



## Music Therapy Equivalency

This program is open to persons holding a bachelor's degree in music\* but not in music therapy. The equivalency program usually requires 2.5 to 3 years of study and meets the American Music Therapy Association's *Professional Competencies*. Other courses may be counted toward or substituted for the courses outlined below if they are determined to address required *Competencies*; this includes courses taken prior to entering the equivalency program. In some cases, students may be required to take courses beyond what is listed to meet the *Competencies*. Students who are participating in the Equivalency-Master's in Music Therapy are fully admitted graduate students. All courses they take, including undergraduate credits, are required for them to meet the competencies necessary to obtain a master's degree in music therapy.

### Music Therapy

MUY 4611	Music Therapy Drumming	1
MUY 4401	Music Therapy Methods I	3
MUY 4402	Music Therapy Methods II	3
MUS 4611	Psychology of Music Survey	3
MUS 4612	Psychology of Music Learning	3
MUS 3934	Music Therapy Improvisation	3
MUY 4904	Clinical Internship (six months in a clinical setting)	9

### Music Studies

The following courses are required if not completed during bachelor's degree:

MVK 1011/2121	Class Piano IA, IB, IIA, IIB**	4
MUE 3491	Communication Skills for the Musician: Choral Conducting	2
MUS 2360	Intro to Technology in Music <b>OR</b> MUE4690 Technology for the Music Class	1-3
MUH 2512	Music in World Cultures (or MUN 4803 World Music Ensemble)	1-2
MVV 1111	Class Voice or Applied Voice Lessons**	1
MVS 1116/2126	Beginning and Intermediate Class Guitar**	2
MVS 2526	Guitar Repertory	1

### Clinical Foundations (Minimum of 18 units)

PSY 2012	General Psychology	3
CLP 4143	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSB 2000	Introduction to Neuroscience	3
MUY 4301	Anatomy for Music Therapy Practice	2
Other courses:	e.g., Exceptional Children, Life Span Development, etc.	7-9

\* A bachelor's degree in music must have no less than 30% of total curriculum in music.

\*\* In some cases, students may meet competencies in these areas through an evaluation by faculty.