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## LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name <u>American Counseling Association</u>	
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>5999 Stevenson Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22</u>	
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____	
4. Contact Name <u>Scott Barstow</u>	Telephone <u>703-823-9800 x234</u>
E-mail (optional) <u>sbarstow@counseling.org</u>	
5. Senate ID <u>2161</u>	
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID <u>21</u>

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2001 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☐ OR Year End (July 1-

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report ☐

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ☐ ⇒ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_

11. No Lobby

### INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

**12. Lobbying Firms**  
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000 ☐

\$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Income (nearest \$20,000)

Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

### 13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this period were:

Less than \$10,000 ☐

\$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ \$ 80,000  
Expenses (nearest: \_\_\_\_\_)

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for descriptive

☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA de

☒ Method B. Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code

☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title Scott Barstow Director of Public Policy and Legislation



Registrant Name American Counseling Association Client Name Self

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code CIV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

religious discrimination against  
health and social services providers  
supported by public funds

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

☐ Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Scott Barstow	Leg. Asst. - Rep. Mike Kapet

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

☒ Check if None

Signature



Date Feb. 21, 20

Printed Name and Title

Scott Barstow, Director of Public Policy and Legislative



Registrant Name American Counseling Assn. Client Name Self

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15. General issue area code DEF (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

recognition of licensed professional  
counselors under Department of Defense program

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate  
U.S. Department of Defense

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Scott Barstow	Leg. Asst. - Rep. Mike Kopechne

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Date

Feb. 21, 2000

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15. General issue area code EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- (S.1, H.R.1) Reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965
- Labor/Health and Human Services/Education FY02 ap
- amendments to the Individuals with Disabilities Education regarding school discipline and funding

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ Check if None

U.S. House


U.S. Senate

U.S. Dept of Education

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Joan Urbaniak-Wodiska	Legislative Assistant - Sen. L
Myrna R. Mandlawitz	

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15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- managed care legislation
- parity of health insurance coverage for mental health, substance abuse services
- privacy of individuals' health care treatment information

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

☐ Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Scott Barstow	Leg. Assistant - Rep. Mike Ke

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15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 1522 / S. 690 - Medicare Mental Health Moderniza direct reimbursement of licensed professional counselors an improvements to Medicare's mental health benefit
- S. 1760 - Seniors Mental Health Access Improvement Act -- direct reimbursement of licensed professional counselors and and family therapists under Medicare

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate

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Scott Barstow	Legislative Asst. - Rep. Mike K
Myrna Mandlawitz	

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15. General issue area code TRA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

*recognition of counselors as substance  
abuse professionals*

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ Check if None

*House of Representatives  
Senate  
U.S. Department of Transportation*

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

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<i>Scott Barstow</i>	<i>Leg. Asst. - Rep. Mike Kope</i>
<i>Myrna Mandlawitz</i>	

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