CCB Registry





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Important Information About Your Registry Application

Submission Requirements

- All forms submitted must be original and signed without any alteration or modifications. If a change is required, please complete a new form without alterations or modifications. Any forms with white-out, scribble marks or changes will be denied.
- No photocopies or faxed forms will be accepted. Please do not fax any materials to the CCB related to a registry application.

This application is not for exam registration. It is for identity verification.

- A 2x2 photograph must accompany the application.
- The application needs to be notarized. Please see page 10.
- Mail the application to the CCB office via USPS Priorty Mail. Please include a photocopy of your driver license.

Once you have submitted your registry application... we will review it within 2 weeks. We will then notify you in writing via email or regular mail about the status of your registry. We will also notify you by email when your registry is active or if changes and additional information are required.

PLEASE DO NOT CALL THE CCB OFFICE TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE STATUS OF YOUR REGISTRY. If you have questions about your registry, have not received a notification letter after 2 weeks, or have questions about the certification process, then please email Jeff at jquamme@ctcertboard.org for assistance. We will respond to your inquiry as soon as possible.



Please do not write above this line

PLEASE MAIL VIA USPS PRIORITY MAIL

CCB Registry Application

Please type all application forms

Title: Mr. Mrs.	Ms.	Dr.	Other: _	
Applicant's Full Name:				
Full Maiden Name:				
Email:				
Cell Phone Number: ()		Today's [Date:	
Social Security Number (optional):		Gende	r: M	F
Date of Birth:				
Home Address:				
City:	S1	tate:	Zip:	
Home Phone Number: ()				
Daytime Phone Number: ()				
Workfor	ce Diversity Inforn	nation* (option	al)	
Ethnicity/Race: (Select all that apply)	Langu	age: (Select all the	at apply)	
American Indian/Alaska Native		English		
African American/ Black		French		
Asian American/Asian			t)	
Caucasian		Italian		
Hispanic American/Latino		Polish		
Indian		Portuguese		
Pacific Islander/Native Hawaiia	n	Russian		
Other	_		ct)	
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Recovery status:				
	NO '	YES How long:		
Recovery status:				

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203.806.1300

Registry Submission Requirements

Please make sure you complete all of the following items in order to ensure timely processing of your application.

Your application will not be processed until all of the following items have been met:

	Enclose the application filing fee of \$75.00 <i>(check or of OR)</i>	money order payable to	o the CCB)
	Pay online at www.ctcertboard.org Date of	online payment:	
	Complete the entire Registry Application (all 10 page	• •	
	Attach a recent color photo (approximately 2x2 inche		
	Read, sign, and initial pages of the CCB Code of Ethi Obtain Information <i>(see page 7- 9)</i>	cal Conduct and Author	ization to
	After you have completed the application, have it not	arized <i>(see page 10)</i>	
	Make a copy of the entire packet for your records pri	, -	СВ
	The CCB Registry Application can be mailed to the C	-	
	Please include a photocopy of your driver's license.		e notarized
	prior to submission to the CCB.	, ,	
	CCB Registry Fees (All CCB Fees are 1) Registry fees are good for one year from da Registry Application fee (one year)	,	
	Registry renewal (one year)	\$50.00	
	Registry late fee	\$25.00	
stand that all fe with the certific or money orde	r: By signing below, I acknowledge the current fees associated with the ses are non-refundable and may change at any time. I understand the sation process at the time of my initial application. All fees must be port. No cash payments will be accepted. A returned check fee of \$35.0 ion until the original and returned check fees are received by the CCI	at I am responsible for all fee id by check, credit card (see 00 will be due, and a hold wi	es associated CCB website)
Candidate's Signatu	re:	Date:	

Applicant's Name:	Date:

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	Edu	cation		
High School	Did you graduate from High S	chool: NO YES	Year:	
School Name:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
School Phone Number	:()	Still Attendir	ng: NO Y	'ES
College	Did you graduate from College	e: NO YES	Year:	
School Name:				
Degree Type:	AA/DARC BA/BS	Other	Major:	
Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
School Phone Number	:()	Still Attendir	ng: NO Y	'ES
Graduate School	Did you graduate from Gradue	ate School: NO	YES Year:	
School Name:				
Degree Type:	MA/MS Ph.D./Psy.D.	Other	Major:	
Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
School Phone Number	: ()	Still Attendir	ng: NO Y	'ES
If you have	attended additional schools, pl	ease attach additional p	age(s) with details.	

