



2009 DMV Evaluator Training and Retraining Scheduled

Saturday, September 12th 9:30 a.m.
Ramada Inn, Burlington, NC
Saturday, December 12th 9:30 a.m.
Ramada Inn, Burlington, NC

Two DMV Evaluator Training and Retraining courses have been scheduled for your convenience. Please note the date and time of each training.

All persons who perform DMV Evaluations for the North Carolina Division of Motor Vehicles are reminded that it is MANDATORY that you attend one of the two DMV Evaluator Training and Retraining courses that have been scheduled for this year.

If you have never been trained and would like to become a DMV Evaluator or were a DMV Evaluator at one time, but are no longer on the provider list, you may also attend the training. One must possess either the Certified Substance Abuse Counselor (CSAC) or Licensed Clinical Addictions Specialist (LCAS) credential in order to attend this training.

Please call the Board office at (919) 832-0975 or email matt@recanc.com to register for one of these two classes. Remember, you must attend one of these trainings in order to perform DMV Evaluations in the future!

In Memoriam

William F. Wells
CSAC

May 1, 1947–June 9, 2009



NCSAPPB Panel Discussion Sheds Light on Opportunities for LCAS's to Seek Reimbursement

The Board hosted a panel discussion at the McKimmon Center in Raleigh on Friday, May 15th to discuss various ways in which Licensed Clinical Addictions Specialists can seek reimbursement for their services. The panelists included Ted Hamby, NC Deputy Commissioner of Insurance, Sara McEwen, Executive Director of the Governor's Institute, Beth Karr from the Division of Medical Assistance and a current Board member. Mr. Danny Graves, Board President, served as the moderator.



From left to right: Ted Hamby, Sara McEwen, Danny Graves, Beth Karr and Bert Bennett

Mr. Hamby discussed the October 29, 2008 Department of Insurance Advisory Notice issued to all insurers subject to N.C. General Statute § 58-50-30. This advisory served as a notice to insurers of the impact of the Board's 2008 legislation—namely the definition change from a LCAS Intern to a provisional licensed clinical addictions specialist and the addition of clinical supervisor interns as recognized substance abuse professionals. The notice reads “insurers that write health benefit plans, subscriber contracts or policies of insurance that provide benefits for services of duly certified substance abuse professionals must recognize that the licensure or certification of ‘provisional licensed clinical addictions specialists’ and ‘clinical supervisor interns’ under Article 5C of Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes satisfies the certification requirement in N.C. General Statute § 58-50-30 (c2).” Mr. Hamby encouraged insured persons to contact his/her *(continued on page 2)*

2009 NCSAPPB Election Results

The Board office wishes to congratulate Mr. Tony Beatty on his recent election to serve on the NC Substance Abuse Professional Practice Board. Mr. Beatty will be sworn in as a Board member at the 2009 Annual meeting. He will represent the Western region.

Exam Dates for 2009

All exams are held at the McKimmon Center in Raleigh, NC. The deadline for all exams is sixty (60) days prior to the testing date.

Written Test Dates

March 14, 2009	September 12, 2009
June 13, 2009	December 12, 2009

Board Meetings for 2009

Thursday and Friday, March 12th-13th, 2009
Thursday and Friday, June 11th-12th, 2009

Annual Board meeting in Wilmington, NC
Tuesday and Wednesday, July 28th-29th, 2009

Thursday and Friday, September 10th-11th, 2009
Thursday and Friday, December 10th-11th, 2009

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insurer and advocate for inclusion of LCAS's as a specific provider type on the insurer's panel as this is essentially a market-driven issue.

In addition to seeking inclusion on an insurance panel, a Licensed Clinical Addictions Specialist may seek reimbursement from Medicaid. Beth Karr from the Division of Medical Assistance explained that a LCAS is eligible to enroll as a provider with Medicaid. Once the LCAS is enrolled, he/she can provide services and bill Medicaid. Medicaid would then reimburse the LCAS directly.

