

Jacob James (J.J.) Manning

Clinical Mental Health Counseling (CMHC) Student

Grand Canyon University | Expected Graduation: May 2027

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Professional Summary

Dedicated counseling intern candidate with experience in education, coaching, and pastoral leadership. Currently pursuing a Master's in Clinical Mental Health Counseling with a focus on supporting individuals, families, and communities through compassionate, evidence-based care.

Education

Grand Canyon University — M.S. Clinical Mental Health Counseling (In Progress)

Expected: May 2027

Relevant Experience

Pastor — Gate Friends Church

- Provided pastoral counseling and support to individuals and families
- Facilitated groups, mentoring, and community outreach
- Assisted individuals experiencing life transitions, grief, and stress

Teacher / Coach — Buffalo Public Schools

- Supported student development, mentorship, and goal setting
- Promoted positive behavioral and social-emotional growth
- Collaborated with staff and families to support student success

Skills

Active Listening, Empathy, Group Facilitation, Crisis Support, Case Documentation, Cultural Sensitivity, Ethical Practice, Communication, Mentorship

Professional Goals

Seeking a Clinical Mental Health Counseling Degree

Becoming an LPC

References available upon request.