Applicant's Name:		Date:
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Professional Experience

Please include all behavioral health professional experience in the last 20 years.

Behavioral health professions include, but	are not limited to: addiction, ment	ai neaith/sociai work, me	eaicai ana pre	vention j
I do NOT hav	e any behavioral health pro	fessional experienc	e	
Agency Name:				
Position:				
Address:				
City:	State:	Zip: _		
Agency Phone Number: ()		Still working here:	NO	YES
Average hours per week:	Supervisor:			
Date started:	Date left:	How long the	re:	
Full time employment	Part time employment	Internship	Voluntee	r
Agency Name:				
Position:				
Address:				
City:	State:	Zip: _		
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Average hours per week:	Supervisor:			
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	Applicant's Name:		Date:
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Professional Histor	Y
1) Are you now or have you ever been licensed, certified, or register any state or territory other than Connecticut? NO YES If	red as a behavioral health professional in yes, please explain:
	ie Date: iration Date:
2) Are you now or have you ever been licensed, certified, or register Connecticut? NO YES If yes, please explain:	red as a behavioral health professional in
Credential Type: Issu	ue Date:
Issuing Agency: Exp	iration Date:
3) Have you ever been censured, disciplined, dismissed, or expelled restricted; had privileges limited, suspended, or terminated; been prore withdraw from the following: a) Any hospital, nursing home, clinic, or similar institution b) Any health maintenance organization, professional partner practice organization, either private or public c) Any professional school, clinical clerkship, internship, extend () Any third party reimbursement program, whether govern	ership, corporation, or similar health
NO YES If yes, please attach a page fully explaining	ng the circumstances/details.
4) Have you ever had your membership in or certification by any prosuspended or revoked for reasons related to professional practice?	ofessional society or association
NO YES If yes, please attach a page fully explainin	g the circumstances/details.
5) Has any professional licensing or disciplinary body in any state, the possession or territory, or a foreign jurisdiction limited, restricted, so license, certificate, or registration granted to you; imposed a fine or action against you?	uspended, or revoked any professional
NO YES If yes, please attach a page fully explainin	g the circumstances/details.
6) Have you ever, in anticipation or during the pendency of an invest voluntarily surrendered any professional license, certificate, or regist District of Columbia, a United States possession or territory, or a for	tration issued to you by any state, the
NO YES If yes, please attach a page fully explaining	g the circumstances/details.
7) Have you ever been subject to or do you currently have pending a charge, or disciplinary action by any professional licensing professional licensing action by any profession by action b	nary body in any state; the District of
NO YES If yes, please attach a page fully explainin	g the circumstances/ details.

Applicant's Name:	Date:

Professional History (continued)		
8) Have you ever been certified or credentialed by the International Certification & Reciprocity Consortion (IC&RC) or a member board of the IC&RC other than the CCB?	um	
NO YES If yes, please explain:		
9) Have you ever been certified by the National Certification Commission (NCC) or a member board of the NCC? NO YES If yes, please explain:	– าe	
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10) Have you ever served in the US Military? NO YES If yes, please explain:	–	
If so, were you honorably discharged? NO YES When:	_	
11) Please indicate your professional experience in the following settings/roles:	_	
Addiction Treatmentyears		
Clinical Supervisionyears		
Co-Occurring Disorders Treatmentyears		
Medication Assisted Treatmentyears		
Mental Health Treatmentyears		
Preventionyears		
Problem Gambling Treatmentyears		
I have no professional experience		
12) Please list any special skills or experience relevant to behavioral healthcare:	_	
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Applicant's Name:		Date:

CCB CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT

UNLAWFUL CONDUCT

Rule 1.1 - Once certified, a certified professional shall not be convicted for any misdemeanor or felony relating to the individual's ability to provide substance abuse and other behavioral health services as determined by CCB.

