

CALIFORNIA CERTIFIED GAMBLING COUNSELOR (CCGC-II)

PREREQUISITE

Applicants must possess a Bachelor's Degree, **and either of:**

1. An advanced level license through an agency accredited by BBS or APA or similar, or their successors; **OR**
2. Be credentialed in a mental health or addictions discipline demonstrating basic human service competencies (i.e. CCAPP, CADTP, etc.), have at least one (1) year of clinical experience in a behavioral health field **and** be working under a licensed professional's license.

PROCESS

1. Possess an active CCGC-I certification
2. Complete 2,000 hours of counseling including a minimum of:
 - a. 2/3rds of the hours as face-to-face counseling
 - b. 2 hours with, and approval from, a Board Approved Clinical Consultant
3. *Attend 30 hours of problem-gambling specific education
 - a. *In addition to the 30-hour training required to earn a CCGC-I*
4. **Complete and/or sign the below forms and agreements:
 - a. [Application form \(A-1\)](#)
 - b. [Tracking Hours Spreadsheet](#)
 - c. [Problem Gambling Education Spreadsheet](#)
 - d. [Code of Ethical Conduct \(A.2\)](#)
 - e. [Good Standing Agreement](#)

* Education must have been completed within the most recent 5 years prior to the date of application.

** CCPG reserves rights to add, remove or change forms at any time. Forms found at <https://calpg.online/ccgc-forms/>.

COST

	MEMBERS ²	NON-MEMBERS
Certification¹	\$125	\$175
Biannual Renewal	\$125	\$150
BACC Supervision	\$100 - 400 (AVG.)	\$100 - 400 (AVG.)

CCGC-II certification is valid until CCGC-I certification date. Alternatively, you may renew your CCGC at the same time as your certification for a combined fee of \$200 for non-members or \$175 for members, good for two years from the date of your CCGC-II certification.

¹ You may choose to refund the 8 CEHs included with certification for an \$80.00 discount instead.

² **Plus** the cost of a tax-deductible membership