

Professional Specialty Certificate Program in Pediatric Chaplaincy



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The Professional Pediatric Chaplain

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The **CAPSTONE Professional Specialty Certificate Program in Pediatric Chaplaincy** is designed to equip chaplains with the essential skills needed to serve effectively in pediatric settings. This specialized program focuses on enhancing chaplains' abilities in key areas: navigating grief, loss, and bereavement; understanding how to live with loss; mastering pediatric chaplaincy basics; providing care for the smallest and most vulnerable patients; addressing perinatal loss and anguish; and offering support to healthcare staff. Through this track, chaplains will deepen their expertise in offering spiritual and emotional support to children and their families during some of the most challenging times, as well as learning how to be a pillar of strength for the caregiving teams they work alongside.

PEDIATRIC CHAPLAINCY | 4 Credits

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

COST

Course #	Requirements	Credits	Price
FEES			
	CAPSTONE Application		\$75
	CAPSTONE Enrollment		\$75
4 REQUIRED			
SCC211	Grief, Loss, and Bereavement	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC214	Pediatric Chaplain	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC215	Perinatal Loss	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC222	Interdisciplinary Team	1C x \$150 =	\$150
	TOTAL	4 C	\$750





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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

SCC211 **Grief, Loss, and Bereavement: Living with Heartbreak** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course describes the process of grief, offers current theories that have relevance to assisting grieving individuals and identifies sensitivities, skills, and tools to assist the learner in understanding particular factors in various types of loss. Also explored will be the concept of disenfranchised grief, which is a reminder that the experience of grief encompasses far more than the death of a family member or loved one.

SCC214 **Pediatric Chaplain: Caring for the Smallest** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: Working with pediatric patients requires unique skills in understanding children's emotional and spiritual development, reaction to illness and injury, and the child's experience of the health care setting and treatment. This module provides information on providing age-appropriate care around these topics, including providing support and care to parents, and the unique challenges of end-of-life care for pediatric patients.

SCC215 **Perinatal Loss and Anguish: Far Too Soon** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: Perinatal death is one of the most profound emotional, cognitive, psychological, spiritual, and physiological losses a mother, father, and family can suffer. This module provides an overview of the epidemiology of perinatal death, the trauma of the experience, spiritual and psychological issues, and ways in which chaplains and others committed to spirituality in health care can assist the family in the grief through ritual and other interventions.





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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS - CONTINUED

SCC222 **Supporting the Interdisciplinary Team:
When Care is Tough** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: Chaplains and other spiritual care providers are often called upon to provide emotional and spiritual support to members of the interdisciplinary team, especially in times of crisis and stress. This course will provide information, practices, and resources on topics including compassion fatigue, vicarious trauma, burnout, one-on-one and small group work, and the appropriate use of ritual.

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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)
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	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

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Executive Diploma in	Pediatric Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
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	The Satir Model	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
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	Supervisor Education Fellow	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
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Executive Diploma in	Worship Leadership	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)