Not only can LCAS's seek reimbursement for their services, but a provisional LCAS may be reimbursed via "Incident To" billing. Bert Bennett from the Division of Medical Assistance explained that a physician can bill and seek reimbursement for a provisional LCAS's clinical services "incident to" the physician's credential or provider number. The provisional LCAS provides outpatient services under the supervision of both the physician as well as their Board approved supervisor. The provisional LCAS may be employed by the physician or by a provider agency that also employs or contracts with the physician. More information regarding this policy can be found at: <http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/bulletin/0309bulletin.htm>.

LCAS-P's can bill "incident to" a physician when providing services as part of an integrated care model, such as Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) as well. Sara McEwen with the Governor's Institute reported that many primary care practices as well as emergency departments and inpatient hospital units are utilizing SBIRT as it has been proven to decrease the frequency and severity of drug and alcohol use, increase the percentage of patients who enter specialized substance abuse treatment and is associated with fewer hospital stays and emergency department visits. Research has demonstrated a net-cost savings as a result of SBIRT implementation. The Institute of Medicine, National Quality Form, the U.S. Preventive Health Task Force and the major primary care specialty groups support SBIRT. Information regarding SBIRT can be found at <http://www.sbird.samhsa.gov/> and <http://www.ireta.org>. In addition, the Governor's Institute on Alcohol and Substance Abuse is developing a website that will feature NC SBIRT activities and initiatives (<http://www.sa4docs.org>).

These are not the only avenues by which a substance abuse counselor may provide services and be reimbursed. According to the Division of Medical Assistance's Clinical Coverage Policy 8A (<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/mp/8A.pdf>), a LCAS, provisional LCAS and Certified Substance Abuse Counselor may provide Medicaid billable enhanced MH/DD/SA services as a Qualified Professional.

More information regarding this discussion will be made available on the Board's website in the near future. Please stay tuned!

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Upcoming Training Events

Date	Information	
Home Study	Contingency Management w/Adolescents & Their Families: Treatment for Addiction	Online
Sponsored by	MUSC & National Institute on Drug Abuse	
Presented by	Dr. Ashli Sheidow	
Contact	Jennifer Browder — 843-876-1818	
Approval number	08-521-H-S	Up to 15 hours GSB
Home Study	Crisis Intervention	Online
Sponsored by	Stanly Community College	
Presented by	Kelly Deal	
Contact	Kelly Deal — 704-991-0163 or kdeal7462@stanly.edu	
Approval number	08-558-H-S	Up to 45 hours GSB
Home Study	Substance Abuse Counseling	Online
Sponsored by	Stanly Community College	
Presented by	Kelly Deal	
Contact	Kelly Deal — 704-991-0163 or kdeal7462@stanly.edu	
Approval number	08-559-H-S	Up to 45 hours SS
Home Study	Codependency	Online
Sponsored by	Stanly Community College	
Presented by	Kelly Deal	
Contact	Kelly Deal — 704-991-0163 or kdeal7462@stanly.edu	
Approval number	08-560-H-S	Up to 45 hours SS
Home Study	Changing Addictive Thinking	Online
Sponsored by	Greenbriar Treatment Center	
Presented by	Ken Monroe	
Contact	Ken Monroe — 724-934-8435	
Approval number	08-561-H-S	Up to 3 hours SS
Home Study	Theory & Practice of Group Counseling	Online
Sponsored by	Coastal Carolina Community College	
Presented by	Robert Peebles	
Contact	Nell F. Sligh — 910-938-6749	
Approval number	09-267-S	Up to 60 hours SS
Home Study	Theory & Practice of Counseling & Psychotherapy	Online
Sponsored by	Coastal Carolina Community College	
Presented by	Robert Peebles	
Contact	Nell F. Sligh — 910-938-6749	
Approval number	09-266-S	Up to 60 hours SS
Home Study	The Science of Addiction: Basic Pharmacology	Online
Sponsored by	The Distance Learning Center for Addiction Studies	
Presented by	Carlton K. Erickson	
Contact	Vic Shaw — 866-471-1741	
Approval number	09-283-H-S	Up to 6 hours SS