Rule 1.2 - Once certified, a certified professional shall not be convicted of any crime that involves the possession, sale or use of any controlled or psychoactive substance.

SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

- Rule 2.1 A certified professional shall, under no circumstances, engage in sexual activities or sexual contact with clients, whether such contact is consensual or forced.
- **Rule 2.2** A certified professional shall not knowingly engage in sexual activities or sexual contact with clients' relatives or other individuals with whom clients maintain a close personal relationship when there is a risk of exploitation or potential harm to the client.
- Rule 2.3 A certified professional shall not engage in sexual activities or sexual contact with former clients when there is a risk of exploitation or potential harm to the client.
- Rule 2.4 A certified professional shall not provide clinical services to individuals with whom they have had a prior sexual relationship.

FRAUD-RELATED CONDUCT

- Rule 3.1 A certified professional shall not: 1) present or cause to be presented a false or fraudulent claim, or provide any proof in support of such claim, to be paid under any contract or certificate of insurance; 2) prepare, make, or subscribe to a false or fraudulent account, certificate, affidavit, proof of loss, or other document or writing; 3) present or cause to be presented a false or fraudulent claim or benefit application, or any false or fraudulent proof in support of such a claim or benefit application, or false or fraudulent information, which would affect a future claim or benefit application, or be paid under any employee benefit program; 4) seek to have an employee commit fraud or assist in an act of commission or omission to aid fraud related behavior.
- Rule 3.2 An individual shall not use misrepresentation in the procurement of certification or recertification, or assist another in the preparation or procurement of certification or recertification through misrepresentation. The term "misrepresentation" includes but is not limited to the misrepresentation of professional qualifications, education, certification, accreditation, affiliations, employment experience, the plagiarism of application and recertification materials, or the falsification of references.
- Rule 3.3 An individual shall not use a title designation, credential or license, firm name, letterhead, publication, term, title, or document which states or implies an ability, relationship, or qualification that does not exist and to which they are not entitled.
- Rule 3.4 A certified professional shall not provide service under a false name or a name other than the name under which his or her certification or license is held.
- Rule 3.5 A certified professional shall not sign or issue, in their professional capacity, a document or a statement that the professional knows or should have known to contain a false or misleading statement.
- Rule 3.6 A certified professional shall not produce, publish, create, or partake in the creation of any false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading advertisement.
- Rule 3.7 A certified professional who participates in the writing, editing, or publication of professional papers, videos/films, pamphlets or books must act to preserve the integrity of the profession by acknowledging and documenting any materials and/or techniques or people (i.e. co-authors, researchers, etc.) used in creating their opinions/papers, books, etc. Additionally, any work that is photocopied prior to receipt of approval by the author is discouraged. Whenever and wherever possible, the certified professional should seek permission from the author/creator of such materials prior to any such use or publication.

EXPLOITATION OF CLIENTS

- Rule 4.1 A certified professional shall not develop, implement, condone or maintain exploitative relationships with clients and/or family members of clients
- Rule 4.2 A certified professional shall not misappropriate property from clients and/or family members of clients.
- **Rule 4.3** A certified professional shall not enter into a relationship with a client which involves financial gain to the certified professional or to a third party resulting from the promotion or the sale of services unrelated to the provision of services or of [the sale or acquisition of?] goods, property, or any psychoactive substance.
- Rule 4.4 A certified professional shall not promote to a client, for the professional's personal gain, any treatment, procedure, product, or service.

