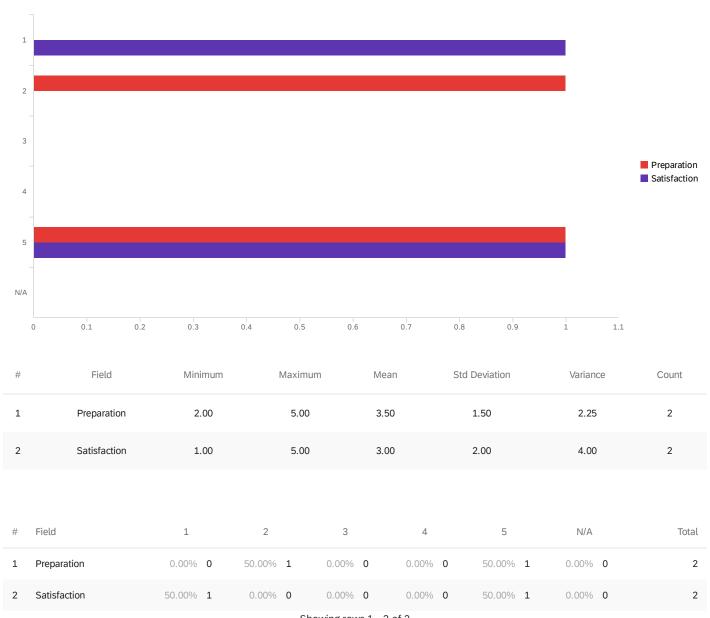
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Q43 - The program contributed to my knowledge and understanding of: the counseling process, models, and theories.



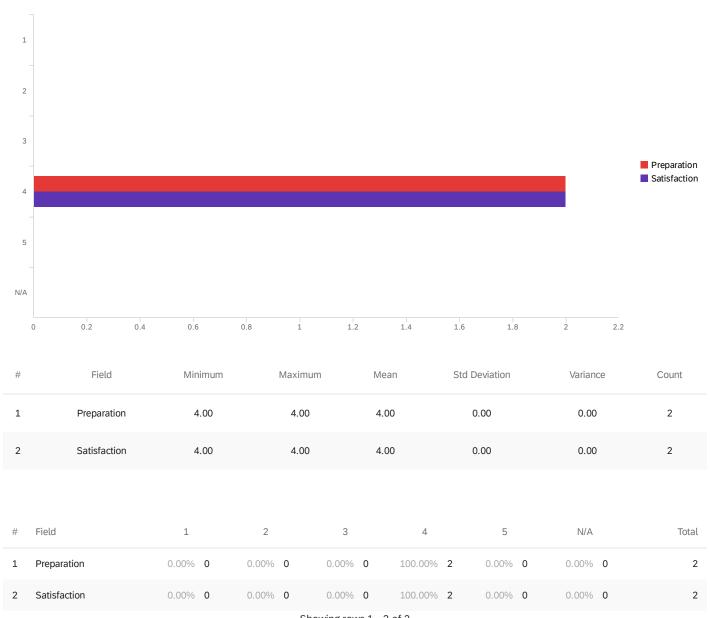
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Q44 - The program contributed to my knowledge and understanding of: principles, models, and documentation formats of biopsychosocial case conceptualization and treatment planning.



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Q45 - The program contributed to my knowledge and understanding of: the importance of family, social networks, and community systems in the treatment of mental and emotional disorders.



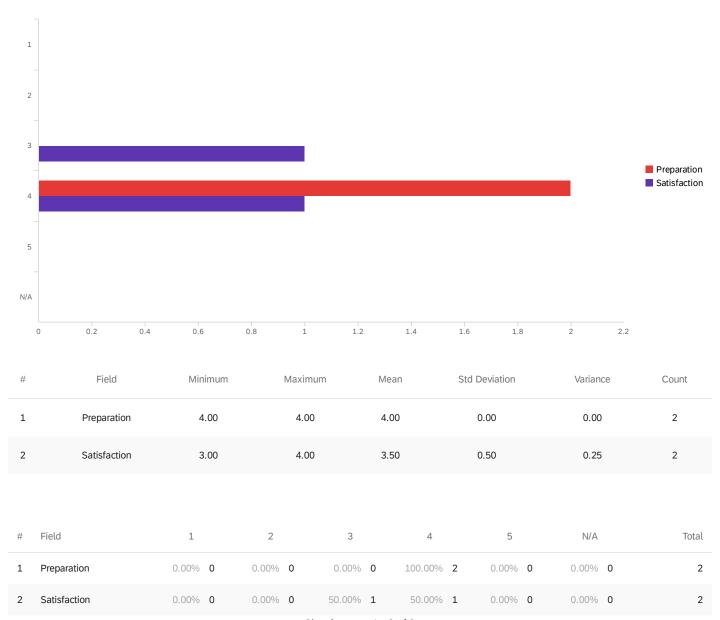
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Q46 - The program contributed to my knowledge and understanding of: models and approaches to clinical evaluation.



