

Counseling Licensure Requirements

Arkansas

Licensed Professional Counseling	Marriage and Family Therapy
<p>Educational Requirement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree or higher in counseling from a program that reflects the CACREP or CORE curriculum and consists of 60 semester hours from a regionally accredited institution. <p>Experiential Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 years/3,000 hours of postmaster's supervised counseling experience (1 year= 1,000 hours). 50% of the hours have to be Client Contact Hours. • One year of experience may be gained for each 30 semester hours earned beyond master's degree (up to 2 years) provided the hours are clearly counseling in nature and acceptable to the board. • Supervision must be under a LPC approved by the board. Telephone supervision is allowed for less than 25% of the total amount. <p>Exam Required: NCE and an oral exam</p> <p>WEBSITE: www.state.ar.us/abec</p> <p>AR Board of Examiners in Counseling Mailing Address: P.O. Box 989 Little Rock, AR 72201</p> <p>Physical Address: 101 East Capitol, Suite 104 Little Rock, AR 72201 (501) 683-5800 (501) 683-6349 (fax)</p> <p>Executive Director Michael Loos, michael.loos@arkansas.gov</p> <p>CONTACT: arboec@sbcglobal.net</p> <p>Application packet (if mailed): \$20 Application fee: \$200</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earn a master's degree • Complete three years of supervised experience • Apply for licensure • Take the AAMFT Examination <p>http://www.abec.arkansas.gov/Licensing</p> <p>Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling 101 East Capitol Suite # 104 Little Rock, AR 72201</p> <p>Phone: (501) 683-5800 Fax: (501) 683-6349 Email: arboec@sbcglobal.net Website: www.state.ar.us/abec/</p> <p>License Categories: Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist and Licensed Associate Marriage and Family Therapist</p>