 Rule 4.5

A certified professional shall neither ask for nor accept favors/free services/gifts of substantial monetary value or gifts that impair the integrity or efficacy of the therapeutic relationship.

- Rule 4.6 A certified professional shall not offer, give, or receive commissions, rebates, or any other forms of remuneration for a client referral.
- **Rule 4.7** A certified professional shall not accept fees or gratuities for professional work from a person who is entitled to such services through an institution and/or agency by which the certified professional is employed.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

- **Rule 5.1** A certified professional shall not in any way participate in discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, sexual orientation, age, religion, national origin, socio-economic status, political belief, psychiatric or psychological impairment, or physical disability.
- Rule 5.2 A certified professional shall timely seek therapy for any psychoactive substance abuse or dependence, psychiatric or psychological impairment, emotional distress, or for any other physical health related condition or adversity that interferes with his or her professional functioning.

Applicant's Initials

Applicant's Name:		Date:
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Where any such condition exists and impedes his or her ability to function competently, a certified professional must request inactive status of their CCB credential for medical reasons for as long as necessary.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS (continued)

Rule 5.3 - A certified professional shall meet and comply with all terms, conditions, or limitations of any professional certification or license he or she holds.

- Rule 5.4 A certified professional shall not engage in conduct that does not meet generally accepted standards of practice.
- Rule 5.5 A certified professional shall not perform services outside of his or her area of training, expertise, competence, or scope of practice.
- **Rule 5.6** A certified professional shall not reveal confidential information obtained as the result of a professional relationship, without the prior written consent from the recipient of services, except as authorized or required by law.
- Rule 5.7 The certified professional shall not permit publication of photographs, disclosure of client names or records, or the nature of services being provided without securing all requisite releases from the client, or parents or legal guardians of the clients except as authorized or required by law.
- **Rule 5.8** The certified professional shall not discontinue professional services to a client nor shall he or she abandon the client without facilitating an appropriate closure of professional services for the client or facilitating an appropriate referral for future counseling.
- Rule 5.9 A certified professional shall obtain an appropriate consultation or make an appropriate referral when the client's problem is beyond their area of training, expertise, competence, or scope of service.

SAFETY & WELFARE

- Rule 6.1 A certified professional shall not administer to himself or herself any psychoactive substance to the extent or in such manner as to be dangerous or injurious to the professional, a recipient of services, to any other person, or to the extent that such use of any psychoactive substance impairs the ability of the professional to safely and competently provide services.
- Rule 6.2 All certified professionals are mandated reporters (abuse & neglect) and each shall comply with all mandatory reporting requirements.

RECORD KEEPING

Rule 7.1 - A certified professional shall keep timely and accurate records consistent with current standards of best practices and shall not falsify, amend, or knowingly make incorrect entries or fail to make timely essential entries into the client record.

ASSISTING UNQUALIFIED/UNLICENSED PRACTICE

Rule 8.1 - A certified professional shall not refer a client to a person that he/she knows or should have known is not qualified by training, experience, certification, or license to perform the delegated professional responsibility.

DISCIPLINE IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Rule 9.1 - A certified professional holding a certification, license, or other authorization to practice issued by any certification authority or any state, province, territory, tribe, or federal government whose certification or license has been suspended, revoked, placed on probation, or other restriction or discipline shall promptly alert the Board of such disciplinary action and provide the Board with such information concerning such discipline and/or authorizations to obtain such information about such discipline as the Board deems reasonably necessary or desirable.