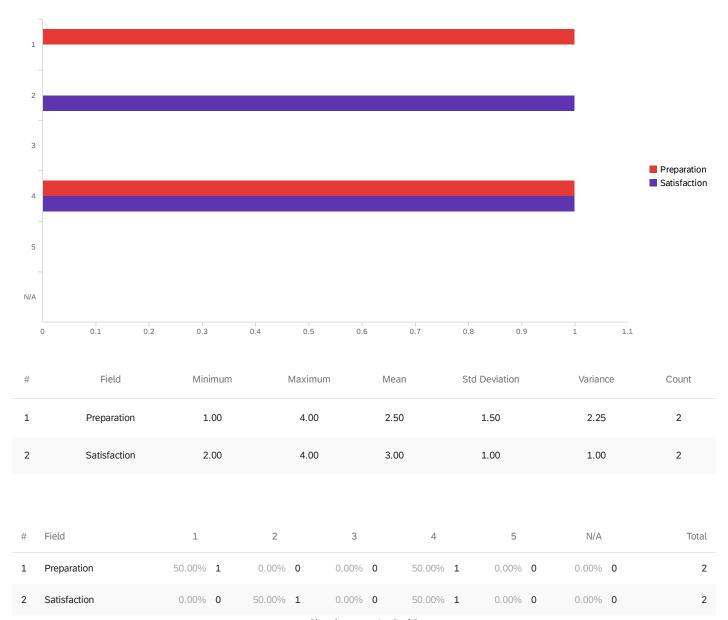
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Q47 - The program contributed to my knowledge and understanding of: evidence-based treatments and basic strategies for evaluating counseling outcomes.



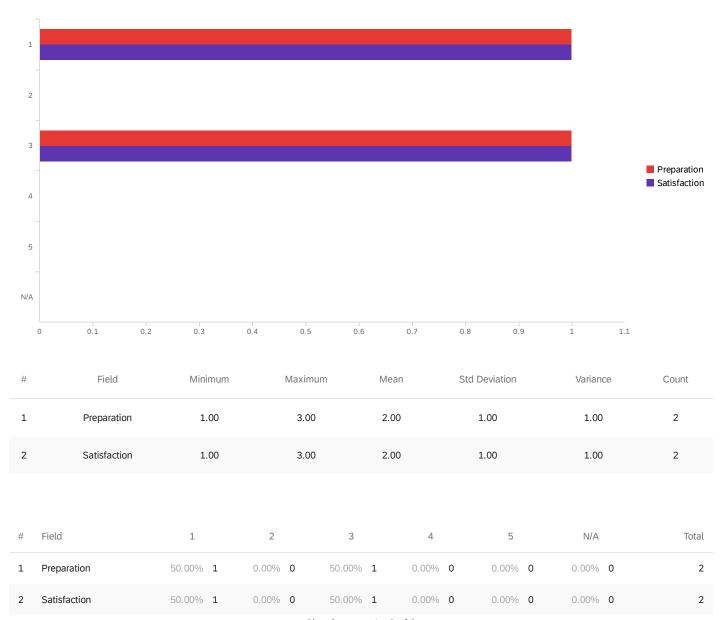
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Q48 - The program contributed to my ability to: provide appropriate counseling strategies when working with clients with addiction and co-occurring disorders.



