

Individualized Care

At Lakewood Counseling Service, each patient's treatment is designed to meet their individual needs, problems and life situation.

With the help of therapists, patients develop realistic goals that address both recovery from compulsive gambling and relapse prevention. Co-occurring disorders that prevent successful recovery are addressed and goals are designed to help clients recognize unhealthy behaviors and their role in perpetuating problem gambling and relapse thorough establishing supports to maintain a healthy, comfortable and satisfying recovery program.

Services include the following:

- Prescreening
- Assessment
- Flexible Individual Treatment Plan
- Individual Counseling
- Collateral Relationship Individual Counseling
- Group Counseling
- Family Therapy
- Relapse Prevention
- Referral to Gamblers Anonymous
- Referrals for other identified needs
- Access to Psychiatric Evaluation Treatment and Medication Management

**The Lakewood Counseling Service
Compulsive Gambling Treatment Program
is a Certified
Compulsive Gambling Program
Certified by
The Missouri Division of
Alcohol and Drug Abuse**

Free Treatment

The Lakewood Counseling Service Compulsive Gambling Treatment Program (LCS CGP) is partially funded by the Missouri Department of Mental Health Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse. Treatment is available without charge for Missouri residents and their families.

Participants in Missouri-funded service must meet diagnostic criteria and provide income verification. However, state-funded services are free regardless of income.

Individuals with private insurance may also receive services according to their benefits provided under their insurance plan.

(PRIVACY OPTION): Individuals who do not wish to use their insurance or state-funded services have the option of requesting self-pay services.

Do you or someone you know need treatment?

1. Have you ever lied to people important to you about how much you gambled?
2. Have you ever felt the need to bet more and more money?

If the answer is yes to either or both, further assesment is needed call us NOW,

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**Lakewood Counseling Service
Compulsive Gambling Treatment Services**

Compulsive Gambling Treatment Services

Compulsive gambling is a progressive, chronic disorder characterized by an overwhelming, uncontrollable impulse to gamble regardless of the consequences.

As with other addictions the individual and all those around them are affected. Compulsive gambling is not self-limiting.

Without professional treatment and participation in intensive recovery support such as Gamblers Anonymous the behavior will continue and the consequences will become more costly and destructive to the individual's personal, work, family and community health. It is a progressive disease that can eventually lead to death.

The mission of the LCS Compulsive Gambling Treatment Services is to provide individuals, spouses, significant others and family members who are affected by and suffering from compulsive gambling:

- Professional Assessment
- Qualified Treatment
- Relapse Prevention
- Continuing Care Services

Our ultimate goal is to assist our clients and their families to access the services and support systems they need to address the devastating impact of compulsive gambling on the individual, family systems, and their communities

THE CONSEQUENCES OF COMPULSIVE GAMBLING

TWENTY QUESTIONS

1. Did you ever lose time from work or school due to gambling?
2. Has gambling ever made your home life unhappy?
3. Did gambling affect your reputation?
4. Have you ever felt remorse after gambling?
5. Did you ever gamble to get money with which to pay debts or otherwise solve financial difficulties?
6. Did gambling cause a decrease in your ambition or efficiency?
7. After losing did you feel you must return as soon as possible and win back your losses?
8. After a win did you have a strong urge to return and win more?
9. Did you often gamble until your last dollar was gone?
10. Did you ever borrow to finance your gambling?
11. Have you ever sold anything to finance gambling?
12. Were you reluctant to use "gambling money" for normal expenditures?
13. Did gambling make you careless of the welfare of yourself or your family?
14. Did you ever gamble longer than you had planned?
15. Have you ever gambled to escape worry, trouble, boredom or loneliness?
16. Have you ever committed, or considered committing, an illegal act to finance gambling?
17. Did gambling cause you to have difficulty in sleeping?
18. Do arguments, disappointments or frustrations create within you an urge to gamble?
19. Did you ever have an urge to celebrate any good fortune by a few hours of gambling?
20. Have you ever considered self-destruction or suicide as a result of your gambling?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, don't let your gambling cost you even more. Call us for help: 816-404-6170.

