

Checklist of Course Requirements for Master's Candidacy
 Health Psychology & Behavioral Medicine Research RIG
 Department of Psychological Sciences
 Rice University

Grade	Semester	Core Courses (all required)
		PSYC 502 – Advanced Psychological Statistics I
		PSYC 503 – Advanced Psychological Statistics II
		PSYC 520 – Foundations of Cognitive Psychology
		PSYC 546 – Psychoneuroimmunology -OR- PSYC 586 – Social and Affective Neuroscience
		PSYC 547 – Foundations of Health Psychology
		PSYC 550 – Foundations of Social Psychology
		PSYC 660 – Professional Issues
Grade	Semester	Weekly Research Seminar (must enroll every semester)
		PSYC 532 – Health Research Seminar
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		(PSYC 532)
		(PSYC 532)

-or-

Requirements for provisional admission to Master's candidacy (thesis defense eligibility):

Grade	Semester	Core Courses (all required)
		PSYC 502 – Advanced Psychological Statistics I
		PSYC 503 – Advanced Psychological Statistics II
		PSYC 520 – Foundations of Cognitive Psychology
Grade	Semester	Weekly Research Seminar (must enroll every semester)
		PSYC 532 – Health Research Seminar
Grade	Semester	Additional Courses (2 required)
		PSYC 546 – Psychoneuroimmunology -OR- PSYC 586 – Social and Affective Neuroscience
		PSYC 547 – Foundations of Health Psychology
		PSYC 550 – Foundations of Social Psychology
		PSYC 660 – Professional Issues

Satisfactory (B- or higher) completion of these courses constitutes the only departmental requirement for admission to master's candidacy. Students who are provisionally admitted to candidacy must complete any additional course requirements prior to degree conferral.