Opportunity – Compassion-Centered Spiritual Health Fellowship Program with Spiritual Health Emory Healthcare

Emory Spiritual Health is pleased to announce a two (2) year Compassion-Centered Spiritual Health (CCSH) Fellowship program beginning in September 9, 2024. CCSH is a research-based method to alleviate distress in patients and families and to mitigate burnout in healthcare professionals. CCSH Fellows will engage in a developing program to become registered interventionists in CCSH while working toward professional goals in spiritual health disciplines (e.g., Board Certification with APC, and strategic partners). CCSH Fellows will be expected to work approximately 35 hours/week in clinical service in a designated treatment area, and will receive approximately 5 hours/week in training in CCSH and consultation toward spiritual health vocational goals. While the application for this fellowship requires 4 units of CPE, this is a post CPE fellowship where no units of CPE are granted. This unique opportunity allows for specialization in the expanding professional field of Spiritual Health. The goal of this new program is to offer successful participants the opportunity to become registered as CCSH interventionists.

Minimum Qualifications:
- Completion of master’s level of theology or divinity degree, or equivalent standards for educational requirement that meets the Board Certification with APC or its strategic partners.
- Completion of at least four (4) units of CPE from an ACPE accredited program
- Experience in human services or ministry, preferably in a congregation or clinical setting (or experience in parallel professions such as pastoral counseling).
- Functional knowledge of religious principles and practices of the major faiths and open to working with persons of diversereligious and cultural backgrounds.
- Good communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to be self-directed and work independently.
- Academic medical center experience preferred.
- Previous health care experience in the spiritual health field required.
- Familiarization with CCSH (i.e., taken CBCT foundation course or viewed CCSH video [https://youtu.be/torZwUbAtl4](https://youtu.be/torZwUbAtl4))

Locations for Fellowships are:
1. Winship at Clifton and EDOU
2. Winship inpatient/outpatient Oncology – Emory Midtown and Supportive/Palliative care at Winship at Emory Midtown
3. Winship outpatient/inpatient Oncology – Emory Midtown
4. WW (AGRs) - Clinical Care & Staff Support
5. EUHM - Clinical Care & Staff Support
6. EUOUSH - Clinical Care & Staff Support
7. EUH – Oncology and Palliative Medicine
8. EUH – Oncology and Palliative Medicine

Application/interview Timeline
Application deadline by July 1, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. (EST)
In-person interviews held mid-July
Acceptance extended early-August
**How to Apply**


2. Submit in full the following items to ccsh@emory.edu or as instructed below
   - Current Resume/CV
   - Most recent completed ACPE unit self and educator final evaluation
   - Submission of two recommendations via MS Forms (link below) by application deadline. Please do not use your current ACPE Educator as a reference since we will be gaining insight from them via your evaluation
     - MS Form Link: [https://forms.office.com/r/DXHdBx6tGi](https://forms.office.com/r/DXHdBx6tGi)
   - Five documents addressing the following areas:
     1. Interest in CCSH Fellowship and interest in specialty area (1 page limit)
     2. Description of vocational goals post fellowship. In pursuit of Board Certification with APC or its strategic partners, please indicate work done/anticipated that relates to the education and ordination/endorsement requirements needed. (1 page limit)
     3. Experience and/or interest in CBCT/CCSH. Please note that all CCSH Fellows will engage in foundational CBCT training and CCSH training interventions. If a Fellow has already received the CBCT and/or CCSH training this fellowship will provide continued opportunity to engage with the knowledge, skills, and practice. (1 page limit)
     4. Description of how you care for your own spiritual health (e.g., engagement in spiritual direction, contemplative practice, meditation, and/or other forms of self-care) (1 page limit)
     5. Clinical example of effective spiritual care, provided in case study or verbatim format, including rationale for interventions made (e.g., reference to spiritual assessment model, APC competencies, etc.) (2-4 pages)

2. Pay the $60 application online at [https://spiritualhealth.emory.edu/education/trainee-resources.html#anchor-pay-fees-online](https://spiritualhealth.emory.edu/education/trainee-resources.html#anchor-pay-fees-online).