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**Scope of practice for chemical dependency counselors III (LCDC III) with gambling disorder endorsement.**

(A) An individual who holds a chemical dependency counselor III license and a gambling disorder endorsement may do all of the following in addition to those services outlined in rule 4758-6-04 of the Administrative Code:

- (1) Treat gambling disorder conditions;
- (2) Diagnose gambling disorder conditions under supervision;
- (3) Perform treatment planning, assessment, crisis intervention, individual, family, and group counseling, case management, and educational services insofar as those functions relate to gambling disorder;
- (4) Supervise gambling disorder counseling under the supervision of any of the following:
  - (a) An independent chemical dependency counselor or independent chemical dependency counselor-clinical supervisor licensed under Chapter 4758. of the Revised Code;
  - (b) An individual authorized to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery under Chapter 4731. of the Revised Code;
  - (c) A psychologist licensed under Chapter 4732. of the Revised Code;
  - (d) An individual authorized to practice as a certified nurse practitioner, clinical nurse specialist or a registered nurse licensed under Chapter 4723. of the Revised Code;
  - (e) A professional clinical counselor, independent social worker, or independent marriage and family therapist licensed under Chapter 4757. of the Revised Code.

~~(5) Refer individuals with other conditions to appropriate sources of help.~~

(B) An individual holding a chemical dependency counselor III license shall not practice as an individual practitioner.

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