

Board of Christian Life Coaches

Certified James C. Dobson Life Coach Specialist

APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in pursuing a credential as a **Certified James C. Dobson Life Coach Specialist** with the **Board of Christian Life Coaching** (BCLC). This specialist designation has three areas of study:

- **Child Development and Parenting**
- **Marriage and Family**
- **Family Advocacy and Public Policy**

Please choose the area(s) in which you seek certification below. There is a **ONE-TIME \$49.00** charge for **EACH** area of certification.

Please complete and **PRINT** all requested information in a legible manner or mark N/A if not applicable. Illegible and/or incomplete applications with missing information may be returned to the applicant. Please **respond to all sections**.

The BCLC will not disclose the confidential information given in this application without your express, written consent. **Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing.**

I. Demographic Information

Last Name	First Name	MI	

Home Address			

City	State	Zip	Country

Name of Practice/Organization/University/Church, etc., where you work and/or provide counseling/caregiving services			

Business Address			

City	State	Zip	Country

Work Phone		E-Mail Address	
_____		_____	
Fax		Secondary/Emergency Phone	
_____		_____	
Cell Phone (<i>optional</i>)		Home Phone (<i>optional</i>)	
_____		_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	Age _____	Ethnicity _____

II. Credential Designation

I am applying for the following certification(s) (select all that apply):

- Child Development and Parenting – CDP (choose one of the following):**
 - ___ Board Certified CDP Life Coach
 - ___ Board Certified CDP Advanced Life Coach
 - ___ Board Certified CDP Master Life Coach
- Marriage and Family – MF (choose one of the following):**
 - ___ Board Certified MF Life Coach
 - ___ Board Certified MF Advanced Life Coach
 - ___ Board Certified Master Life Coach
- Family Advocacy and Public Policy – FAPP (choose one of the following):**
 - ___ Board Certified FAPP Life Coach
 - ___ Board Certified FAPP Advanced Life Coach
 - ___ Board Certified Master Life Coach

Educational Requirements:

- 2 Dobson Courses** to achieve the **Life Coach Specialist Certification**
- 3 Dobson Courses** to achieve the **Advanced Life Coach Specialist Certification**
- 5 Dobson Courses** to achieve the **Master Life Coach Specialist Certification**

Once your educational requirements are met, you are then eligible to apply for the James C. Dobson Life Coach Credential.

*****Please note that you will need to be currently credentialed as a Board Certified Life Coach at any of the four levels in order to obtain this specialist certificate!***

If you are not a Board Certified Life Coach (BCLC), please complete and attach the BCLC application with this application for processing. The James C. Dobson Courses will count towards the requirements of the BCLC credentials as well as this specialist designation.

- A.** Describe your life coaching practice/setting and how you incorporate spiritual practices and disciplines in your life coaching activities (e.g., prayer, the use of Scripture/biblical principles, fasting, meditation, worship, solitude, etc.)?

I understand I am applying for the **James C. Dobson Certified Life Coach Specialist** with the Board of Christian Life Coaching (BCLC) credential and believe I currently meet all the necessary requirements as a Board Certified Life Coach and a Certified Dobson Specialist. Therefore, I am submitting my formal application for consideration by the BCLC Credentialing Committee, including all necessary and supportive documentation that is required: Yes No

III. Preferred Name with Certificate

Please print in the space below, how you would like your name and credentials to appear (including appropriate punctuation) on the James C. Dobson Board Certified Life Coach Specialist. Any degree listed must represent an **earned** degree from a **regionally accredited** institution of higher learning (not a degree in process or honorary degree), and any state/regulated licenses or professional credentials listed must have already been earned/received. Academic degrees are listed first (usually only one from any particular discipline), followed by licenses and other certifications. Please **do not use more than three sets of letters** after your name.

I affirm and attest that my name and the credentials given on the line below are printed exactly as I desire for them to appear on my **James C. Dobson Life Coach Specialist Certificate** and further reflect a true and accurate portrayal (as described above) of my valid professional education, training, licensure, and/or certification: Yes No

Please Print Name and Credentials Clearly

IV. Required Attachments

I have attached the following required documents:

Evidence of current Board Certified Life Coach Credentials: Yes No

Evidence of completion of courses for the James C. Dobson Certified Specialist: Yes No

One Time Application Fee of \$49.00, **made out to AACC** Yes No

I affirm and attest by my signature below that I have completed all requirements for this specialist certificate with this Application. I further authorize the AACC and/or the IBCC to verify this information and understand that in the process of verification, these facts might become known to third parties. I expressly waive any claim to confidentiality of the material enclosed in this Application except where otherwise noted.

Applicant Signature

Date