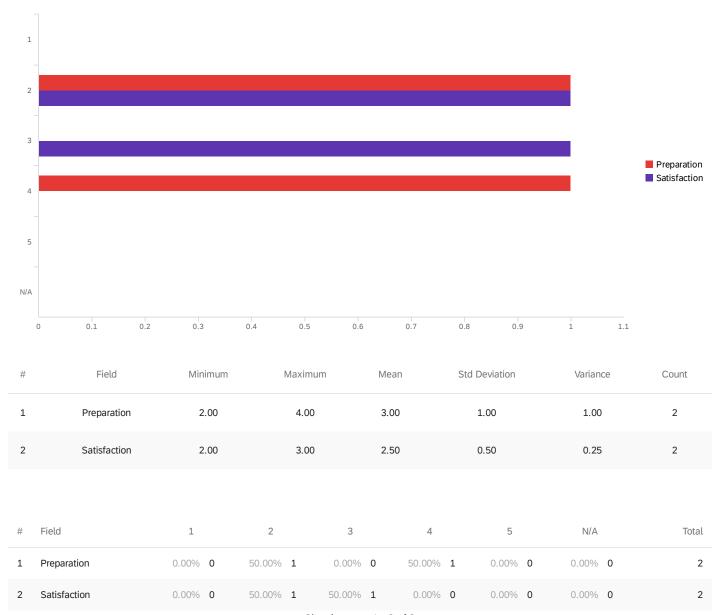
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Q49 - The program contributed to my ability to: critically evaluate research to enhance counseling practice.



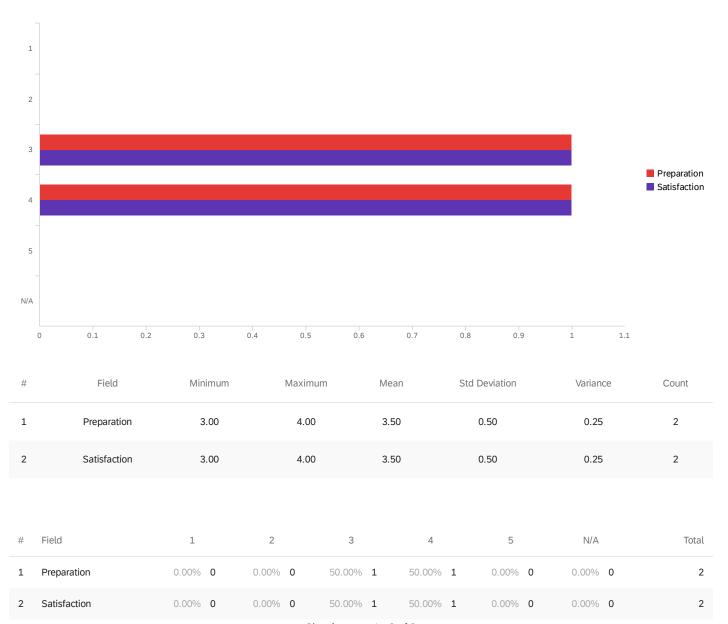
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Q50 - The program contributed to my ability to: appropriately use culturally responsive modalities for initiating, assessing, maintaining, and terminating counseling.



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Q51 - The program contributed to my ability to: conduct differential diagnosis, and assess and evaluate client concerns.



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Q52 - The program contributed to my ability to: effectively use strategies to support client advocacy.



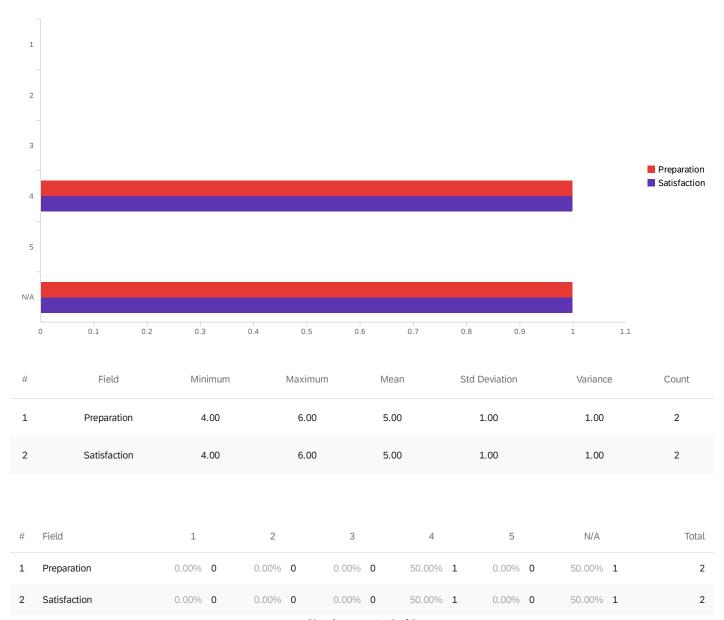
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Q53 - The program contributed to my ability to: recognize my own limitations and seek supervision or refer clients when appropriate.



