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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name: American Counseling Association

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported
5999 Stevenson Avenue

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)
City: Alexandria State/Zip (or Country) VA 22304

4. Contact Name: Scott Barstow Telephone: 703-823-9800 E-mail (optional): sbarstow@counseling.org

5. Senate ID #: 2161-

7. Client Name ☑ Self

6. House ID #: 21

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☑ **OR** Year End (July 1-D

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 ☐

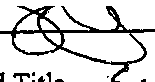
$10,000 or more ☑ ⇨ $ 60,000
Expenses (nearest $2

14. **REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indic
accounting method. See instructions for descriptior

☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA def

☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6
Internal Revenue Code

☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section
Internal Revenue Code

Signature 

Printed Name and Title Scott Barstow, Director of Public Policy

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

appropriations for federal programs supporting mental health services, education

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

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)
Christopher Campbell	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above ☑ Check if None

Signature _____ Date Aug. 12, 200

Senior Counselor Director of Public Policy

Printed Name and Title Jean Barstow, Director of Human Resources

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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 programs

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. 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)
Dara Alpert	Staff Asst. - Senate Armed Services

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Printed Name and Title Scott Rosenberg, Director of Public Policy

Printed Name and Title Jean Bergeron, Director of Legislative Policy

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- improving student access to counseling services
- reauthorization of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
- reauthorization of the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act
- Campus Care and Counseling Act (H.R. 3593 / S. 2215)
- reauthorization of the Higher Education Act

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

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U.S. Senate

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

parity of insurance coverage for mental health and substance abuse services

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

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

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

reauthorization of the Workforce Investment Act and Rehabilitation Act

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

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)
Scott Barstow	LA - Rep. Mike Kopetski

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Medicare coverage of licensed professional counselors

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

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

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Social Security / government pension and windfall elimination offsets

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

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U.S. Senate

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

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Chris Campbell	

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

recognition of licensed professional counselors under Department of Transportation substance abuse policies

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

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

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

reauthorization of welfare programs

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

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

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