ACPE ACCREDITED CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR SUPERVISORY CPE

The program of supervisory CPE at Stanford is designed for experienced professionals in ministry seeking certification as professional graduate educators through ACPE Inc. During a three-year, full-time program, ministers develop theoretical positions for the education and supervision of adults in professional ministry. Students in Supervisory CPE progress through stages of certification, beginning by observing and assisting a CPE Supervisor, presenting in weekly Supervisory consultation groups, and eventually receiving certification to independently supervise. The timeline for completion is dependent upon committee appearances, dates, and recommendations.

The process for admission into Supervisory CPE at Stanford includes the completion of a CPE application, successful admissions interview, and approval by the Pacific Region Certification Committee. Upon admission, the course outline and learning goals are established in consultation with the CPE Supervisor, including specific reading in relevant theories. Supervisory CPE students are involved in the day to day operations of the Spiritual Care Service of Stanford Health Care, and take on clinical as well as operational responsibilities.

Application Requirements

The prerequisites for participation in a specialty are as follows:

1. Completion of Supervisory CPE Application
2. Successful completion of a year-long CPE residency preferred. Completion of Level I and Level II CPE required (at least two level I and two level II)
3. Ordination or commission to function in ministry with spiritual/religious group endorsement.
4. Graduation from a college and an accredited theological school with Master of Divinity degree or its equivalent. Equivalencies would need to be determined by the ACPE, Inc.
5. Membership in the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education, Inc.
6. Pastoral experience in congregational, healthcare or community setting.
7. Readiness consultation with the ACPE regional certification

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