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NBCC Foundation Awards Scholarship to Jessica G. Dean



Natchez, MS—The NBCC Foundation, an affiliate of the National Board for Certified Counselors, Inc. (NBCC), recently awarded a 2020–2021 [Center for Credentialing & Education \(CCE\) Approved Clinical Supervisor \(ACS\)](#) training award to Jessica G. Dean, of Natchez, Mississippi. The goal of this scholarship, provided through funding from CCE, is to increase the number of available CCE Approved Clinical Supervisors. Dean will receive \$500 to support her attainment of the CCE ACS credential.

Jessica Gibson Dean is a Licensed Professional Counselor in private practice in Natchez, Mississippi. Mrs. Dean also serves as the Regional Clinical Director for School Based Healthcare Solutions Network, a school-based service providing mental and emotional wellness on school campuses throughout the state of Mississippi. Mrs. Dean received her undergraduate degree in educational psychology and her graduate degree in guidance and counseling from Alcorn State University. Mrs. Dean is currently pursuing her doctorate from Mississippi College, to be completed summer 2021. She is a National Certified Counselor (NCC) and a Board Certified- TeleMental Health Provider (BC-TMH).

Mrs. Dean has provided services to all age demographics for the past 15 years but desires to primarily specialize in adult services, teaching on a collegiate level, and consultation services. Mrs. Dean understands the importance of clarity and direction, and her goal in attaining the CCE ACS credential is to provide young clinicians with the wealth of knowledge and experience she has acquired throughout her years of dedication within her mental and behavioral health career. Mrs. Dean looks forward to becoming a CCE ACS and is confident in her capabilities to overcome any obstacles in her path.

The mission of the NBCC Foundation is to leverage the power of counseling by strategically focusing resources for positive change. The NBCC Foundation in collaboration with CCE provides training awards and scholarships to assist counseling and other professionals in attaining CCE credentials and to support and increase their ongoing professional development and continuing education opportunities.

For more information about NBCC Foundation scholarship opportunities as well as CCE-sponsored scholarships, visit nbccf.org. More information about the CCE ACS and other CCE credentials is available at cce-global.org.

ABOUT THE NBCC FOUNDATION

The NBCC Foundation is the nonprofit affiliate of the National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC), based in Greensboro, North Carolina. NBCC is the nation's premier professional certification board devoted to credentialing counselors who meet standards for the general and specialty practices of professional counseling. Currently, there are more than 66,000 board certified counselors in the United States and over 50 countries. The Foundation's mission is to leverage the power of counseling by strategically focusing resources for positive change.

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