

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY PHD

- **PhD Dissertation:** original research following third year of coursework
- **Final Evaluations:** oral defense of dissertation

Degree Requirements

The following requirements are in addition to, or further elaborate upon, those requirements outlined in The Graduate School Policy Guide (<https://catalogs.northwestern.edu/tgs/academic-policies-procedures/>).

PhD Degree Requirements

Total Units Required: 30

Course	Title
CLIN_PSY 402-0	Psychological Assessment I
CLIN_PSY 403-0	Psychological Assessment II
CLIN_PSY 404-0	Psychological Assessment III
CLIN_PSY 411-0	History and Systems of Psychology
CLIN_PSY 412-1	Cognitive Psychology
CLIN_PSY 413-0	Advanced Social Psychology
CLIN_PSY 414-0	Diversity in Psychological Science and Practice
CLIN_PSY 415-1	Scientific and Professional Ethics in Psychology
CLIN_PSY 416-0	Psychopathology
CLIN_PSY 408-0	Psychopathology Laboratory
CLIN_PSY 426-0	Research Methods I
CLIN_PSY 427-0	Research Methods II
CLIN_PSY 428-0	Research Methods III
CLIN_PSY 429-0	Advanced Research Methodology
CLIN_PSY 441-0	Introduction to Psychotherapy
CLIN_PSY 444-0	Cognitive-Behavior Therapies
CLIN_PSY 417-0	Behavioral Neuroscience
CLIN_PSY 487-0	Life-Span Developmental Psychology
CLIN_PSY 526-0	Interprofessional Education Seminar
Electives (14 units), including:	
CLIN_PSY 498-0	Special Topics in Clinical Psychology
CLIN_PSY 499-0	Independent Study
CLIN_PSY 590-0	Research
CLIN_PSY 442-0	Sexual Disorders and Couple Therapy
CLIN_PSY 445-0	Cognitive and Behavioral Treatments for Depression
CLIN_PSY 446-0	Acceptance and Commitment Therapy
CLIN_PSY 447-0	Dialectical Behavior Therapy
CLIN_PSY 448-0	Positive Psychology in Clinical Practice
CLIN_PSY 462-0	Child and Adolescent Psychotherapy
CLIN_PSY 466-0	Child Psychopathology
CLIN_PSY 471-0	Principles of Neuroimaging
CLIN_PSY 472-0	Brain & Behavior: Introduction to Neuropsychology
CLIN_PSY 473-0	Behavioral Neuroanatomy
CLIN_PSY 475-0	Neuropsychological Assessment
CLIN_PSY 476-0	Health Psychology
CLIN_PSY 478-0	Primary Care Psychology
CLIN_PSY 481-0	Psychopharmacology
CLIN_PSY 483-0	Forensic Neuropsychology and Psychology

Other PhD Degree Requirements

- **Examinations:** defense of a research paper and a clinical qualifying project serving as examination for admission to candidacy
- **Research/Projects:** independent, empirical research study completed in fulfillment of the research qualifying paper