

HB 284: UPDATE TO CD CREDENTIALS

Current Requirements

Coming Spring of 2013

Significant Difference

CDCA: CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY COUNSELOR ASSISTANT		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 40 hours of CD education in eight specific areas Two year renewable certificate granted 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 40 hours of CD education in eight specific areas. Applicant issued an initial 13 month certificate. 30 hours of CD education in specific areas during first 12 months at which time a two year renewable certificate will be awarded. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initial CDCA certificate issued for 13 months. 30 education hours required in first 12 months to obtain two year renewable CDCA.
LCDC II: LICENSED CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY COUNSELOR II		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Associate's degree in a behavioral science OR Bachelor's degree in any field 6,000 hours of CD counseling paid or volunteer work experience. An Associate's degree in a behavioral science can substitute for 1,000 hours of work experience. 270 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. 330 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. Successful completion of the IC&RC ADC exam. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Associate's degree in a Behavioral Science or Nursing OR a Bachelor's degree in any field. 2,000 hours of CD counseling paid or supervised internship work experience. 180 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. 220 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. Successful completion of the IC&RC ADC exam 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work experience reduced to 2,000 hours. Cannot use volunteer hours. Practical Experience reduced to 220 hours. CD specific education reduced to 180 hours See IC&RC Reciprocity NOTE
LCDC III: LICENSED CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY COUNSELOR III		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bachelor's degree in a behavioral science 4,000 hours of CD counseling paid work experience. A Master's degree in a behavioral science can substitute for 2,000 hours of work experience. 270 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. 330 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. Successful completion of the IC&RC ADC exam. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bachelor's degree in a behavioral science or Nursing. 2,000 hours of CD counseling paid or supervised internship work experience. 180 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. 220 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. Successful completion of the IC&RC ADC exam OR waiver of exam for licensed individual whose scope allows them to provide AOD services. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work experience reduced to 2,000 hours (can include internship hours) Practical Experience reduced to 220 hours CD specific education reduced to 180 hours Exam Waiver for alternately licensed professionals See IC&RC Reciprocity NOTE

IC&RC Reciprocity NOTE:

- New licenses issued under these proposed changes will be non-reciprocal through IC&RC
- Individuals can still obtain IC&RC reciprocity by meeting IC&RC requirements
- Individuals currently licensed will continue to be IC&RC reciprocal
- The CDCA and RA certifications continues to be non-reciprocal through IC&RC

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LICDC: LICENSED INDEPENDENT CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY COUNSELOR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree in a behavioral science with coursework in ten specific content areas. • 6,000 hours of CD counseling paid work experience of which 4,000 hours must be clinical supervisory experience. • 270 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. • 330 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. • 30 hours of clinical supervisory education in four specific content areas. • Successful completion of the IC&RC ADC & CS exams. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree in a behavioral science with coursework in ten specific content areas. • 2,000 hours of CD counseling paid or supervised internship work experience. • 180 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. • 220 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. • Successful completion of the IC&RC ADC exam OR waiver of exam for independently licensed individual whose scope allows them to provide AOD services. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work experience reduced to 2,000 hours (can include internship hours) • Practical Experience reduced to 220 hours • CD specific education reduced to 180 hours • Exam Waiver for alternately licensed professionals • See IC&RC Reciprocity NOTE
LICDC-CS: LICENSED INDEPENDENT CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY COUNSELOR – CLINICAL SUPERVISOR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not currently offered. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree in a behavioral science with coursework in ten specific content areas. • 6,000 hours of CD counseling paid or supervised internship work experience of which 2,000 hours must be clinical supervisory experience. • 180 hours of CD education in nine specific content areas. • 220 practical experience hours in the twelve core functions. • 30 hours of clinical supervisory education in four specific content areas. • IC&RC ADC & CS exams OR waiver of exams for independently licensed individual whose scope allows them to provide <u>and</u> supervise AOD services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replaces current LICDC level. • Reduces supervisory work experience hours to 2,000. • Reduces education and practical experience hours. • Exam Waiver for alternately licensed professionals • Those currently holding a LICDC will automatically receive this license • See IC&RC Reciprocity NOTE

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