



## Compulsive Problem Gambling Services Minimum Eligibility Requirements Sole Practitioner

In order to qualify to provide Problem Gambling Services funded through the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs (DDAP):

### Qualifications:

A person or agency interested in becoming an ITQ Contractor must meet one of the following:

1. Qualified Trained Counselor.
2. Qualified Trained Case Manager.

### Definitions:

1. **“Qualified Trained Case Manager”** means an individual who meets the credentials under (a) and the training requirements under (b) as well as, for sole practitioners, the additional training requirements under (c):
  - a. Credentials: Licensure to practice in Pennsylvania as a physician, psychologist, social worker, marriage and family therapist, behavior specialist, or professional counselor.
  - b. Training Requirements: A minimum of 30 hours of gambling-specific training approved by the International Problem Gambling and Gaming Certification Organization (IPGGC).
  - c. Additional Training Requirements for Sole Practitioners:
    - i. Training course in problem gambling motivational interviewing, approved by DDAP.
    - ii. Training course in problem gambling and finances, approved by DDAP.
    - iii. Training course in problem gambling case management, approved by DDAP.
  
2. **“Qualified Trained Counselor”** means an individual who meets the credentials under (a) and at least one of the training requirements under (b):
  - a. Credentials: Licensure to practice in Pennsylvania as a physician, psychologist, social worker, marriage and family therapist, behavior specialist, or professional counselor.
  - b. Training Requirements:
    - i. A Certificate of Competency in Problem Gambling from the Pennsylvania Certification Board.
    - ii. A certificate as an International Certified Gambling Counselor Level I or II from the IPGGC.
    - iii. Progress toward receiving a certificate as an International Certified Gambling Counselor Level I or II from the IPGGC with at least 30 hours of gambling-specific training approved by the IPGGC.
    - iv. Certification as an Addiction Specialist with a specialization in Gambling Addiction issued by the American Academy of Health Care Providers in the Addictive Disorders.

**Compulsive Problem Gambling  
Services Provider Application  
Sole Practitioner****SECTION A – PROVIDER INFORMATION**

TYPE OF REQUESTED SERVICE(S):      Outpatient Treatment                      Case Management

DELIVERY OF SERVICES OFFERED:      No Telehealth                                      Hybrid of in-person and telehealth

CLINICIAN: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PRIMARY EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

SAP VENDOR NO.: \_\_\_\_\_ FED ID/SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE ADDRESS: (Provide street, city, state, and zip+4. If you will be providing Outpatient Gambling Treatment Services and/or Gambling Case Management at more than one location, denote the address, phone and fax number of each location on a separate page.)  
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COUNTY IN WHICH YOUR BUSINESS IS LOCATED: \_\_\_\_\_

BILLING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

(Name, Street, \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, and Zip+4) \_\_\_\_\_

PRIMARY PHONE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

SECONDARY PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

IS YOUR BUSINESS LICENSED BY THE COMMONWEALTH OF PA?     Yes     No*If "Yes", include a copy of the license with this application.*

INSURANCE CERTIFICATES (Submit valid copies with your application.)

Professional Liability

Property Liability

**SECTION B – PROFESSIONAL LICENSE(S), CERTIFICATION(S), CASE MANAGEMENT TRAININGS**

List your professional licenses and certifications below. Submit copies of all valid licenses and certifications with your application.

License/Certification	License #	Issuing Body	Expiration Date

Yes      No      **Has your license been previously revoked?**Yes      No      **Have you had any disciplinary action in the past 10 years?****If you answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, please explain the circumstances and the disciplinary action taken.***(Disclaimer: Answering "Yes" to one of the questions above does not necessarily disqualify applicant.)*

