



Welcome to the Mental Health Clinical Pastoral Education Centre

**The Cottage Chapel,
Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Hospital,
Palmerston Rd Hornsby**

The Mental Health CPE Centre moved in 2006 from its previous base at Rozelle Hospital where it had been providing supervised pastoral education programs for 25 years, when the Director retired from full time mental health chaplaincy.

Since then we have focussed on Introductory and Basic CPE including supervised pastoral education for pastoral practitioners from all faiths, as well as all Christian denominations. We have run CPE 1, CPE 2 and CPE 3 Units in Mental Health Ministry at Macquarie Hospital and Hornsby Hospital, and Aged Care CPE at the St Basil's Aged Care Facilities, Lakemba and Kogarah.

Over the 40 years of our Centre's functioning, we have offered Introductory CPE at Rozelle, Canterbury, St George, Sutherland, Bulli, Wollongong, Port Kembla, Nowra, and Campbelltown Hospitals; as well as in Bowral, Parkes and Broken Hill; and at St Leonards for the Buddhist Council of NSW, Waverley for the Jewish Council, and Auburn for the Islamic Scientific and Research Academy; which have led to many pastors from those areas proceeding to Basic CPEs at Rozelle, Macquarie, Hornsby, Lakemba and Auburn.

Supervisors:

Rev. Alan Galt OAM, Centre Director, CPE Education Consultant.

Mental Health Chaplain for 45 years; CPE Supervisor for 40 years; Grandfather; Senior Lecturer in Pastoral Theology; member of the NSW CPE College (previously Council) since 1972.



Mrs Rosemarie Say OAM Assistant Centre Director CPE Educator

MA (Pastoral Supervision)
Trained Psychiatric and General Nurse
Child Abuse Prevention Counsellor (7 years)
Grief Support Worker (21 years)
Mental Health Chaplain (20 years)
CPE Supervisor (8 years)



Mrs Heather Robinson, Provisional CPE Educator, Executive Secretary NSW CPE College

Supervisor of the Korean language CPE program at Rhodes; Co-supervisor Mental Health Ministry at Macquarie Hospital. Volunteer with the Macquarie Hospital



Rev. Graeme Watkins,

Provisional CPE Supervisor
Trained as a Primary School Teacher 1973 - 1975
Ordained as Uniting Church Minister 1982
Father, Grandfather.
Chaplain to Kinross Wolaroi UCA School 1990 - 2007



Pastoral Care Team for ten years, and with over twenty years experience in pastoral care, including in aged care and mental health ministry. Passionate about the benefits of CPE and began training as a Supervisor in 2014.

Four grandchildren keep me busy and young at heart. Not to mention keeping up with my young mother. My interests include music, poetry and gardening.

**Krsnangi (Kristine Darre)
Provisional CPE Supervisor**

Hari Krishna Chaplain. Co-supervising the Aged Care Ministry CPE unit.

Currently caring for 2 aged parents who are reluctantly facing placement. Enjoying an on line pastoral education program from the USA.



Minister Wesley Mission 2008 – 2014

CPE Training 2013 - 2016

MA (Chaplaincy) 2017

Provisional CPE Supervisor 2017 -

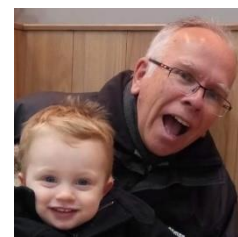
Member of ARPS Committee 2020

**Mr Michael Ansky,
Provisional CPE Supervisor**

Uniting Church Mental Health Chaplain in the Western Sydney Health Area after 30 years working with disadvantaged and marginalised people.

Husband, father and grandfather,

and co-supervisor of the New Mental health CPE Unit at Cumberland Hospital.



**Assoc Prof Salih Yucel, OAM,
Provisional CPE Supervisor**

A/Professor of Islamic Studies at Charles Sturt

University/Australian Catholic University Degrees: Bachelor of Islamic Studies, Master of Theology and Doctor of Ministry.

