Prevention Specialist (PS)

Experience

2000 hours of Prevention experience across the domains. Experience should be across the domains rather than substance abuse only.

Education

120 hours across all domains of which 24 must be ATOD specific with 6 hours of Prevention Ethics. Jurisdictions can have more hours and specific hours if they choose.

Supervision

120 hours specific to the domains with a minimum of ten hours in each domain.

Examination

Applicants must pass the IC&RC PS Examination.

Code of Ethics

Applicants must sign a prevention specific code of ethics statement or affirmation statement.

Recertification

20 hours of continuing education earned every year.