



Oregon Health Authority
Problem Gambling Services
Certification Consultation
Program Guide

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Julio Iñiguez, LMFT, CGACII, CADCI



Julio Iñiguez, LMFT, CGAC-II, CADCI-I is a trauma focused Co-Occurring Disorders Therapist. Julio brings a systemic, culturally-responsive, and trauma-informed perspective to improving Gambling Treatment Services as a therapist and clinical supervisor. He completed his education in Marriage and Family Therapy at Lewis & Clark College in 2014. He has been working in the Problem Gambling field since 2013 and has held multiple positions in the field including direct service counseling in agencies, program development and management, as well as clinical supervision of direct counseling staff. Julio has completed the Sensorimotor Psychotherapy Level 1&2 training and brings knowledge of treating trauma through working with the body to the Problem Gambling field. He has presented at National and Regional conferences on working with families in gambling treatment. Julio is on the Latino Advisory Committee for Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling.

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Reginald Stroughter, CGACII, CADCI, QMHA, CRM

Reginald Stroughter has been in the counseling field since 2010, and currently has an occupation as a clinical services specialist as a CADCI, CGACII, QMHA and CRM. Over the years Reginald has been the leading clinician in several culturally specific programs in Multnomah County. He works closely with OHA authority, and is a member of the Multicultural Advisory Committee (MAC) whose mission is improving and expanding awareness of Gambling to underserved populations, and to support each other in creating community. He is an advocate for Equity and Diversity, and is extremely passionate and committed to the work he would say he gets to do.

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John Ackley, CGACII, CADCI



John Ackley, CADCI, CGAC II - I have been working as a dedicated Gambling Counselor for the past 7 years, carrying a full caseload of gamblers for the majority of that time. It has been an incredibly gratifying and interesting journey delving into the specific differences and characteristics that separate people with Gambling Disorder from other addictions and along the way developing some key concepts that appear to underlie the gambling behaviors themselves. I look forward to introducing you to the world of the Gambler, and the unique perspective and challenges that gamblers can bring both in their addiction and recovery.

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Frankie DiFerdinando, LPC, CGACII



Frankie DiFerdinando, LPC, CGACII, is the Director of the Lewis & Clark Problem Gambling Services in Multnomah County. Frankie received her masters degree in Mental Health & Addictions Counseling at Lewis & Clark Graduate School of Education and Counseling. She has been working with individuals and families impacted by gambling since she started providing therapy in her masters program in 2014. Frankie also has a history of working as a co-occurring outpatient therapist helping clients understand and heal from both mental health and addiction symptoms. She has a particular focus on trauma related symptoms as it relates to addiction treatment. Frankie also works as a clinical supervisor and takes a relational approach. Supervision will include collaboration, content, feedback, and process.

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Mark Douglass, LPC, CGACII, CADCI



Mark Douglass, LPC, CADC III, CGAC II, works as the outpatient program manager for Serenity Lane's Portland area clinics. He teaches as adjunct faculty at the Lewis and Clark Graduate School of Education and Counseling in the Addiction Studies program, and leads sessions on problem gambling treatment for the Oregon problem gambling counselor pre-certification course. He has worked with adult populations in problem gambling, substance use, mental health, and criminal justice, and is currently developing a coaching and training practice in community organizing skills for counselors and therapists.

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Janese Olalde, LMFT, CADCII, CGACII

Janese Olalde, LMFT, CADC II, CGAC II has over 22 years' experience in the addiction field, seven years supervising a gambling addiction program, 2.5 years as Problem Gambling Treatment Specialist with OHA, 22 years as an instructor/trainer and 13 years providing therapy in both Spanish and English to individuals and their families.

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Joe Reisman, LPC, ICGC-II, BACC



Joe has 20+ years of experience in mental health and addictions, with a concentrated focus on disordered gambling treatment. He has contributed to state education and training in the field, as well as providing clinical supervision and program design support to agencies providing gambling treatment services in Oregon and Washington states. Joe is a Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) in Oregon. In addition to his LPC, he is recognized by the National Council on Problem Gambling as an International Certified Gambling Counselor (ICGC-II) and a Board-Approved Clinical Consultant (BACC).

Joe's treatment expertise includes: Financial Counseling, Case Conceptualization, Group Facilitation, Spirituality Constructs, Dual Diagnosis/Co-Occurring Disorders, Client Outreach and Retention, and Program Development.

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Rick Berman, LPC, CGACII

Rick Berman LPC, CGACII currently provides clinical consultation to problem gambling treatment programs at Asian Health & Service Center, Volunteers of America and Linn-Benton Counties in Oregon and Lifeline Connections in Washington. He is an adjunct faculty member at Lewis & Clark College Graduate School of Education & Counseling and a member of the advocacy group Voices of Problem Gambling Recovery. He has more than 25 years of experience as a problem gambling counselor, clinical supervisor and program manager in urban and rural Oregon. He is also an experienced problem gambling counselor educator: for 8 years he was an instructor in Oregon's gambling counselor precertification course, is the former Director and co-founder of Lewis & Clark Problem Gambling Services and has made presentations at national and regional problem gambling conferences in the U.S. and Canada.

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