Provisional Supervisor,

Grandfather, author of four

books and number of articles. Live in Melbourne.



**Rev Dr Sang Taek Lee, OAM
Provisional CPE Supervisor**

Dean of Iona Columba College

Minister of the Uniting Church in Australia

PhD (University of Sydney)



**Rev Sarah (Moo Soon) Kim,
Provisional CPE Supervisor**

Lecturer at the Iona Columba Korean College.

Co-supervisor and Translator for the Bi-lingual Korean Basic CPE Unit at Rhodes.



What courses are offered?

1. Introductory CPE (40 hours)

We offer the standard Introductory Clinical Pastoral Education program (40 hours) This is the minimum requirement to join any hospital chaplaincy team and we welcome all faiths.

It is an introduction to the theory and practice of pastoral/spiritual care and is a qualification required by NSW Health for those wishing to become hospital visitors. It covers such topics as listening skills, empathy, grief and loss, self-awareness and hospital procedures. A certificate is awarded on completion.

2. Foundational (Basic 400 hour) Clinical Pastoral Education in Mental Health Ministry, CPE 1, CPE 2 and CPE 3; learning to respond to the pastoral needs of people affected by mental illness; **and in Aged Care Ministry,** an opportunity to understand and minister to people in their final, often confusing, stages of life.

The Macquarie Basic (Foundational) CPE is a unique training opportunity with a limit on numbers. Rosemarie has been involved with mental health since the 1960s. Rosemarie and Heather select course participants carefully. Mental Health is a demanding and sensitive, but fascinating, area to work in. We welcome all faiths. We are looking for people with a heart for mental health ministry. To start training, experience is not necessary, but participants are introduced to the wards under close supervision. Our aim is to achieve the maximum cohesion of a closely bonded group that will provide a safe, supportive environment resulting in optimal personal growth, learning and enjoyment for its members.

Who can apply?

- Parish workers and volunteers
- Those wishing to work in pastoral and spiritual care and chaplaincy
- Nurses/teachers interested in holistic care
- Those seeking more effective ways to care for people's spiritual needs
- Those wishing to discern their suitability to be a pastoral or spiritual carer
- Kind hearted people with a genuine care for others
- Those interested in spiritual care in Aged Care Facilities

2021 Course dates

400 hour Unit in Mental Health Ministry at Macquarie Hospital

Wednesdays, 3rd March to 29th September 2021

400 hour Unit in Mental Health Ministry at Cumberland Hospital

Thursdays, 4th March to 18th November 2021

400 hour Unit in Aged Care Ministry at St Basils' Lakemba

Tuesdays, 2nd March to 16th November 2021

What is the cost?

Foundational (Basic) CPE 1,2,3: \$2000 per student

Introductory CPE \$200 per student

For further information about the Macquarie program:

Please contact: Mrs Rosemarie Say OAM
Macquarie Hospital Chaplaincy Coordinator
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For further information about the Cumberland and Lakemba programs please contact the Director of the Mental Health CPE Centre:

Rev. Alan Galt OAM
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ACADEMIC RECOGNITION

As a Member Institute of the Sydney College of Divinity, the NSW College of Clinical Pastoral Education provides Master of Arts degrees specialising in Chaplaincy and Pastoral Supervision, and gives credit for Basic and Advanced Units of CPE, and Units of Supervisory Training, towards those degree.

Students with a Bachelor degree or other relevant qualification may enrol in

The Sydney College of Divinity **Master of Arts (leading to a specialisation in Chaplaincy)** which consists of three core units of CPE (CPE 1, 2, 3) for 54 credit points, half the course work. The remaining 54 credit points may be gained by enrolment in related courses (such as Theology, Biblical studies, Pastoral Theology and Pastoral Counselling) offered through the other member institutes of the Sydney College of Divinity.

The Master of Arts leading to a specialisation in Supervision includes 3 18 point units of Education in Supervision plus 6 more 9 point units in related pastoral, biblical and theological studies.