

	FCD class leading to CCSP	FCD class leading to GCDF	FCD class can be used for the "career specialization" leading to CCC	FCD-Instructor	FCD-Master Trainer
AFFILIATE	National Career Development Association (NCDA)	Center for Credentialing & Education (CCE)	National Career Development Association (NCDA)	National Career Development Association (NCDA)	National Career Development Association (NCDA)
PRE-REQUISITES	n/a	n/a	Masters in Counseling or related *see website for details	*See website for details	*See website for details
COURSE	120 hr course typically 3-5 months	120 hr course typically 3-5 months	120 hr course typically 3-5 months	20 hr course	16 hr course - scheduled as needed
PRICE	Minimum \$950 not including the textbook		Min. \$950 w/o the textbook	\$1500 w/o the textbook; \$350 for Instructor Manual	\$2,000
FORMAT	24 hour minimum required face-to-face. Face-to-Face Instruction includes: any video-conferencing platform that allows two-way communication, like Skype, Google Hangouts, FaceTime, Zoom, Go-to-Meetings, etc. Ideally people would be in a physical classroom setting, but we recognize that video-conferencing tools can deliver similar experiences.		24 hour minimum required face-to-face. Face-to-Face Instruction includes: any video-conferencing platform that allows two-way communication, like Skype, Google Hangouts, FaceTime, Zoom, Go-to-Meetings, etc. Ideally people would be in a physical classroom setting, but we recognize that video-conferencing tools can deliver similar experiences.	A minimum of 20 classroom hours are required for trainings with 6 or more participants. For 6 or fewer, a minimum of 14 hours of classroom time is required.	A minimum of 2 days of in-person training is required. Remote delivery includes 8 meetings with a minimum of 1.5 hour on each topic. Additional offline homework assignments and preparation are not included.
INSTRUCTOR	NCDA approved instructor. Can be found on the NCDA Instructor Registry	CCE approved instructor	NCDA approved instructor. Can be found on the NCDA Instructor Registry	NCDA approved Master Trainer. Can be found on the NCDA FCD website	NCDA approved Preceptor
COMPLETION	Instructor will provide a Certificate of Completion	Instructor will provide a Certificate of Completion	Instructor will provide a Certificate of Completion	Instructor will provide a Certificate of Completion	NCDA preceptor will provide a Certificate of Completion
	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CREDENTIAL	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CREDENTIAL	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CREDENTIAL	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CREDENTIAL	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CREDENTIAL
AFFILIATE	National Career Development Association (NCDA)	Center for Credentialing & Education (CCE)	National Career Development Association (NCDA)	National Career Development Association (NCDA)	National Career Development Association (NCDA)
	CCSP - Certified Career Services Provider	GCDF- Global Career Development Facilitator	CCC- Certified Career Counselor	CCSP - Certified Career Services Provider	CCSP - Certified Career Services Provider
1	Certificate of Completion for an approved instructor	Certificate of Completion for an approved instructor	Certificate of Completion for an approved instructor (Career specialization requirement)	Certificate of Completion provided by Master Trainer	Certificate of Completion provided by NCDA Preceptor
2	\$100 application fee	\$100 application fee	\$175 application fee	\$100 application fee	\$100 application fee
3	Assessment: Four case studies for each of these competencies: helping skills, theory, assessment, and job search.	Work Experience Related to competencies. Graduate degree - 1,400 hours Bachelor's degree - 2,800 hours Associate degree - 4,200 hours HS Diploma/GED - 5,600 hours	Advanced Degree in Counseling* see website for more details	May "fast track" the application by uploading a copy of Instructor Certificate of Completion	May "fast track" the application by uploading the Master Trainer Certificate of Completion

			4 case study Assessment based on career counseling competencies of theory, ethics, multicultural influences, assessments, and labor market/employment trends		
	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RECERTIFICATION	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RECERTIFICATION	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RECERTIFICATION	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RECERTIFICATION	APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RECERTIFICATION
	30 hours continuing education related to any of the competencies	75 hours continuing education related to any of the competencies	30 hours continuing education related to any of the competencies	30 hours continuing education related to any of the competencies	30 hours continuing education related to any of the competencies
	Must keep a log with either certificates, agendas, letters, etc..that show you attended	Must keep a log with either certificates, agendas, letters, etc..that show you attended	Must keep a log with either certificates, agendas, letters, etc..that show you attended	Must keep a log with either certificates, agendas, letters, etc.. that show you attended	Must keep a log with either certificates, agendas, letters, etc..that show you attended
	3 years renew	5 years renew	3 years renew	3 years renew	3 years renew
	\$40/year	\$40/year	\$40/year	\$40/year	\$40/year