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NCSAPPB INTERNET ADDRESS: <http://www.ncsappb.org>

Ongoing		Substance Abuse Education	Elizbeth City
	Sponsored by	Roanoke Bible College	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Grayling Ferrand—347-731-3379	
	Approval number	08-454-C	Up to 388 hours C (338 SS & 50 GSB)
Ongoing		Clinical Supervision & Training for Substance Abuse Counselors	Southern Shores
	Sponsored by	N/A	
	Presented by	Jim Willis	
	Contact	Jo Ann Hummers — 252-261-4512	
	Approval number	08-500-S*	Up to 36 hours SS*
Ongoing		SA Training Series	Concord
	Sponsored by	PASAPA & PBH	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Angie Banther — 336-248-8914	
	Approval number	08-557-S	Up to 30 hrs SS (incl. 3 HIV & 6 Ethics)
Ongoing		Creating a Professional Community of Healers	Winston-Salem
	Sponsored by	APNC	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Peter Venable — 336-277-1813	
	Approval number	09-217-C	Up to 6.5 hours SS & 14 hours GSB
Ongoing		Adopting Best Practices in Substance Abuse Treatment (2009)	Greensboro
	Sponsored by	The Guilford Center	
	Presented by	Paul Nagy	
	Contact	Anne Gable — 336-641-7473	
	Approval number	09-018-S	Up to 16.5 hours SS
Ongoing		HIV 6 Hour Workshop	Raleigh
	Sponsored by	N/A	
	Presented by	Karee Redman	
	Contact	Karee Redman — 919-376-0008	
	Approval number	09-039-S	Up to 6 hours SS
Ongoing		Supervisors Support & Development Network	Charlotte
	Sponsored by	Charlotte Rescue Mission	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Tammy Gilmore — 704-334-4635 x262	
	Approval number	09-072-S*	Up to 20 hours SS*
Ongoing		Clinical Supervision for Certification / Licensing as Addiction Counselor	Winston-Salem
	Sponsored by	N/A	
	Presented by	Dr. Joseph Adegboyega	
	Contact	Joseph Adegboyega — 336-624-1461	
	Approval number	09-183-S*	UP to 18 hours SS*
Ongoing		Motivational Interviewing with Adolescents	Chapel Hill
	Sponsored by	SR-AHEC, NC EBP Center	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	John T. Bigger — 910-678-7207	
	Approval number	09-246-S	Up to 1.5 hours SS

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Ongoing		Hakomi: Professional Training in Hakomi Mindfulness-Based Experiential Therapy	Asheville
	Sponsored by	MAHEC	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Toni Hollenbeck — 828-257-4481	
	Approval number	09-245-G	Up to 144 hours GSB
Ongoing		DOT-SAP Qualification & Update Training	Charlotte
	Sponsored by	Alcohol & Drug Abuse Testing Centers, Inc.	
	Presented by	Jon P. Speckman	
	Contact	Janet Jannelli — 704-544-1156	
	Approval number	09-248-S	Up to 14 hours SS
Ongoing		Substance Abuse Counseling: Preparing for the Written Exam	Raleigh
	Sponsored by	Wake Tech Community College, Health Science Campus	
	Presented by	Tony Porrett	
	Contact	Tony Porrett — 919-747-0160	
	Approval number	09-255-S	Up to 3 hours SS
Ongoing		Advanced Series for Substance Abuse Counselors – Part A, B, and C	Jacksonville
	Sponsored by	Coastal Carolina Community College	
	Presented by	Robert M. Peebles	
	Contact	Nell F. Sligh — 910-938-6749	
	Approval number	09-271-S	Up to 81 hours SS
Ongoing		Mobile Crisis Management	TBD
	Sponsored by	UNC-CH School of Social Work, Behavioral Healthcare Resource Program	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	James Coley — 919-843-3018	
	Approval number	09-282-G	Up to 6 hours GSB
Ongoing		Substance Abuse, PTSD & Returning OEF/OIF Guard & Reserve Veterans	TBD
	Sponsored by	UNC-CH School of Social Work, Behavioral Healthcare Resource Program	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	James Coley — 919-843-3018	
	Approval number	09-281-S	Up to 6.5 hours SS
Ongoing		Utilizing ASAM Criteria for Adult Substance Abuse	TBD
	Sponsored by	UNC-CH School of Social Work, Behavioral Healthcare Resource Program	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	James Coley — 919-843-3018	
	Approval number	09-280-S	Up to 12 hours SS
Ongoing		Intensive In-Home Services	TBD
	Sponsored by	UNC-CH School of Social Work, Behavioral Healthcare Resource Program	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	James Coley — 919-843-3018	
	Approval number	09-279-G	Up to 12 hours GSB
Ongoing		Diagnostic Assessment for Substance Abuse	TBD
	Sponsored by	UNC-CH School of Social Work, Behavioral Healthcare Resource Program	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	James Coley — 919-843-3018	
	Approval number	09-278-S	Up to 6 hours SS

