



Oklahoma Board of Licensed Alcohol and Drug Counselors

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LADC/MH COURSE REQUIREMENTS

All courses must be from a college or university accredited by an agency recognized by the United States Department of Education. All courses shall be graduate level courses and shall be three (3) semester hours or four (4) quarter credit hours which shall include a minimum of forty-five (45) class hours for each course.

- _____ a. three courses in foundational knowledge, including one course in alcohol and drug addiction, one course in drug and alcohol counseling theory, and one course in the pharmacology of drugs and abuse,
- _____ b. three courses in assessment and treatment of behavioral health problems, which may include group dynamics, individual and family counseling skills, specific counseling approaches, assessment methods, community resources and referral, or other courses primarily related to the assessment and treatment of behavioral health problems,
- _____ c. one course in human development,
- _____ d. one course in psychopathology,
- _____ e. one course in multicultural and cultural competency issues,
- _____ f. one course in family systems theory,
- _____ g. one course in addiction in the family theory,
- _____ h. one course in addiction in the family counseling,
- _____ i. one course in ethics, which includes established ethical conduct for alcohol and drug counselors.
- _____ j. one course in research methods, and
- _____ k. one three-hour practicum/internship in the field of drug and alcohol counseling of at least three hundred (300) clock hours.