

Program Overview

Business and Social Sciences division
Room T302, (847) 543-2047

ADDICTION COUNSELING AND TREATMENT (Associate in Applied Science) Plan 25HD

CLC has achieved national accreditation by the National Addiction Studies Accreditation Commission (NASAC) and is commended for excellence in the preparation of the 21st Century Addictions Professional Workforce. The Human Services Addiction Counseling and Treatment Program (ACT) is accredited by the Illinois Certification Board (ICB, INC.) as both an Advanced and Preparatory Training Program.

Plan 25HD is an ICB(IAODAPCA) accredited Advanced Addiction Training Program. Upon completion, students are qualified to take the CADC exam to become an Illinois Certified Alcohol/Drug Counselor. No additional work experience is necessary.

In order to take upper-level courses, students must apply for admittance in the program, which may include background checks, drug screens, and/or interviews. Upon application to the Addiction Counseling and Treatment (ACT) option, students should have no history of alcohol or other drug abuse, any addiction or other addictive disorders, or should be in recovery without recurrence and out of treatment or correctional supervision for at least 18 months.

First Semester 15

ENG 121	English Composition I.....	3
PSY 121	Introduction to Psychology	3
HUS 123	Introduction to Group Dynamics	3
HUS 128	Introduction to Counseling Skills	3
HUS 140	Drugs and Society	3

Second Semester 15

CMM 111+	Communication Skills or	
CMM 121+	Fundamentals of Speech <i>or</i>	
CMM 128+	Interviewing Practices.....	3
MTH 140	Contemporary Mathematics <i>or</i>	
	Higher Level Mathematics <i>or</i>	
	Science Elective	3

HUS 151	Addiction Counseling and Treatment I.....	3
HUS 154	Ethics in Human Services.....	1
HUS 155	Pharmacology for Human Services.....	2
+ SWK 121	Introduction to Social Work.....	3

Third Semester 15

SOC 121+	Introduction to Sociology.....	3
HUS 152	Process Addictions and Impulse Disorders.....	2
HUS 153	Diverse and Multicultural Populations	2
HUS 251	Addiction Counseling and Treatment II	4
HUS 253	Advanced Addiction Counseling Skills	3
HUS 274	Human Services Practicum Orientation	1

Fourth Semester 15

HUS 121	Health and Nutrition	3
+ Humanities or Fine Arts Elective		3
HUS 157	Communicable Diseases and Substance Abuse	2
HUS 275	Addiction Counseling Practicum I.....	4
+ Select 1 of the following 3 classes:.....		3
	HUS 231 Adult Development and Aging	
	PSY 220 Lifespan Development	
	PSY 226 Adolescent Development	

Fifth Semester 8

HUS 276	Addiction Counseling Practicum II.....	4
SWK 228	Human Sexuality <i>or</i>	
HUS 132	Trauma, Violence, and Prevention	3
HUS 299	Special Topics in Human Services.....	1

Total Hours for A.A.S. Degree 68

+ Completing coursework during the summer session(s) may enable students to complete the program earlier or reduce the course load during fall and spring semesters.

This academic plan is designed for a fulltime student. Students opting to attend part time should consult with the HUS Faculty directly for a revised academic plan.

Typical Jobs

- Addictions Counselor/CADC
- Human Services Aide

Salary and Job Outlook

For the latest information, visit www.mynextmove.org or the Bureau of Labor Statistics online at www.bls.gov. Gainful employment data is available at www.clcillinois.edu/gainfulemployment.

Employers

- DASA-Licensed treatment programs
- Inpatient, Outpatient, Partial Hospitalization
- Government agencies and programs
- Social service agencies
- Non-profit organizations

Success Rate

CLC's student success rate for the IAODAPCA CADC Exam: 98% Pass Rate (50 pass, 1 fail) (January 2010- March 2016)

Please Note

Students in any of the Addiction Counseling and Treatment (ACT) programs should have no history of alcohol or other drug abuse, any substance use disorders or other addictive disorders, or should be in recovery without relapse and out of treatment and/or judicial jurisdiction for at least 18 months. In order to take advanced coursework in the ACT program, students must apply for admission to the program, which may include background checks, drug screens and/or interviews.



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Getting Started

Up to 18 credit hours of prerequisite courses may be transferred from another institution, with the permission of the Human Services department chair. Students who need to meet these prerequisites may take them concurrently with the courses required for the certificate.

For additional steps on how to apply, visit www.clcillinois.edu/admission.

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ICB-Illinois Certification Board—



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