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Ongoing		Diagnostic Assessment for Mental Health	TBD
	Sponsored by	UNC-CH School of Social Work, Behavioral Healthcare Resource Program	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	James Coley — 919-843-3018	
	Approval number	09-277-G	Up to 6 hours GSB
TBD		Substance Abuse Education for the Family – Professional Training	Mill Spring
	Sponsored by	Pavillon Center	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Steven Millette — 800-392-4808	
	Approval number	08-134-C	Up to 18 hours (10 hours SS & 8 hours GSB)
August 6-7, 2009		Adolescent Mental Health: Exploring the Challenges Teens Face in the 21st Century	Clemmons
	Sponsored by	Northwest AHEC, WFU School of Medicine	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Marie Simos — 336-713-7721	
	Approval number	09-291-S	Up to 14 hours SS
August 11, 2009		The Family Dynamics of Addiction	Greensboro
	Sponsored by	Greensboro AHEC & Duke University Medical Center, Dept of Psychiatry	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Brian Heller — 336-832-8025	
	Approval number	09-298-S	Up to 6 hours SS
August 12, 2009		Structural Family Therapy in the Treatment of Substance Abuse	Mill Spring
	Sponsored by	Pavillon	
	Presented by	Peggy Burke	
	Contact	Steven Millette — 828-694-2300	
	Approval number	09-304-G	Up to 2 hours GSB
August 13, 2009		Cultural Competency	Greensboro
	Sponsored by	Fellowship Hall	
	Presented by	Alicia Gonzalez	
	Contact	Jim Fenley — 800-659-3381	
	Approval number	089-133-S	Up to 4 hours SS
August 20-21, 2009		Children's Services State of the Art Conference	Atlantic Beach
	Sponsored by	Eastern AHEC	
	Presented by	Multi-faculty	
	Contact	Debbie Caton Rogers— 252-744-6263	
	Approval number	09-269-C	Up to 12 hours Combination (2 hrs Ethics)
August 21, 2009		Understanding the Dynamics Associated w/Criminal Thinking & Substance Abuse Behavior	Fayetteville
	Sponsored by	Myrover-Reese Fellowship Home	
	Presented by	Henry Parks	
	Contact	Elizabeth Ramos — 910-486-8633	
	Approval number	09-274-S	Up to 6 hours SS
August 29, 2009		Screening Intake & Assessment	Raleigh
	Sponsored by	Ceiba Counseling Center, Inc.	
	Presented by	Al Gonzalez	
	Contact	Alfred Gonzalez — 919-873-1551	
	Approval number	09-151-S	Up to 6 hours SS