COOPERATION WITH THE BOARD

- Rule 10.1 A certified professional shall cooperate in any investigation conducted pursuant to this Code of Ethical Conduct and shall not interfere with an investigation or a disciplinary proceeding or attempt to prevent a disciplinary proceeding or other legal action from being filed, prosecuted, or completed. Interference attempts may include but are not limited to: 1) the willful misrepresentation of facts before the disciplining authority or its authorized representative; 2) the use of threats or harassment against, or an inducement to, any client or witness in an effort to prevent them from providing evidence in a disciplinary proceeding or any other legal action; 3) the use of threats or harassment against, or an inducement to, any person in an effort to prevent or attempt to prevent a disciplinary proceeding or other legal action from being filed, prosecuted or completed; 4) refusing to accept and/or respond to a letter of complaint, allowing a credential to lapse while an ethics complaint is pending, or attempting to resign a credential while an ethics complaint is pending. Violation of this rule under these circumstances will result in the immediate and indefinite suspension of the certified professional's credential until the ethical complaint is resolved.
- Rule 10.2 A certified professional shall: 1) not knowing make a false or misleading statement to the CCB, the State of Connecticut, or any other disciplinary authority; 2) promptly alert colleagues informally to potentially unethical behavior so said colleague could take corrective action; 3) report violations of professional conduct of other certified professionals to the appropriate licensing/disciplinary authority when he/she knows or should have known that another certified professional has violated ethical standards and has failed to take corrective action after informal intervention
- **Rule 10.3** A certified professional shall report any uncorrected violation of the Code of Ethical Conduct within 90 days of an alleged violation. Failure to report a violation may be grounds for discipline.
- **Rule 10.4** A certified professional with firsthand knowledge of the actions of a respondent or a complainant shall cooperate with the CCB investigation or disciplinary proceeding. Failure or an unwillingness to cooperate in the CCB investigation or disciplinary proceeding shall be grounds for disciplinary action.
- Rule 10.5 A certified professional shall not file a complaint or provide information to the CCB, which he/she knows or should have known, is false or misleading.
- **Rule 10.6** In submitting information to the CCB, a certified professional shall comply with any requirements pertaining to the disclosure of client information established by the federal or state government.

MODIFICATION OF CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT/DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURES

Rule 11.1 - The CCB Board of Directors reserves the right to amend and modify the Code of Ethical Conduct and the Code of Ethical Conduct – Disciplinary Procedures. When changes are made, all certified professionals will be notified of all changes made and when changes become effective.

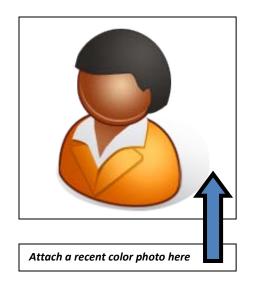
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Applicant's Initials

P	Applicant's Name:	ite:			
	Signed Assurances and CCB Code of	of Ethical Conduct			
۹.	I hereby attest that all of the information given is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that falsification of any portion of this application will result in my being denied certification or revocation of same, upon discovery.				
3.	I acknowledge the right of CCB, Inc. to verify the information in this application or to seek further information from employers, schools, or persons mentioned within.				
Ξ.	C. I have read, understand, and agree to act in accordance with the CCB Cod of Ethical Conduct – Disciplinary Procedures (2010) available on the CCB'	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			
Ο.	I will hold CCB, Inc., its Board members, officers, agents, and staff free from any civil liability for damages or complaint by reason of any action that is within their scope and arising out of the performance of their duties which they, or any of them, may take in connection with any examination, and/or failure of the Board to bestow upon me certification with the CCB, the IC&RC, CT Department of Public Health or any other entity.				
Ξ.	understand that upon acceptance of my application, additional fees may be due and payable including exam fees, ecertification fees, etc and that all CCB fees are non-refundable without exception.				
	Print Name:	Date:			
	Signature:				
	Authorization to Obtain I				
	Authorization to Obtain I	mormation			
	I hereby authorize the CCB to request and receive all records and/or infor application for a CCB credential. I understand that this includes, but is not my employer(s), colleagues, academic and training institutions, and/or ot pertinent information related to the review of my application. This is a way exist in respect to the disclosure of such information. I understand that the certification lapses or when my certification expires, once CCB is notified understand that the status of any CCB credential is public record and may CCB website, including effective date, expiration date and certification types.	t limited to, verbal or written contacts with her persons or organizations having aiver of my privilege that may otherwise his authorization will expire one year after of my intent not to recertify. I further to be shared by CCB and is available on the			
	credential is sanctioned in any way including revocation or suspension that	at this information is public.			
	Print Name:	Date:			

