

Clinical Pastoral Education Program
Accredited by the College of Psychotherapy and Supervision (CPSP)

CPE Training Application

Applicant Information

Name:

Date:

Email:

Mobile:

Start Date:

CPE Training Position:

Initial CPE/T Unit

Internship

Year Residency

1. Life Narrative

It is an invitation to speak honestly about the formative human relationships that shaped you, the wounds that created both capacity and limitation, and how personal history informs your capacity to extend care to others wounded and hurt by life. Help us know how you see yourself: what you have been through, what it has cost, and where you are still in process. That honesty helps us understand how our program might help you use your personal narrative to inform the care you provide.

Response:

2. Helping Situation

Describe a specific situation in which you were the helper. Please reflect on what happened between you and the person or persons you were helping. Write a brief evaluation of your engagement, including your sense of what was helpful, what may have been missed, and what the experience revealed about how you show up in the presence of another person's suffering.

Response:

3. Clinical Case

If you have recently completed a CPE training unit, include a clinical case as your helping situation (see above). Focus on your use of self and your capacity to hear not only what the patient was saying, but also what may have been difficult for the patient to express. Describe your capacity to create a relational and emotional holding space in which the patient felt understood, comforted, and empathized with. Include not only your reflections at the time of the case presentation in CPE, but also what further understanding has emerged in retrospect.

Response:

4. Pivotal CPE Training Event

If you have prior CPE training, please describe a clinical training experience with your peer group and/or CPE Supervisor that was personally and professionally significant. Reflect on what made it formative, what it revealed about yourself as a person, and how it has shaped your ongoing personal and professional development.

Response:

5. Prior CPE Evaluations

Provide a copy of both your self-evaluation and your CPE Supervisor's Final Evaluation from your most recent unit of CPE training.

Response:

6. Work and Vocational Record

Provide a chronological employment history with roles and dates (attach a current résumé). Below, provide a brief description of your present work setting and how you relate within it.

Response:

7. Additional Comments

If you have additional comments that help us to know you, please add them here.

Response:

Please send your completed application as one PDF file that contains all seven of the above categories to:

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