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Rosenthal comes out forward! In the fall of 2014, I purchased 1) Pearson's Mastering the National Counselor Evaluation and the Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Evaluation (2011) AND 2)Helwig's Study Guide for the National Counselor Examination and CPCE (6th Ed) AND 3)Rosenthal's Encyclopedia of Counseling 3rd Ed/15th Anniu Edition by Rosenthal.In those days, I knew the following summer/early fall, I would be testing. The method he uses is different, but effective. Following 2 semesters of extra coursework, I started to study intensely in early July 2015 for a August 8th test time. I first started with Rosenthal's. As a visible and kinesthetic learner, I highlighted the book and took split notes on paper for information I did NOT know, severely forgotten, etc. After collating the info (set it up on a spreadsheet, typed etc (made the information more manageable (fewer webpages and neater) which also offered another review as I typed), I compared my details to Helwig's. There were small discrepancies (ex. All the best! 120? I am better off, reviewing and practicing the materials and making connections to the concepts, etc.) between your texts. In order to get the most out of Rosenthal, you have to read the entire publication.. The difference was the style in how these were written. Rosenthal's is normally conversational and encourages mnemonic devices. Most of my classmates who used this publication did well on the NCE. Helwig's book is established in an outline form and only offers you the basic factors which allows you to spotlight only what you don't know. I did some research and figured I had a need to get yourself a 65% average to be able to move. This produced me annoyed and anxious but not enough to throw either apart. After reviewing Helwig with condensed Rosenthal notes, I moved on to Pearson's. I examine 1-2 chapters and decided that it was making me more anxious and overwhelmed. I did so not utilize the book and wouldn't normally recommend it. Although, originally I DID just like the 5 queries after each small section which also enables you to review and check your progress, after a few pieces of those, I realized that worrying over getting the right answers to those questions, for me personally at least, was futile. Also, the pool of understanding that the actual exam covers is IMMENSE. So, there is no way to learn if the queries are actually helping you. The units of 5 questions didn't build my confidence, and I think after acquiring the NCE, it might give one a fake sense of self-confidence. After going right through the book (actually no other learning), I was averaging above 70% or 180? I started studying at the beginning of January and my test date was March 7 and it seemed to be enough time for me. Today was my test. ${f I}$ scored (based on the NBCC 2012 normed stats) +1 SD above the mean. Quite simply, I did very well. At the very least, it will give you insight into which section/topic you need to brush up on. I'd let you know that on your day of the test, you sit down and compose down the things you think you will miss or information you think might neglect as you check (for instance, I instantly drew out Gauss' bell formed curve with the different standardized scores (T, stanines, etc)), and I would state that reviewing daily up until test day is better than cramming. how many characteristics did Guilford really come up with? And since I understand there's plenty of people out presently there like me. I just found out I actually passed the CPCE about my first try to will be graduating this Spring. If you're seeking to pass the NCE, this is actually the strategy to use. I performed the CD's while I was generating, stuck in traffic, gardening, cleaning and it was very useful. And since I know there's plenty of people out presently there like me personally. My coursework was mainly completed in 2003 but required 4 (16 hours) more courses based on the condition for LPC licensure. Appears to have exercised...Practice narrowing straight down the answers. You might not know a particular theorist, but in the event that you know who belongs to the other items listed, it will be easier to solution. However, it doesn't get into enough fine detail on any one subject. Also, ${f I}$ came across that if that specific question is not on the exam the material is ineffective because it is too specific to extrapolate the info to another question. So this seems to be a good example of what to expect on that examination. Took the examination, had a while to spare therefore i added up all of the questions I was CERTAIN I acquired right, and it had been enough to pass.) So, you ask, how did I do? Not ideal for the NCE or Comps.All I did so was proceed through this book once, answering the questions and

accumulated my scores. But avoid as your only tool. I attempted to use this publication but I did nothing like the format. The authors post a question with four answer options and then 90 on to explain why three choices are incorrect. There is quite little description about why the right answer is correct. They will be detailed and sometimes have frivolous details. I do not recommend this text. Misleading title, good for NCE This book is literally only a giant practice exam, which is not really what the title implies. Literally neuer uiewed my specific score, simply got the notification that I approved, which is all I cared about. I originally used both this book and the green version of Mastering the National Guidance Exam and the Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Exam. I am hoping that holds accurate for me personally. I had completed the classes necessary to take the test, and took it within a semester of being able to. Really glad I did, because just getting away from the classes provided me a leg up that I wouldn't possess if I had been in the field for a while. I was told to understand this book by my professors and I did not find it helpful. You can be a fantastic "skimmer" and make use of Helwig's in a far more practical method. (I am also the same person who did not get much reap the benefits of all those practice ACT checks. THEREFORE I figured I was good. It took a month to get my results back. So I think a lot of people get turned off considering it will you need to be filled with definitions or something. Concentrate on keywords and items you have to know. If you were my best friend, I would tell you to select from your choice of learning/studying as I referred to Rosenthal and Helwig and only buy the one. Five Stars great for study Five Stars A must have to get ready for the boards! Great tool!! I understand several people that utilized this as their main study aid and they were not confident following the exams. Even if you are half listening it will help. The questions are lengthy, unlike in the analysis books, so prepare for that. Ensure that you obtain the CD's to greatly help solidify the knowledge. Great tool for a wide review. Besides the reality that the green reserve was uery info dense and hard to study with, it had been wrought with errors, therefore i decided to stick to the Rosenthal book. helpful Exactly what I needed, helpful Five Stars Exceeded my NCE with flying colours using this book! All of my classmates who used this publication did well . Five Stars Perfect study information, prompt delivery, will end up being taking the test soon! Enough said! The majority of the details was the same. He also will this spiral matter over the materials where he'll revisit it, allowing you to build self-confidence and check your progress. I actually took the NCE while I actually was still getting my master's in marriage, family, and couples guidance in Michigan.



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