



Portability of Degree

It is important that applicants are aware of the licensure requirements in their state, province, or other location in which they wish to practice. Some state regulatory boards do not accept degrees earned online as meeting the educational requirements for licensure. Other states, provinces, or other locations worldwide may have requirements for specialized accreditations or other unique course/credit requirements above and beyond the standard degree plan that would prevent clinical practice as a student and/or successful application for licensure. Although licensure laws are governed by individual states and can change frequently, the MFT program administration works to identify these states and notify students and potential students in those states with any known limitations.

Additionally, students in the U.S. are required to review the information about licensure through the licensure board directory on the AMFTRB website at www.amftrb.org. Each new student in the program will acknowledge that he or she has reviewed their state licensure requirements or other regulatory requirements in provinces or other jurisdictions in which they want to practice. This will occur at admission and during practicum orientation.

The Master of Arts (MA) in Marriage and Family Therapy (MFT) degree program at Touro University Worldwide (TUW) has three tracks:

1. Clinical-Track: The only track accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy Education (COAMFTE).
2. **Licensed Professional Clinical Counseling (LPCC) Track:** Approved by the [California Board of Behavioral Sciences \(BBS\)](#), not accredited by COAMFTE.
3. Non-Clinical Track: online MFT coursework; not accredited by COAMFTE.

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