

IBADCC

Scope of Practice for Substance Use Disorder Counseling

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Idaho Student of Addiction Studies (ISAS)

The scope of practice for an Idaho Student of Addiction Studies (ISAS) includes the following activities **with** clinical supervision from an IBADCC approved Clinical Supervisor:

1. Diagnostic Impression and Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral to Treatment (SBRIT).
2. Monitor treatment plan/compliance
3. Referral
4. Service Coordination and case management for SUD
5. SUD education with individuals and groups
6. Client, Family and Community Education
7. Documentation
8. Professional and Ethical Responsibilities

The ISAS can only practice under the supervision of an IBADCC approved Clinical Supervisor.

Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor (CADC)

The scope of practice for the Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor (CADC) at the Bachelor's level, includes the following activities **with clinical supervision from an IBADCC approved Clinical Supervisor:**

1. Clinical evaluation, including diagnostic impression or Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBRIT)
2. Treatment planning for SUDs and CODs, including initial, ongoing, continuity of care, discharge and planning for relapse prevention
3. Referral
4. Service Coordination and case management for SUD and CODs
5. Counseling, trauma informed care and psycho-education with individuals, families and groups for SUD
6. Client, Family and Community Education
7. Documentation
8. Professional and Ethical Responsibilities

Advanced Certified Drug and Alcohol Counselor

The scope of practice for the Advanced Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor (ACADC) at the Master's level (or post Master's), includes the following activities:

1. Clinical evaluation, including diagnostic impression or Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBRIIT)
2. Treatment planning for SUDs and CODs, including initial, ongoing, continuity of care, discharge and planning for relapse prevention
3. Referral
4. Service Coordination and case management for SUD and CODs
5. Counseling, therapy, trauma informed care, and psycho-education with individuals, families and groups in the areas of SUDs and CODs
6. Client, Family, and Community Education
7. Documentation
8. Professional and Ethical Responsibilities
9. Clinical supervisory responsibilities for the ISAS and CADC

Even though the ACADC is more likely to provide clinical supervisory responsibilities, IBADCC recommends that the ACADC continue to seek clinical supervision for themselves, in order to continue providing ethical and competent services to supervisees and/or clients.