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1. Registrant Name American Counseling Association			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 5999 Stevenson Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22304			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country): _____			
4. Contact Name Scott Barstow	Telephone 703 823-9800 x234	E-mail (optional) sbarstow@counseling.org	5. Senate ID # 2161-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 2161		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

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 Lobbying Activity

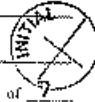
INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
12. Lobbying Firms INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> <=> \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	13. Organizations EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> --> \$ <u>40,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code. <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code	

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

CHAMPUS/TRICARE -- coverage of professional counselors as independently-reimbursable providers under the program (H.R. 4205, H.R. 4418)

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

Dept. of Defense - Tricare Management Authority
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Scott Barstow	Legislative Assistant - Rep. Mike Kopetski	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 1995 - inclusion of school counselors for eligibility in Title II of ESEA
ESEA - reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (S. 2, H.R. 4141)
Elementary School Counseling Demonstration Act, S. 1443, H.R. 2567
Labor/HHS/Education appropriations for FY 2001

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

U.S. Department of Education
U.S. House
U.S. Senate

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

Name	Current Official Position (if applicable)	Reg.
Joan Urbaniak	Legislative Assistant-Sen. Larry Pressler	U
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issue listed on line 18 above Check if None

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

managed care legislation (S. 6, H.R. 358, H.R. 2723, S. 1344)

Medicare coverage of licensed professional counselors (S. 980, H.R. 1344)

participation of licensed professional counselors in the National Health Service Corps

coverage of licensed professional counselors in PEHP plans

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

Health Resources and Services Administration
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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

Name	Current Official Position of Representative	Sex
Scott Barstow	Legislative Assistant - Rep. Mike Kopetski	U
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15. General issue area code RCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

treatment of substance abuse disorders, qualifications of substance abuse
treatment providers (S. 289, H.R. 815, S. 463)

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

U.S. Senate
U.S. House of Representatives

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Rehabilitation Act Amendments for 1998 - development and implementation of regulations for the program

Workforce Investment Act - regulations

Work Incentives Improvement Act (H.R. 1180/S. 331)

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

U.S. House of Representatives

U.S. Senate

U.S. Department of Labor

U.S. Department of Education

Rehabilitation Services Administration

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

coverage of licensed professional counselors under Medicare
(S. 980, H.R. 1344)

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

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