

# Professional Specialty Certificate Program in First Responder Chaplaincy



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## The Professional First Responder Chaplain

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The **CAPSTONE Professional Specialty Certificate Program in First Responder Chaplaincy** offers the basic components of being a Spiritual Care centered Chaplain in the area of First Responder Chaplaincy. This series allows you to hone your craft in the areas of: (a) Cultural Competence, (b) Inclusion with vulnerable populations, (c) the heart of First Response Chaplaincy, Crisis and Trauma, (d) Basic Counseling Skills, (e) Listening with Intention, (f) both the art and the skill of Communication.

## FIRST RESPONDER CHAPLAINCY | 4 Credits

4 Required Courses | 0 Electives | 0 Units of CPE | 1 Final Paper

### COST

Course #	Requirements	Credits	Price
	<b>FEES</b>		
	CAPSTONE Application		\$75
	CAPSTONE Enrollment		\$75
	<b>4 REQUIRED</b>		
SCC203	Cultural Competence	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC208	First Response	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC209	Counseling Skills	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC221	Powerful Communication	1C x \$150 =	\$150
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4 C</b>	<b>\$750</b>





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### COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

**SCC203 Cultural Competence, Inclusion, and Vulnerable Populations** **1 credit**

*(No prerequisite required)*

**Description:** Cultural competence includes self-awareness and the professional ability to assess, document, and provide interventions so that persons' beliefs, values, and practices are integrated into their plan of care. This course will also address the needs of vulnerable patient populations including persons who are non-resident aliens, LGBTQ, homeless, incarcerated, low health literate, and mentally challenged.

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**SCC208 First Response Chaplain: Crisis and Trauma** **1 credit**

*(No prerequisite required)*

**Description:** The primary responsibility of a First Responder Chaplain is to provide emotional and spiritual care to First Responders, their families, civilian employees of First Responder agencies and their families. A secondary responsibility may be responding to an incident by dispatch to a scene to assist First responders (police, fire, EMS, Disaster Response Chaplains) with those family members who have been impacted by the emergency, crisis, trauma, disaster, unexpected traumatic death as well as being present for First Responders on scene.

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**SCC209 Counseling Skills: More Than Listening** **1 credit**

*(No prerequisite required)*

**Description:** Participants will learn the differences between pastoral and secular counseling, short-term counseling processes appropriate in health care settings, working with traumatic events, family systems, and grief and bereavement.





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### COURSE DESCRIPTIONS - CONTINUED

**SCC221 Powerful Communication Techniques**

**1 credit**

*(No prerequisite required)*

**Description:** First Responders, Social Workers, Chaplains and other health care professionals as well as spiritual care providers need demonstrated proficiency in various aspects of communication. This course will review listening skills and methods, effective verbal and non-verbal practices, group communication, conflict resolution, negotiations, and goal clarification.

## Professional Specialty Certificate Programs

### Professional Specialty Certificates for Spiritual Care Professionals

Professional Specialty Certificate in	Alcohol & Recovery Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	First Responder Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Geriatric and Elder Care	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Hospice Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Managing the		
	Spiritual Care Department	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Palliative Care Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Pediatric Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Spiritual Care Nursing	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Spiritual Care Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Spiritually Informed Social Work	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Professional Specialty Certificate in	Trauma Informed Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)





## The Professional Trauma Informed Chaplain

### FIND MORE INFORMATION

For additional questions please contact our office at (253)442-6850 or email us at [info@CAPSTONEuniversity.org](mailto:info@CAPSTONEuniversity.org)

#### CAPSTONE FAST FACT – Degrees. Units. Programs

**CAPSTONE University** provides education for professional learners at every level:

**Doctoral Degrees:** Five doctoral degrees designed for the working professional wanting to capitalize on their helping skill-set.

**Master Degrees:** Five masters degrees designed for the student wanting to focus their learning in a specific helping field.

**Executive Diploma Programs:** Fourteen executive diplomas furthering the education of experienced professionals that aim to polish and refine their skill-set in the helping industries.

**Professional Specialty Certificate Programs:** Eleven online certificate programs to help you become a specialist in an essential specific area within the professional helping industry.

**Clinical Pastoral Education Units:** Provided by the **Graduate Academy of CPE Supervision**.

**CPE Supervisor Education Fellow Units:** Developing future CPE Supervisors / Educators

## Executive Diploma Programs

### Executive Diplomas for Spiritual Care Professionals

Executive Diploma in	Adult Education and Learning	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritual Coaching	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritually Integrated Psychotherapy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Hospice & Palliative Care Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Military Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Pediatric Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritual Care Nursing	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Psychospiritual Transformational Change:		
	The Satir Model	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritual Care	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Clinical Pastoral Education:		
	Supervisor Education Fellow	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritually Informed:		
	Social Work Practice	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Thanatology: The Study of Death	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Health Care Ethicist Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Worship Leadership	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)

