

## TRAINING REQUIREMENTS for Licensed Addiction Counselor

## Requires a CLINICAL MASTERS OR DOCTORATE DEGREE

Effective 3-1-22

## Training classes required with a clinical Master's or Doctorate degree (no educational equivalency available)

- Principles of Addiction
  Treatment (21 hours) online
  \$205
- Infectious Diseases in Addiction Treatment (14 hours) online \$165
- Advanced Professional & Ethical Practice (14 hours) live \$195
- Pharmacology I (14 hours) online \$155
- Advanced Pharmacology (14 hours)
  Prerequisite is Pharmacology I online \$165
- Clinical Supervision I (21 hours)
  Hybrid one week online 2 days live \$225
- Clinical Supervision II (14 hours)
  Prerequisite is Clinical Supervision I
  live \$195

Total \$1305

Total training hours = 112

Two hours of clinical supervision per month by an LAC for full time work

2000 hours of clinically supervised work experience

National examination MAC & Colorado Jurisprudence exam if not taken within the past year

## **Scope of Practice for LAC**

- Treat substance use & co-occurring disorders
- Clinical assessments, including diagnostic impression
- Treatment planning
- Referral & discharge planning
- Service coordination & case management
- Addiction counseling individuals, families, groups
- Client & family community education & psychoeducation
- Supervision of Techs, Specialists, LACs, and other licensed mental health professionals

MAC exam at: www.caap.us

CO JP exam at:

https://www.iqttesting.com/default.asp

It is **NOT** necessary to apply to CCE for educational equivalency for any of these classes. They must all be taken from an OBHapproved trainer.