



Letter of Completion (Generic Sample Letter)

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[Date]

[First and Last Name] (License #: 123-456-789),

This letter indicates your completion of the following training:

Title of Training [see brochure for upcoming seminars]

Duration of Training: 3 Hours

Presenter: Brad Hambrick, M.Div., Th.M.

The Summit Church and Southeastern Seminary recognize that Christians are a population who often avoid seeking mental health care for at least two reasons.

1. They believe adherence to their Christian faith should remedy their mental health concerns.
2. They fear their counselor will have a faith system antagonistic to their Christian beliefs.

To alleviate these two obstacles The Summit Church and Southeastern Seminary began to host periodic seminars to:

1. Educate church members on how personal character and faith do/don't overlap with mental health.
2. Provide a context for mental health professionals to learn more about the concerns that Christians bring to mental health conversations.

We believe that mental health professionals who attend these events gain:

- Cultural awareness about how to serve their Christian counselees experiencing various life struggles.
- Awareness about church-based after-care resources, especially for counselees who lack a healthy social network necessary to maintain the progress made in counseling.
- Networking opportunities with other Christian counselors for mutual encouragement and sharing best practices as people of faith in the mental health field.
- Better understanding of the relationship between their personal faith, if they are a professing Christian, and their professional practice.

This letter of completion can be submitted to your respective state licensing board for consideration of continuing education hours. *The acceptance of these hours as continuing education credits is a determination to be made by each licensing board.*

Thank you for attending and seeking to learn how to care for Christians who come to you for their various mental health needs.

Brad Hambrick

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