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Requirements for licensure of independent chemical dependency counselors-clinical supervisor (LICDC-CS).

To be licensed as an independent chemical dependency counselor-clinical supervisor (LICDC-CS) the applicant shall hold an active LICDC license that is in good standing and shall:

- (A) Submit a formal application, including:
 - (1) Suitable documentation;
 - (2) An application fee:
 - (3) A personal attestation statement agreeing to practice by the code of ethical standards adopted by the board; and
 - (4) A recommendation and suitable documentation as follows:
 - (a) Provided directly from the applicant's supervisor.
 - (b) Provided in a manner specified by the Board.
- (B) After approval of the application by the board, receive a passing score on the IC&RC or other Board approved clinical supervisor examination, or provide documentation of a valid license, certificate, or credentials issued under another chapter of the Revised Code that authorizes the individual to engage in a profession whose scope of practice includes the clinical supervision of substance use disorder counseling, substance use disorder counseling, and diagnosing and treating substance use disorder conditions.
- (C) Complete the hours specified in (C)(1) and (C)(2).
 - (1) Complete two thousand hours of work experience or a combination of work experience plus a supervised internship.
 - (a) A minimum of twenty percent of the hours of substance use disorders counseling in the clinical core functions;
 - (2) Complete two thousand hours of clinical substance use disorder supervisory work experience as follows:
 - (a) A minimum of two hundred hours shall be face-to-face.
 - (b) Performed under proper supervision
- (D) Thirty hours of approved clinical supervision specific education in section (E):

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(1) Fifty percent of the total hours shall be completed within 5 years from the date application.

- (2) Completion may be through:
 - (a) Board approved Continuing Education Units (CEU),
 - (b) Credits from an accredited school or university, or
 - (c) A combination (D)(2)(a) and (D)(2)(b).
- (E) The education content and minimum hours as follows:
 - (1) Counselor development (minimum four hours);
 - (2) Professional and ethical standards (minimum four hours);
 - (3) Program development and quality assurance (minimum four hours);
 - (4) Performance evaluation (minimum four hours); and
 - (5) Administration (minimum four hours).
- (F) Requirements completed under this provision are additional and are exclusive from the LICDC.
- (G) The Board shall have sole discretion to determine if documentation submitted is suitable.

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