**2017-2018 Annual Data**

**2018 Program Completion Rates:**
Eleven students entered the MSMHC program in 2015. Nine of them (82%) graduated from the MSMHC program as scheduled, in May of 2018; two (18%) delayed graduation until 2019. None was dismissed from or withdrew from the program.

**2018 Employment Rates:**
At the time of graduation, 100% of our 2018 graduates were employed. Each graduate had obtained part- or full-time work in the counseling profession. Many were hired by their internship sites.

**Recent Pass Rates on the NCMHCE (Utah Licensure Exam)**
Our 2015 graduates were eligible for licensure sometime during 2017, assuming that they worked full time for 2 years. By June of 2018, 85% of the cohort had passed the exam in 2017 (6 people). Five alumni passed the exam on the first attempt and five passed the exam on the second attempt. One had not taken the exam (part-time work).

**2018 Pass Rates on the Counseling Preparation Comprehensive Examination (CPCE)**
A passing grade on the CPCE is required for graduation. However, if students do not pass the exam, the faculty ask them to complete corrective work in content areas with low scores. This year every 3rd year student passed the CPCE.

**Survey of alumni from 2012–2018 indicated (N=46):**

- Ninety-four percent of alumni are working in a job related to counseling.
- Ninety-eight percent are licensed as clinical mental health counselors or associate clinical mental health counselors (or the equivalent in another state).
- Of those who took the National Counselor Exam, 78% passed (74% on the 1st attempt). Of those who took the National Clinical Mental Health Counseling Examination, 73% had passed (54% on the 1st attempt). Others were in the process of re-taking the exams. (Note: In Utah, alumni are not required to pass the exam/s until they apply for a “full license”, CMHC license, which occurs no sooner than 2 years after graduation.)
Alumni work in a variety of settings. The majority work in outpatient/private practice (58%), while others work in day treatment programs (23%), residential treatment programs (20%), hospitals (11%), and college counseling centers (4%).

Alumni provide a variety of clinical services. Specifically, 100% provide individual counseling, 76% provide group counseling, 72% provide family counseling, 74% conduct assessments, 51% provide couples counseling, and 16% do administrative work.

Alumni work with a variety of clinical populations. In terms of developmental stages, 100% work with adults, 69% work with adolescents, 41% work with children, and 25% work with the elderly. In terms of clinical issues, 60% work with clients who have substance use issues, 41% work with clients who have serious mental illnesses, 41% work with court-referred clients, and 25% work with clients who live in poverty.

Alumni are members of professional counseling associations. Specifically, 65% are members of the American Counseling Association, 37% are members of the Utah Mental Health Counselors Association, and 32% are members of the American Mental Health Counseling Association.