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September 10, 2009	Do You Want To Be Smarter Than a Fifth Grader? How We Remember & Why We Forget!	Wilmington
Sponsored by	SEAHEC & Southern Regional AHEC	
Presented by	Scott Hagwood	
Contact	Sherry Brookshire — 910-792-5560	
Approval number	09-290-G	Up to 6.5 hours GSB
September 11, 2009	Family Codependency in Addiction	Greensboro
Sponsored by	Fellowship Hall	
Presented by	Sharon DeEsch	
Contact	Jim Fenley — 800-659-3381	
Approval number	09-157-S	Up to 4 hours SS
September 16, 2009	Intervening with People in Crisis: A Guide for Clinicians	Greenville
Sponsored by	Eastern AHEC	
Presented by	Marty Weems	
Contact	Debi Hilton-Kittle — 252-744-5228	
Approval	09-295-G	Up to 5 hours GSB
September 18, 2009	The Aging Brain	Wilmington
Sponsored by	SEAHEC	
Presented by	Stan Oakley, Jr.	
Contact	Sherry Brookshire — 910-792-5560 x 101	
Approval number	09-037-G	Up to 5 hours GSB
September 19, 2009	Anger & the Substance Abuser	Raleigh
Sponsored by	Ceiba Counseling Center	
Presented by	Robert Jan Hedgepeth	
Contact	Al Gonzalez — 919-873-1551	
Approval number	09-187-S	Up to 6 hours SS
September 23, 2009	Advanced Ethical Issues	Greensboro
Sponsored by	Greensboro AHEC & Duke University Medical Center, Dept of Psychiatry	
Presented by	Multi-faculty	
Contact	Brian Heller — 336-832-8025	
Approval number	09-299-S	Up to 6 hours SS
September 29, 2009	Trauma, Attachment & Recovery	Greenville
Sponsored by	Eastern AHEC	
Presented by	Ann K. Oshel	
Contact	Debi Hilton-Kittle — 252-744-5228	
Approval	09-296-G	Up to 5 hours GSB
October 1, 2009	Communicable Diseases & Substance Abuse Update	Greensboro
Sponsored by	Fellowship Hall	
Presented by	Kathy Norins	
Contact	Jim Fenley — 800-659-3381	
Approval number	09-158-S	Up to 4 hours SS
October 1, 2009	Substance Use & Older Adults	Greensboro
Sponsored by	Greensboro AHEC & Duke University Medical Center, Dept of Psychiatry	
Presented by	Kathy Lowe	
Contact	Brian Heller — 336-832-8025	
Approval number	09-300-S	Up to 6 hours SS

