

Peer Counselor Apprenticeship: Related Supplemental Instruction & On-the-Job Training

Course List: Classroom Time

Course	Hours	Credits
CPC: Certified Peer Counseling (reqd.at start)	40	n/a
Ethics & Boundaries	40	5
Documentation	35	3.5
Cross Cultural Partnerships	50	5
Utilizing Lived Experience	10	1
Crisis Intervention and De-escalation	20	2
Trauma Informed Perspective	20	2
Forming Internal & External Partnerships	20	5
Supervision Utilization	15	1.5
TOTAL	250	25

Timeframe	Class Schedule & Curriculum
Week 1: Fulltime Classroom: 5 days <i>Optional: employer onboarding/orientation prior to this date</i>	Certified peer counseling course and exam
Week 2 – 4: Classroom: 2 days Clinic On-the-Job Training (OJT): 3 days	Ethics and boundaries, start into documentation
Week 5 – 27: Classroom: 1 day Clinic OJT: 4 days	Course Completion Progression according to class schedule
Week 28 – graduation: 2,000 hrs. (5 days per week) of OJT	On-the-job work days

Peer Counselor Apprenticeship program supports application to the Health Care Authority for the Certified Peer Counselor Exam through coursework and examination.

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