



DES MOINES PASTORAL
COUNSELING CENTER

Clinical Training
Opportunity

LGBTQAI+ Affirming Counseling Class for Clinicians and Clinical Students

Understanding clinical issues and more effective assessment & counseling with lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning, asexual, and intersex (LGBTQAI+) clients

PROGRAM This course is for clinicians and pastoral counselors who seek to more effectively assess the mental health treatment needs of and provide therapy and counseling to child, adolescent and adult clients who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning, asexual, agender, intersex, and/or identify with other gender nonconforming and sexual minority identities (LGBTQAI+). It will help care providers better understand the critical concepts, current research, and key clinical issues with regard to this population. This course is offered in person at the Center (8553 Urbandale Ave, Urbandale, IA; in-person class size is limited to 20.) or online, via the Zoom platform.

TIME / DATES Fridays, January 3 – March 27, 2020, twelve weeks, (No class on March 20-spring break)
8:15 – 9:45 AM

COST / CEUS \$300 (\$150 for clinical students, enter discount code: STUDENT)

LOCATION Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center, 8553 Urbandale Avenue, Urbandale, IA 50322

REGISTRATION Register online at www.dmpcc.org/lgbtqai

FACILITATOR Douglas Aupperle, Ph.D. is a licensed psychologist, at the Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center. Doug provides psychotherapy and psychological assessment/testing to children and adolescents. He has special interests in the areas of anxiety, attention disorders, Bowen Family Systems therapy, child sexual abuse, E.M.D.R. (eye movement desensitization and reprocessing), working with LGBTQAI+ youth and parents, stress and coping in children, and trauma.



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