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October 1-4, 2009	Clinical Supervision Workshop	Greenville
Sponsored by	PARC	
Presented by	Lloyd Goodwin	
Contact	Lloyd Goodwin — 252-744-6292	
Approval number	09-042-S*	Up to 30 hours CSS *
October 9, 2009	Counseling Individuals with HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis C, STD & Other Infectious Diseases	Greenville
Sponsored by	PARC	
Presented by	Lloyd Goodwin	
Contact	Lloyd Goodwin — 252-744-6292	
Approval number	09-041-S	Up to 6 hours SS
October 16, 2009	Ethical Issues in Substance Abuse and Rehabilitation Counseling	Greenville
Sponsored by	PARC	
Presented by	Lloyd Goodwin	
Contact	Lloyd Goodwin — 252-744-6292	
Approval number	09-040-S	Up to 6 hours SS
October 21, 2009	Providing Culturally Competent Care to Latino Patients	Winston-Salem
Sponsored by	Northwest AHEC, WFU School of Medicine	
Presented by	Leslie DeRosett	
Contact	Marie Simos — 336-713-7721	
Approval number	09-155-G	Up to 3.75 hours GSB
October 28, 2009	DBT for Adults with Co-occurring Borderline Personality & Substance Abuse Disorders	Greensboro
Sponsored by	Greensboro AHEC & Duke University Medical Center, Dept of Psychiatry	
Presented by	Zach Rosenthal	
Contact	Brian Heller — 336-832-8025	
Approval number	09-301-S	Up to 6 hours SS
October 31, 2009	HIV / AIDS Overview & Updates	Raleigh
Sponsored by	Ceiba Counseling Center, Inc.	
Presented by	Maria del Pilar Cabrera Carpio	
Contact	Alfred Gonzalez — 919-873-1551	
Approval number	09-228-S	Up to 6 hours SS
November 3-4	25th Annual Substance Abuse Services State of the Art Conference: Silver Threads Among the Gold, Weaving Wisdom with New Ideas	
Sponsored by	Eastern AHEC	
Presented by	Multi-Faculty	
Contact	Debi Hilton-Kittle—252-744-5228	
Approval number	Pending	
November 21, 2009	Clinical Person to Person Communication	Raleigh
Sponsored by	Ceiba Counseling Center, Inc.	
Presented by	Alfred Gonzalez	
Contact	Alfred Gonzalez — 919-873-1551	
Approval number	09-275-S	Up to 6 hours SS
November 18-20, 2009	NCAARF Fall Conference	Burlington
Sponsored by	NCAARF	
Presented by	TBA	
Contact	Pam Story — 828-433-1221	
Approval number	Pending	Up to 15 hours SS (6 HIV/AIDS & 3 Ethics)
December 9, 2009	Agging & Addiction: An Invisible Epidemic	Charlotte
Sponsored by	Behavioral Health Center & Horizons Outpatient Services	
Presented by	George Raad	
Contact	Anne Ross — 704-358-2724	
Approval number	09-185-S	Up to 1.5 hours SS

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS

FAMILY AND CHILD THERAPIST for Sunrise residential gender specific substance abuse treatment program at UNC Horizons in Chapel Hill.

Experience in individual, group and family therapy with women and their children (age 0 - 11). Professional licensure required. Salary range \$28,400 to \$42,000. Email mstrange@med.unc.edu.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE SPECIALIST:

Most have Bachelor's degree in a human services field and (2) years full-time, post-bachelor's degree accumulated experience substance abuse prevention/drug abuse counseling; or Bachelor's degree in any field and (4) years of full-time experience as noted above; or a substance abuse prevention professional who is a QP status according to 10A NCAC 27G.0104: one of the following: CCS, LCAS, or CSAC.

E-mail Resume: pshiring@ps-corp.net or fax: 888-678-9610

NEW WEBSITE for N.C. Substance Career Professionals

New website dedicated to assist professionals, students, educators, and anyone interested in substance abuse career development. Find out about models used in substance abuse, what schools offer programs in substance abuse, training events and scholarships and a wealth of other helpful information. Go to www.edu2work.org.

ARCA has an immediate opening for a CSAC. Must be motivated and experienced. Fax resume to 336-784-9505 or email to lisag@arcanc.org.

PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Director needed to oversee day to day operations of our outpatient substance abuse treatment facility in Wilmington. Applicants must have supervisory experience and be CCS or LCAS. Excellent benefits include free family medical, free single dental/life/ltd, 401k plan w/ company match and more. Fax resume to HR Director at 407-351-2926 or email to jlovern99@earthlink.net. EOE.

MCLEOD CENTER IN CHARLOTTE has an immediate opening for a Clinical Supervisor. Responsible for facilitating group sessions for counselors agency wide; directly observes counselors & provides feedback; assists staff with certification process. Must be Certified Clinical Supervisor with the NCSAPPB. Some travel req'd. Apply online at mcleodcenter.com or send resume w/salary reqs to Dept JM, 145 Remount Rd, Charlotte NC 28203. No phone calls please. EOE

HIRING LICENSED THERAPISTS (LCSW, LPC, LMFT, LCAS) for large and stable non-profit agency in NC. FT and PT office and community-based positions available to complete intake assessments and see children, families, and adults in the Burlington, Clinton, Durham, Mt. Airy, Raleigh, Rocky Mount, and Statesville areas. Please submit resume to alexia.maneschi@nc.eastersealsucp.com.