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Q54 - The program contributed to my ability to: apply technology to enhance counseling services.



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Q55 - What would you identify as strengths of you program?

What would you identify as strengths of you program?
Met great friends In Cohort style of learning
Flexible schedule
Real life experience of professors (school counseling specific courses)
Personal growth, strengths-based
Falculty
Grief and Loss / General Counseling Techniques
multicultural training
Timing of classes was helpful in maintaining a part time job
Emphasis on multicultural and self awareness
Small class sizes and clinical lab
The program was organized, flexible. It was an on-line program.
If is backed by GWU nad has name recognition
The hands on counseling process at the clinic was fantastic.
Support from doctoral level supervisors, Dr. France
The leadership of Dr. Dedmond and the adjunct professors.
The clinical experience gained through working in the community counseling center, diverse/practical experiences of the instructors, close-knit cohort model
Faculty expertise
Solid connection between theory and practice. Opportunities and supports before, during, and after internships
Quality of the professors and their willingness to work with the students
Caring people
professors
Cohort approach, Counseling center, access to professors

Multicultural content and Ethics
Uncertain
Overall preparation to be a CRC
The professors and advisors I worked with were outstanding. I learned a great deal about counseling and about myself from them, and I feel I still have them as a professional resource.
My advisor's guidance and support during internship
Clinical supervised practice
Pairing with my doctoral supervisor
Support from professors
Mental health counseling
Professors who are very knowledgeable in their field of study and who get to know each student personally

What would you identify as strengths of you program?

Q56 - What areas of improvement would you identify about your program?

What areas of improvement would you identify about your program?
More multicultural experiences and staff
Diversity
Less emphasis on clinical counseling for school counselors
Focusing on theories after the first theories course
Counseling time commitment on campus
Less focus on power dynamics, race, and economic status of students
treatment planning
More focus on real life school counseling experience - discussing data collection in the job, early childhood development, counseling parents on child needs, special education best practices and advocacy from a school counselor stand point, behavior management in the classroom and ways to support behavior concerns, etc.
Did not prepare me to work in a school at all. It only focused on clinical settings. I felt extremely unprepared for my job.
None
I wish the program was longer. I enjoyed the training very much.
Support, job placement, Licensure vs. Certification, better communication, after graduation assistance
Better help guiding students on licensing and career options. There is minimal support on this. Better options and support for finding and selecting internship experience. Great focus on actual counselling techniques and theoretical application - this should be done beyond the text book, but actually delving deeper into real situational approaches, techniques and tools.
Organization and communication with students, flexibility of the program for nontraditional students that have to work full or part time
N/A
Internship placements sometimes took too long adding challenges for students to complete requirements without adding much extra time
Faculty involvement
At least one class or half a class on preparing for administrative expectations for school counselors
Some classes, especially the trauma counseling and interviewing skills need to be handled like labs in chemistry/engineering/biology, where they are a 4 credit course not 3 and the extra 1 credit is for actual practice (lab time) not just theory.

Since I was in school counseling, there needed to be more school counseling focused classes and instruction.

none
Better preparation on ASCA, counseling trends, and practical skills for day to day job
None
All. If you are training counselors more should be taught for diagnosis. Theory is loosely applied.
Transition and impact of WIOA
A course in the day to day activities of counseling would be great - what it's like to run a case budget, what it's like to do three intakes in a day, what it's like to work with a really emotionally intense client and then have to very suddenly shift gears Something like that would be a good addition to the program.
Multicultural awareness and diversity in the faculty and cohort of students
Evaluation methods for rehabilitation counseling
Accommodating those who work full time
Order of classes
Not enough practical education on real school counseling. The focus is on the ideal, not the reality.
Organization and communication

What areas of improvement would you identify about your program?

End of Report