



Behavioral Health Practitioner Certification Checklist

Training

	Village-Based Behavioral Health Services (20 hrs)
	Challenges in Behavioral Health Services (16 hrs)
	Competencies for Village-Based Supervision (6 hrs)
	Principles and Practice of Clinical Supervision (40 hrs)
	Child-Centered Interventions (20 hrs)

Work Experience

6,000 hours providing village-based behavioral health services.

Date of Hire: _____

How to calculate: hours/week worked x weeks worked

Example: 40 hours/week x 150 weeks = 6000 hours

Example: 30 hours/week x 200 weeks = 6000 hours

Total Hours Worked: _____

Practicum

20 hours. Engaging, mentoring, and supporting, as well as participating in supervision and evaluation of a BHA I, BHA II, or BHA III based on the understanding of the supervisee's level of knowledge and skills, professional goals, and behavior.

25 hours. Providing clinical team leadership by leading clinical team case reviews.

30 hours. Building cultural competence by learning about the Alaska Native cultural context and developing a wellness framework for this cultural context within which positive therapeutic relationships can be developed.

25 additional hours from any practicum area listed above.

Knowledge and Skills Demonstration

Develop **advanced** skills and **independent** proficiency.

- Working with Others
 - ☒ Communicate effectively
 - ☐ Build positive relationships
- Cultural Competency and Individualizing Care
 - ☐ Deliver culturally relevant services
 - ☐ Obtain consultation on cultural issues
- Professional and Ethical Practice
 - ☐ Fulfill responsibilities and commitments
 - ☐ Practice ethically
 - ☐ Obtain client consent
 - ☐ Maintain confidentiality and privacy
 - ☐ Manage stress and maintains personal health
- Documenting
 - ☐ Complete required documentation
 - ☐ Respond to client requests to view records
 - ☐ Follow all documentation requirements and guidelines
- Community Education and Advocacy
 - ☐ Provide education
 - ☐ Participate in prevention activities
 - ☐ Provide advocacy
- Screening and Assessment
 - ☐ Gather information using multiple sources
 - ☐ Use screening and diagnostic tools
 - ☐ Assess and identifies strengths and needs
- Planning Services
 - ☐ Identify recommended goals and services
 - ☐ Support client and/or family member decision-making and developing the plan of care
 - ☐ Assist clients in developing personal plans
- Linking to Community Resources
 - ☐ Identify recommended resources
 - ☐ Support client and family decision-making in selecting resources
 - ☐ Connect individuals and families to community resources
- Providing Services
 - ☐ Coordinate care
 - ☐ Assist with medication management
 - ☐ Provide individual counseling
 - ☐ Manage crises
 - ☐ Provide group counseling
 - ☐ Provide family counseling
- Professional Development
 - ☐ Seek opportunities to improve knowledge, skills, and abilities.
 - ☐ Use supervision effectively