

**UNITYPOINT HEALTH - MERITER
CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION
PROGRAM OFFERINGS
2021 – 2022**

26 WEEK INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

February 24, 2021 – September 6, 2021
August 25, 2021 – March 6, 2022
February 23, 2022 – September 5, 2022
Rolling Application Process / Limited Enrollment

- Weekly Peer Group (Wednesday and Thursday)
- Bi weekly Supervision
- Hospital Clinical Setting 9 hrs/wk (Total 20 hrs/week)
- Shared weekend on-call rotation.
- \$750.00 Tuition for 1st unit, \$550.00 for subsequent Units

This program provides one unit credit of CPE with the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education. Its purpose is to provide personal and professional development in the delivery of spiritual care through supervised reflection on caregiving. It emphasizes collegial support through the peer group experience of spiritual and theological reflection. This program is ideal for parish clergy, seminarians, former nurses, chaplains, and other interested lay persons.

13 WEEK FULL TIME INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

May 26, 2021 – September 6, 2021
August 25, 2021 – December 5, 2021
February 23, 2022 – May 30, 2022
Rolling Application Process / Limited Enrollment

- Weekly Peer Group (Wednesday and Thursday)
- Weekly Individual Supervision
- Hospital Clinical Setting M-F, 7:30am-5pm (40 hrs./week)
- Shared weekend on-call rotation
- \$750.00 Tuition for 1st unit, \$550.00 for subsequent Units

This program provides one unit of CPE credit with the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education in a 13-week format. Students function as chaplains in the Hospital clinical setting on a full-time basis. Supervised reflection on spiritual caregiving occurs in peer group and weekly individual supervision. This program emphasizes spiritual care skill development through individual and group supervised reflection.

1 YEAR RESIDENCY PROGRAM

Start Date: August 25, 2021 – September 5, 2022
Pre-Requisites: a) One Unit of CPE earned
b) M.Div./Ordination/Theological Training
c) Admission Interview

Rolling Application Process - deadline March 15th.

- 3 Units of CPE
- Weekly Peer Group (Wednesday and Thursday)
- Weekly Individual Supervision
- Hospital Clinical Setting M-F, 7:30am-5pm (40 hrs./week)
- Shared weekend on-call rotation
- **Includes 4-month Palliative Care Rotation**
- \$750.00 Tuition for 1st unit, \$550.00 for subsequent Units
- 4 development days
- Paid vacation/sick (10 days) and six holidays

This program provides three units of CPE credit with the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education in a 12-month format. Students function as chaplains in the Hospital clinical setting on a full-time basis. Supervised reflection on spiritual care occurs in peer group and weekly individual supervision. This program emphasizes spiritual care skill development through individual and group supervised reflection. Annual stipend: \$32,000.00, plus medical & dental benefits.

Application process for all programs:

- 1) Complete ACPE Application (CPE Application - [PDF](#) or [DOC](#)) obtained at www.acpe.edu
Mail or e-mail (preferred) to The Rev. Charles Rogers – see information below.
- 2) Admission Interview with Program Educators & Admission Interview Committee.

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