Clinical Substance Abuse Counselor/Assistant Director

Adult Recovery Unit Balsam Center

THE LICENSED CLINICAL ADDICTION SPECIALIST/ASSISTANT DIRECTOR is responsible for providing and overseeing a range of services to meet the needs of consumers and their family members in a 12 bed adult facility based crisis program providing detox, dual diagnosis and crisis stabilization services in a Recovery environment. Position will work as a critical member of a multi-disciplinary treatment team. The focus of the position is to oversee and provide clinical addiction services to individuals and their families in a 24 hour setting. This position will develop and oversee implementation of a recovery curriculum for ARU clients. Master's degree in related human services field and must have LCAS or be eligible for LCAS. Licensed Clinical Addiction Specialist/Assistant Director is responsible for providing and overseeing a range of services to meet the needs of consumers and their family members in a 12 bed adult facility based crisis program providing detox, dual diagnosis and crisis stabilization services in a Recovery environment. Provide advanced clinical counseling, assessment of the client situation, diagnosis, treatment planning, and assignment of client to a qualified and privileged clinician. Must have thorough knowledge of substance abuse addiction processes, alcohol and drug withdrawal. Considerable knowledge of psychopharmacy and drug interactions.

Grade 68 Competitive salary available for qualified candidates. Salary depends on the qualification of the candidate. Position is full-time salaried with comprehensive benefits. This position is exempt.

Please send a NC State Application and resume to: Smoky Mountain Center, Department of Human Resources, 44 Bonnie Lane, Sylva, NC 28779. Smoky Mountain Center is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer.

Executive Director

*The North Carolina Pharmacist
Recovery Network (PRN)*

Minimum Qualifications:

Experience: A minimum of three years experience working with patients with substance abuse disorders. Experience working with health care professionals as well as administrative management of organizations is preferred.

Education & Licensure:

Masters Degree in counseling / substance abuse, LCAS or higher, state and/or national credentials in substance abuse preferred.

Key Competencies:

1. Candidate should be proficient in drafting and administering policy and procedures. Non-Profit experience a plus
2. Candidate must have knowledge in Microsoft Office or similar programming (Word, Excel, Power Point.)
3. Strong written and oral skills are a must
4. Fundraising/ Grant writing experience preferred
5. Must be prepared to argue in support of clients to the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy
6. The Executive Director must be willing to facilitate appropriate and positive working relationships with clients, PRN staff, the PRN Board of Directors, and the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy to support the ongoing effective operation of PRN

Compensation:

Generous salary and benefits package offered; salary commensurate with experience.

Reports to NCPRN Board of Directors
Resumes/CV's please send to *brendenfortheboard@gmail.com*, or fax to 919-267-9074

Alcohol and Drug Services of Guilford

Alcohol and Drug Services of Guilford a non-profit organization servicing those in need is recruiting for a Licensed Clinical Addictions Specialist (LCAS), Certified Substance Abuse Counselor (CSAC), Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), a Clinical Counseling Supervisor (CCS) to work in our programs.

Job Responsibilities

- Ability to handle assessments
- Experience in conducting group and individual counseling sessions
- Preparation of notes related to treatment sessions
- Up to date knowledge on the latest treatment mythologies is required.
- Ability to be an integral part of a team environment

Job Requirements

- Applicant must have a LCAS, LCSW, CCS or CSAC from NC.
- Applicant must have a minimum of two (2) years experience as a substance abuse counselor.
- Applicant must have a minimum of a four year degree from an accredited university.
- Applicant must pass a criminal background check and a drug screen.

