

(1) IS LICENSED OR CERTIFIED IN ANOTHER STATE, TERRITORY, OR JURISDICTION THAT HAS REQUIREMENTS THAT ARE EQUIVALENT TO OR EXCEED THE REQUIREMENTS OF § 17-404 OF THIS SUBTITLE;

(2) SUBMITS AN APPLICATION TO THE BOARD ON A FORM THAT THE BOARD REQUIRES; AND

(3) PAYS TO THE BOARD AN APPLICATION FEE SET BY THE BOARD.

(E) THE BOARD SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO CARRY OUT THIS SECTION.

17-406.

(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) "APPROVED ALCOHOL AND DRUG SUPERVISOR" MEANS:

(I) A CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR-ALCOHOL AND DRUG;

(II) A LICENSED CLINICAL ALCOHOL AND DRUG COUNSELOR; OR

(III) A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER LICENSED OR CERTIFIED UNDER THIS ARTICLE WITH DOCUMENTED EXPERTISE IN ALCOHOL AND DRUG COUNSELING, AS APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

(3) "UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF AN APPROVED ALCOHOL AND DRUG SUPERVISOR" MEANS ENGAGING IN AN ONGOING PROCESS THAT INCLUDES DIRECT, ON-SITE, FACE-TO-FACE, INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP MEETINGS WITH AN APPROVED ALCOHOL AND DRUG SUPERVISOR FOCUSED ON QUALITY OF DELIVERY OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG COUNSELING SERVICES AND IMPROVEMENT OF COUNSELING SKILLS FOR A MINIMUM OF 1 DOCUMENTED HOUR FOR EACH 40-HOUR WORKWEEK BUT NOT LESS THAN 2 DOCUMENTED HOURS PER MONTH FOR LESS THAN A 40-HOUR WORKWEEK.

(B) (1) AN INDIVIDUAL MAY PRACTICE CLINICAL ALCOHOL AND DRUG COUNSELING WITHOUT A LICENSE FOR A LIMITED PERIOD OF TIME, AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD, IF THE INDIVIDUAL IS WORKING AS A TRAINEE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF AN APPROVED ALCOHOL AND DRUG SUPERVISOR