Resources for Clinical Supervisors

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Books


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**Manuals**


Abstract: Clinical supervision has become an organizational function with its own conceptual framework and methodology. Key competencies for effective clinical supervision represent an array of knowledge and skills pertinent to the clinical, administrative, and evaluative responsibilities of a clinical supervisor. *TAP 21-A: Competencies for Substance Abuse Treatment Clinical Supervisors* synthesizes the functional responsibilities and essential skills of the clinical supervisor into one document that could serve as a standard for the field.


Abstract: This is an exciting new handbook about clinical supervision written by practitioners, driven by clinical practice, and focused solely on practice. *Clinical Supervision: A Handbook for Practitioners* provides readers with an abundance of practical application exercises, examples, case studies, demonstration transcripts and discussion questions that translate into real world supervision. The authors guide students through the clinical supervision process while presenting many of the important issues supervisors face along the way.

**Newsletters and Other Resource Guides**


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**Journals**


*Counselor Education and Supervision.* Alexandria, VA: American Counseling Association. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision members receive the journal as a member benefit. For nonmember subscriptions call (800) 633-4931 or write to ACA Subscriptions, P.O. Box 361, Birmingham, AL 35201-0361.

**Web Sites**

Association for Counselor Education and Supervision  
www.acesonline.net

Foundation for Critical Thinking  
www.criticalthinking.org

Institute for Professional Development in the Addictions  
www.ipdany.org

Legal Action Center  
www.lac.org

**Online and Face-to-Face Training Opportunities**

*Advanced Skills in Clinical Supervision: Updates on the Blended Model of Clinical Supervision*  
David J. Powell, Ph.D., LADC, CCS, LMFT  
Distance learning available through the Distance Learning Center for Addiction Studies, www.dlcas.com.

*Clinical Supervision*  
*Description:* To better prepare the new supervisor as they first encounter the challenges of supervising a clinical staff. To assist the veteran, as well as the new, supervisor better appreciate the complexity of supervision to increase their effectiveness and satisfaction in that role. *Text:* Essentials of Clinical Supervision by Jane M. Campbell  
*Instructor:* Thomas Schear  
*Course Format:* Correspondence/E-mail  
*Credit / Contact Hours:* 14  
*Price:* $96.25 (price includes book and P/H USD)  
*Course Contact:* Thomas H. Schear  
*Contact Phone:* (641) 692-3278  
*Contact E-mail:* tscheartccmsinc.net  
*Sponsor:* CCMS, Inc.
Clinical Supervision II
Description: Provides the veteran and novice clinical supervisor to manage practitioners from the 12 Core Functions viewpoint.
Texts: Global Criteria: The 12 Core Functions of the Substance Abuse Counselor by John Herdman The Professional Alcohol & Drug Counselor Supervisor’s Handbook by Lawrence Clayton, Ph.D. & Randy VanNostrand, Ph.D.
Instructor: Thomas Schear
Course Format: Correspondence/E-mail
Credit / Contact Hours: 14
Price: $110.00 (price includes book and P/H USD)
Course Contact: Thomas H. Schear
Contact Phone: (641) 692-3278
Contact E-mail: tscheck@ccmsinc.net
Sponsor: CCMS, Inc.

Clinical Supervision in the Addictions Field
Description: Provides a firmer background for the current or would be supervisor in the principles, models and methods of supervising in the addictions field.
Text: Clinical Supervision in Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling by David J. Powell, with Archie Brosky
Instructor: Thomas Schear
Course Format: Correspondence/E-mail
Credit / Contact Hours: 12
Price: $104.50 (price includes book and P/H USD)
Course Contact: Thomas H. Schear
Contact Phone: (641) 692-3278
Contact E-mail: tscheck@ccmsinc.net
Sponsor: CCMS, Inc.

Clinical Supervision in Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling: Principles, Models, Methods
David J. Powell, Ph.D., LADC, CCS, LMFT
Distance learning available through the Distance Learning Center for Addiction Studies, www.dlcas.com.

Clinical Supervision of Alcohol and Drug Counselors: An Independent Study Course
Thomas Durham, Ph.D., CCS
Distance learning available through NAADAC, the Association for Addiction Professionals, www.naadac.org or (800) 548-0497.

Clinical Supervision: Skills for the Future
David J. Powell, Ph.D., LADC, CCS, LMFT
On-site training available through the International Center for Health Concerns, www.ichc-us.org/index.htm or (860) 653-4470.

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Clinical Supervision for Substance Abuse Treatment Practitioners Series
Distance learning available through the Mid-Atlantic Addiction Technology Transfer Center, www.mid-attc.org or (804) 828-9910.

Core Counseling Functions
Description: Dealing with addictions requires expertise in the entire continuum of treatment from initial contact at screening until final discharge. To help guide a client on this journey, an effective counselor must understand the process of recovery and demonstrate understanding of the Core Functions and Professional Practice Dimensions of addiction counseling. The 12 Core Functions are defined by the International Certification and Reciprocity Consortium/AOD. Knowledge and application of the 12 Core Functions are required for certification as an addictions counselor by the Florida Certification Board and all other national and global IC&RC Boards. Professional examination in the addiction field requires counselor competence in relation to Core Functions, Performance or Practice Domains and Global Criteria/Skills. This course provides Clinical Supervisors with a valuable and practical framework for guiding counselors under their supervision.

Required Text: Herdman, John W. Global Criteria: The 12 Core Functions of the Substance Abuse Counselor. 5th ed.
Instructor: N/A
Course Format: Internet
Credit / Contact Hours: 15
Price: $95.00 USD
Course Contact: Jean LaCour Ph.D.
Contact Phone: (407) 236-9400
Contact E-mail: info@netinstitute.org
Sponsor: NET Training Institute

Expanding the Role of the Clinical Supervisor in Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling.
David J. Powell, Ph.D., LADC, CCS, LMFT
Distance learning available through the Distance Learning Center for Addiction Studies, www.dlcas.com.

Process for Certification
Description: A career in addictions is a life committed to serving those with life controlling and debilitating problems. The level of training, education and experience necessary to provide quality addiction treatment is something that will develop over an extended career. This course will review the reasons to be certified and will demonstrate tools that can be used to gather the documentation typically needed for two of the most prominent certifying entities: IC&RC, International Certification and Reciprocity Consortium which is a consortium of over seventy boards and agencies across the United States, Canada, and multiple nations; and NAADAC, The Association of Addiction Professionals. Discover how the Eight Performance Domains relate to the Twelve Core Functions of an Addiction Counselor. This is an excellent course for trainers, counselors, and supervisors.

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