



Core Competency Criteria

Counselling Foundations

- ❖ Human Development, Culture and Diversity, Theoretical Framework, Evidence-Based Practice
- ❖ Psychopathology, Abnormal Psychology, DSM V, ICD

Counselling Interventions

- ❖ Clinical Assessment, Crisis Intervention, Conflict Resolution

Counselling Processes

- ❖ Clinical Orientation, Assessment and Closure

Counselling Skills and Techniques

- ❖ Therapeutic Communication, Relationship and Process

Ethics and Ethical Practice

- ❖ Legal and Regulatory Practice, Scope of Practice, Ethical Practice and Decision Making
- ❖ Ethical Communication

Reflective Practice

- ❖ Self-Care and Personal Safety, Awareness of Self
- ❖ Supervision and Clinical Governance

Professional Practice

- ❖ Records and other Business
- ❖ Collegial Relationships – Consultation and Collaboration

Professional Communication

- ❖ Clinical Documentation, Referrals, Third Party Reports
- ❖ Media/Social Media