Qualified Candidates can apply with resume and salary requirements to: *jobs@adsyes.org* or via fax at 336-532-0508. EEO-M/F/D/V

Substance Abuse Counselor (QP)

Lee-Harnett ACTT

Basic job description/requirements

Join the Mental Health Association of NC in providing intensive case management for adults with mental illness as a member of our Assertive Community Treatment Team (ACTT). This staff has training and experience in working with severe mental illness and/or substance abusing diagnosed adult individuals to assess, plan, develop, coordinate and provide substance abuse support services. Must have degree in substance abuse counseling or human services with license and at least one year of experience. Apply today!

Send resumes to:

MHA/NC, Attn: D. Wilson
514 21st Street
Lumberton, NC 28358
Fax: 910-738-6341
E-mail: jobs@mha-nc.org

www.mha-nc.org

Substance Abuse Counselor

Sandhills Jail Diversion Team

Basic job description/requirements

The Mental Health Association of NC is seeking a qualified professional to provide intensive case management for adults with mental illness as a member of our Rockingham Jail Diversion Team (JD). This staff has training and experience in working with severe mental illness and/or substance abusing diagnosed adult individuals to assess, plan, develop, coordinate and provide substance abuse support services. Must have degree in substance abuse counseling or human services with license and at least one year of experience. Apply today!

Send resumes to:

MHA/NC, Attn: S. Thompson
234 E. Franklin St.
Rockingham, NC 28379
Fax: 910-895-9322
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SA clinician

Established outpatient practice in Charlotte is looking for a licensed, certified, or registered SA clinician for help with group facilitation & related activities. Part-time for two evenings and Sat. am. Great working environment and potential for growth with the organization. Please fax resume to: (704)342-1917 or call: (704)338-1155 for more information.

Clinical Coordinator

F/T Clinical Coordinator for impaired Professional's Program located in South Central NC. Master's degree, background in Substance Abuse with Licensure or Certification eligibility within one year from hire. Salary and Benefits commensurate with credentials and experience. Confidential inquiries to Margie Graves, Executive Director, PO Box 1258, Southern Pines, NC 28388 or mgraves@nccaringdental.com.

Bi-lingual entry-level position (Durham)

The Alcohol/Drug Council of NC has a part-time, entry-level position available to provide Information, Referral and Navigation services to individuals across North Carolina. The ideal candidate will be engaged in the registration process with the NCSAPPB or enthusiastic about entering the Substance Abuse field. Cultural competency and a strong desire to communicate effectively in a team atmosphere are required. Folks in recovery with 2+ yrs are encouraged to apply. Bi-lingual is a plus. Position is located at our office in Durham. *Please forward resume to: erodgers@alcoholdrughelp.org*

Website Dedicated to Recruitment of Substance Abuse Counselors

The call for qualified addictions professionals is loud and wide as substance abuse counselors are in high demand. The Addiction Technology Transfer Center Network (ATTC) has created a website

www.AddictionCareers.org

making available multiple resources to assist with the recruitment of substance abuse counselors. Please be sure to bookmark this website for your marketing use!



Calendar For Board Scholarship Requests Submission—2009

Conference	Application Period Begins	Application Period Ends	Notification to Recipient
<i>NC Summer School</i>	<i>February 1, 2009</i>	<i>February 28, 2009</i>	<i>After March 16, 2009</i>
<i>Addiction: Focus on Women Conference</i>	<i>February 1, 2009</i>	<i>February 28, 2009</i>	<i>After March 16, 2009</i>
<i>APNC Fall Conference</i>	<i>May 1, 2009</i>	<i>May 31, 2009</i>	<i>After June 15, 2009</i>
<i>NC Winter School</i>	<i>August 1, 2009</i>	<i>August 31, 2009</i>	<i>After September 14, 2009</i>
<i>McLeod Institute Scholarship</i>	<i>November 1, 2009</i>	<i>November 30, 2009</i>	<i>After December 14, 2009</i>
<i>All Applicants for the Board's scholarships MUST be certified or licensed by the Board.</i>			

Note: All letters of request must include: Full Name / Full Address / Office and Home Telephone Numbers
Certification Number and Expiration Date / Statement of Financial Need

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