

1 mental disorders with use of the American psychiatric association's  
2 diagnostic and statistical manual, through identifiable study of the  
3 following content areas: Psychopathology, diagnostic assessment,  
4 interdisciplinary referral and collaboration, treatment approaches and  
5 professional ethics;

6 (C) has completed a graduate level supervised clinical practicum of  
7 supervised professional experience including psychotherapy and  
8 assessment, integrating diagnosis and treatment of mental disorders with  
9 use of the American psychiatric association's diagnostic and statistical  
10 manual, ~~with not less than 350 200 hours of direct client contact or~~  
11 ~~additional postgraduate supervised experience as determined by the board;~~

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12 (D) has completed as part of or in addition to the requirements of  
13 subsection (c) not less than two years of postgraduate supervised  
14 professional experience in accordance with a clinical supervision plan  
15 approved by the board of not less than 3,000 hours of supervised  
16 professional experience including at least 1,500 hours of direct client  
17 contact conducting psychotherapy and assessments with individuals,  
18 couples, families or groups and not less than 100 hours of *face-to-face*  
19 clinical supervision, *as defined by the board in rules and regulations,*  
20 including not less than ~~75~~ 50 hours of ~~person-to-person~~ individual  
21 supervision, *except that the board may waive the requirement that such*  
22 *supervision be face-to-face upon a finding of extenuating circumstances,*  
23 integrating diagnosis and treatment of mental disorders with use of the  
24 American psychiatric association's diagnostic and statistical manual;

25 (E) for persons earning a degree under subsection (c) prior to July 1,  
26 2003, in lieu of the education and training requirements under ~~parts~~  
27 ~~subparagraphs~~ (B) and (C) ~~of this subsection,~~ has completed the education  
28 requirements for licensure as a specialist clinical social worker in effect on  
29 the day immediately preceding the effective date of this act;

30 (F) for persons who apply for and are eligible for a temporary license  
31 to practice as a specialist clinical social worker on the day immediately  
32 preceding the effective date of this act, in lieu of the education and training  
33 requirements under ~~parts~~ ~~subparagraphs~~ (B), (C) and (D) ~~of this~~  
34 ~~subsection,~~ has completed the education and training requirements for  
35 licensure as a specialist clinical social worker in effect on the day  
36 immediately preceding the effective date of this act;

37 (G) has passed an examination approved by the board; and

38 (H) has paid the application fee.

39 (2) A licensed specialist clinical social worker may engage in the  
40 social work practice and is authorized to diagnose and treat mental  
41 disorders specified in the edition of the diagnostic and statistical manual of  
42 mental disorders of the American psychiatric association designated by the  
43 board by rules and regulations. When a client has symptoms of a mental