Office of Global and Lifelong Learning

POST-MASTER’S 2019-2020
CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Advanced Clinical Practice

Program Director
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Program Description

The Post-Master’s Certificate in Advanced Clinical Practice is a two semester course of study that is unique in providing an integrated perspective in contemporary theories and practices in clinical social work. The program provides knowledge in the broad spectrum of contemporary cognitive and psychodynamic theories and practice techniques. We address the needs of practitioners in agency and private practices. The courses include Cognitive Behavioral Theory and Practice, Dialectical Behavior Therapy and Practice, Working with GLBT populations, Trauma and Treatment of PTSD, contemporary Attachment Theory and Research and Object Relations and Self Psychology models. Our program is unique in utilizing an integrative picture of different evidence based practices from cognitive approaches to in depth psychodynamic approaches reflecting the scope and breadth of contemporary practice. The program’s comparative approach reflects a commitment to subjective and intersubjective open inquiry and critical analysis through a multicultural perspective. Discussion topics include issues common to all populations receiving social services. These include issues related to gender, social class, race, ethnicity, religion, sexual identities, disabilities and immigration. This year we have added the following classes: work with military personnel; introduction to somatic issues in therapy; introduction to EMDR and contemporary developments in psychodynamic treatment. All the courses are taught by scholars/practitioners who are active in direct practice.

Topics include

• Cognitive Behavioral approaches (CBT) to working with Anxiety and Depression
• Dialectical Behavioral Models of Treatment
• Approaches to Treatment in work with Military Personnel
• Working with Fathers in Treatment
• The implications of trauma and attachment evidence-based research in psychodynamic practice and theories

How long will it take me to complete the certificate?

Two semesters. Classes meet every other week for eight two-and-a-half-hour sessions, unless otherwise noted. Regular class attendance is required to obtain your certificate. There will be a morning and an evening section.

Where can I find more information?

For program requirements, dates, times, and other detailed information, go to http://goo.gl/AAKwoU or contact silver.continuingeducation@nyu.edu.
How many continuing education credits (CEs) will I earn?

36 CEs

Course of Study

**FALL**
The fall semester will begin with attachment theory and practice. We will then focus primarily on cognitive behavioral and dialectical behavioral theories of practice. We will also discuss short-term interpersonal psychotherapy.

*Topics include*
- Attachment Theory and Treatment Implications
- CBT
- DBT
- Interpersonal Psychotherapy (short-term)

**SPRING**
The spring semester will address diverse populations and relevant clinical practices.

*Topics include*
- Treatment of Trauma
- Working with Fathers in treatment
- Introduction to Somatic issues in Treatment
- Working with Military Personnel and their Families
- Object Relations and Self Psychology Theories and Practice
- Work with GLBTQ populations
- Introduction to EMDR
- Contemporary innovations in psychodynamic theories and practice
  (Mentalization and Reflective Function, concepts of Implicit knowing and trauma, and Attachment Research (EBT))

About the Faculty

The highly skilled faculty brings a combination of extensive experience in practice and research in varied mental health private practice settings, as well as experience in academic teaching. All of our faculty are scholar/practitioners who are active in practice in their field of expertise. The director of the program is happy to meet with students interested in talking about career issues or further education.
To Apply

An application form for this program must be filled out online from our website at:

A current resume and statement of interest must be attached with the application.

Fees
The cost is $1,980 Reading materials are included in the costs. Discounts may not be combined.

Discounts
• 25% discount for NYU SSSW MSW/PhD graduates, NYU SSSW field instructors, and educational coordinators
• 15% discount for applicants who have already completed one NYU SSSW certificate program
• 50% discount for veterans

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