Signature:

Applicant's Name:	Date:



I, the named applicant herein, swear that this application is a true and accurate record of my professional experience and background. I understand that this application and all materials submitted to the Connecticut Certification Board (CCB) become the property of the CCB upon my submission and that all fees submitted to the CCB are non-refundable. I understand that this application is made on my own behalf and is voluntary. I agree to hold the CCB and its agents harmless, and I release the CCB from any and all liabilities arising out of the furnishing of information or investigation of this registry or any other CCB application.

Signature:			

Please complete the Registry Application and have it notarized by an authorized notary below.

On this day of	of 20,
	(applicant's name)
	duly sworn says that she/he is the person referred to in ograph attached hereto is a true picture of self and that by respect.
	Signature of Applicant
Sworn before me this day of	of 20
Printed Name of Notary Public	Signature of Notary Public
	My commission expires



The Connecticut Certification Board, Inc.

The CCB is an independent, non-governmental, 501(c) 3 nonprofit organization that offers certification for addiction counselors, clinical supervisors, co-occurring disorders and prevention professionals in Connecticut. The Board has established specialty certificates in substance abuse, co-occurring disorders, and problem gambling for professionals licensed and credentialed in other behavioral healthcare domains. The Board is active in a number of important state-wide workforce development initiatives, provides training/continuing education and ensures that the trainings provided in Connecticut by approved vendors meet established standards.

What are the Benefits of Certification?

- Certification identifies professionals who are specialists in their field
- Certified professionals are recognized by professional affiliations, state, and national legislation.
- Certified professionals are provided with the opportunity for peer networking, in addition to involvement and impact through CCB sponsored education opportunities and committee work.
- Certification increases professionalism in the field.
- Certification provides a strong basis for employment hiring and professional advancement.
- Certification provides the certified professional freedom to move to another state within the International Certification and Reciprocity Consortium Member Boards and be granted that state's credential via the process of reciprocity.

Who Benefits from Certification?

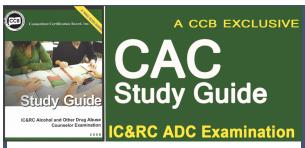
- The Patient / Client Certification assures competent, professional services while continuously improving the quality of service being provided to the client and family members.
- The Public Certification promotes standards of training and competency that will meet standards required for licensing, accreditation, and third-party payers.
- The Certified Professional Certification provides recognition of competency and a marketable credential that will enhance the role of the professional.
- The Profession Certification provides opportunity whereby the highest professional standards can be established, maintained, and updated.





Questions

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The Connecticut Certification Board, Inc. offers the following Certifications:

Certified Addiction Counseling
Counselor in Training
Clinical Supervision
Co-Occurring Disorders
Medication Addiction Treatment
Recovery Coach
Prevention
Gambling

CCB Science 2 Service Distance Learning Program

The CCB Science 2
Service© Distance
Learning Program is a selfpaced learning program
that was developed using
science-based materials
within the public domain



such as TIPs -Treatment Improvement Protocols (SAMHSA/CSAT), TAPs - Technical Assistance Publications (SAMHSA/CSAT), research reports and training manuals. This program allows participants to earn CCB approved training hours that can be applied toward initial certification or recertification while reading high quality science-based content. The featured documents are widely available within the public domain, free of charge and in many cases participants may already be familiar with the content. The purpose of the program is to provide participants with an introduction to the content in a structured manner while providing technical assistance and verification of learning through the use of pre and post-tests.

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