

Post Graduate Certificate - Clergy Track

Established in 1948, CFR's Post Graduate Certificate Program is among the oldest and most respected clergy training programs in the nation. This training enriches the skills of pastors, priests, rabbis, imams, and other clergy who provide spiritual guidance and support within congregations and communities.

Program Design

Combining and integrating salient elements from the behavioral sciences and theology, the clergy training program at CFR provides education and application of current developments in the theory and practice of couple/marital, sex, and family therapy and in pastoral and systemic theology as they relate to family relationships.

The clergy track parallels the clinical track exactly, with the integration of theological coursework and specialized supervision at the onset of the training program.

Learn More



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Pastoral Skills

Integrate couple and family therapy skills with pastoral skills to be used within the framework of your congregation or community.



Families & Marriage

Understand the dynamics of marriages and families by developing clinical skills to compliment your pastoral skills



Offering Solutions

Incorporate therapeutic skills in dealing with complicated family problems.



Career Advancement

Gain career options through Membership in AAMFT and partial licensure fulfillment in PA & NJ.