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Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy Education

Graduate Achievement Data Disclosure

Graduate Achievement Data for the *Virginia Tech MFT Doctoral Program (July 2026)* Accredited: 1982 Advertised Program Length*: FT – 4 Years			
Cohort Year Students Entered Program	**# of Students in Program**	**Graduation Rate in Advertised Time (%)***	**Job Placement Rate (%)****
	FT	**FT**	**FT**
2016 - 2017	4	100%	100%
2017 - 2018	4	75%	100%
2018 - 2019	4	25%	100%
2019 - 2020	4	0%***	100%
2020 - 2021	3	0%***	100%
2021 - 2022	1	0%***	0%
2022 - 2023	2	50%	50%
2023 - 2024	4	IP	IP
2024 - 2025	3	IP	IP
2025 - 2026	3	IP	IP

NOTES:
FT = Full-time. The Virginia Tech Marriage and Family Therapy Doctoral Program only offers a full-time track.
IP = In Process. This includes students who are still in the process of completing the program within the advertised timeframe.

* This column reflects the graduation rates for the program's *Advertised Program Length*, which refers to how long the program is designed to be completed as written. For students who entered the program prior to 2018-2019, the *Advertised Program Length* was 7 years. Beginning with the 2018-2019 cohort, the *Advertised Program Length* is 4 years. The data reported in the table reflects the percentages for the *Advertised Program Length* in effect at the time the cohort began the program. Students who graduated after the 4-year *Advertised Program Length* are not included in the Graduation Rate column. Students in cohorts 2022-2023 through 2025-2026 are still in progress.
** This is defined as the percentage of graduates from the cohort year listed that are employed utilizing skills learned in Virginia Tech's COAMFTE accredited program.
***Students are able to complete the program within the advertised length of 4 years. All degree requirements must be completed within 8 years. Students who extended their plan of study due to the COVID-19 pandemic or left the program for personal reasons account for the graduation rates for the 2019-2020 and 2021-2022 cohorts. Students in the 2020-2021 cohort graduated within 5 years.