



Clinical Supervision

Building Counselor Skills and Resolving Problems

A 4-day workshop for new and experienced supervisors presented in two parts

In Washington:

Part I – September 21-22

Part II – November 9-10

Cascade Conference Room
400 Mercer Street Building
Seattle, Washington 98109-4641

In Oregon:

Part I – September 24-25

Part II – November 12-13

Century Hotel/ Hayden's Grill
8185 SW Tualatin-Sherwood Rd
Tualatin, OR 97062

Participant Learning Objectives

Part I

- Understand the role and responsibilities of the clinical supervisor
- Improve ability to provide performance-based feedback
- Learn to structure a supervisory interview to meet specific goals
- Be familiar with the Addiction Counseling Competencies
- Increase ability to assess counselor proficiency in targeted areas
- Build skill in designing learning plans to improve counselor performance

Part II

- Review essential concepts related to counselor development
- Practice the skills introduced in Part I
- Learn to conduct a productive corrective interview
- Build skill in negotiating a performance improvement plan
- Enhance understanding of common ethical and boundary issues
- Develop a plan for implementing change in your supervisory practice

Who should attend?

This course has been designed to meet the needs of both new and experienced supervisors. Experience has taught that even experienced supervisors appreciate an opportunity to get back in touch with the basics of sound clinical supervision. A primary tenet of the course is that supervisors must have first hand knowledge of a counselor's clinical skills in order to assure quality care and assist the counselor in improving services to clients. This course will introduce a variety of methods for gathering that essential first-hand knowledge.

Format?

The format includes presentations, discussion, role play and "hands on" practice with the model. Participants will have an opportunity to raise issues of importance and enhance their skills in managing difficult supervisory situations. The course is fast paced, experiential and designed to keep participants involved throughout the entire day.

Attendance?

Participating in both Part I and Part II of the course is critical to achieving maximum benefit from the course. Registrants are asked to secure and reserve both the September and the November dates in their calendar.

Continuing Education Hours?

A total of 30 NAADAC approved CE hours will be awarded to participants who complete the course.

Questions?

Please contact Jennifer Verbeck at NFATTC (503-373-1322) with any questions you may have. You can also reach Jennifer at verbeck@ohsu.edu

Overview of this Special Training Opportunity

This two-part Clinical Supervision training course is being sponsored by the Northwest Frontier ATTC as part of an independent national evaluation of the ATTC network. The course was developed by NFATTC and has been a popular offering throughout the Northwest. In recent years it has been adopted by a number of other states. The national evaluation team (Manila Consulting Group, RMC Research and Abt Associates) has developed a straight-forward approach to evaluating the course. While you are not required to participate in the research as a condition of your enrollment, we think you will find it interesting and encourage you to sign-up. As an incentive we have reduced the cost of enrolling in the course by 50%.

What your participation in the study will involve:

The majority of participants will not be asked to do anything beyond Step 1, but all will be asked to consent to the entire process. Each step will help participants describe their prior familiarity with and competence in clinical supervision and their experience in using the ATTC model.

In Step 1 all consenting participants will complete an online survey 30 days following the workshop. The survey will focus on perceptions and experience four weeks following completion of the workshop to determine its value and the degree to which the skills taught in the course have been utilized. The web linked survey will take 20-30 minutes to complete. To encourage a timely response, participants will receive a \$5 gift card from a well-known online retailer.

During Step 2, 20% of the Step 1 survey respondents will be selected to participate in a 20-minute telephone follow-up interview. The goal is to gain a clearer sense of a participant's experience in implementing what was learned in the workshop, plus identifying some illustrative examples. Again, participants will receive a \$5 gift card from a well-know online retailer for completing the interview.

Please join us for this unique training opportunity!

Registration Form (one participant per form)

Name: _____ Title: _____

Agency: _____

Address: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Upon receipt of your registration, you will receive written confirmation plus additional information.

FAX back your registration form to NFATTC at: (503) 373-7348 by September 11, 2009

Or register on-line at www.nfattcregistration.org/

2009 Oregon Program

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Discounted Registration Fee: \$125

Make checks or PO payable to:

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Please remit prior to attending Part I

For further information contact Jennifer Verbeck at 503-373-1322