



CENTER FOR SPIRITUALITY & SOCIAL WORK
National Catholic School of Social Service



Continuing Education Certificate Program on Spiritually Sensitive Practice

January – May, 2012

The Center for Spirituality and Social Work (CSSW) announces its third **Continuing Education Certificate Program**. This unique **30 CEU** certificate program is designed for practitioners who are interested in enhancing their knowledge and skills in **Spiritually Sensitive Practice**. *This year's program will focus on complex issues that arise in the lives of clients as they struggle to deal with both inner conflicts and external circumstances. Ethical issues also arise within us as practitioners, as we attempt to meet the myriad challenges that emerge in providing ethical, effective, and culturally attuned services.* The three workshops offered this year, listed on the right, are designed to address these important issues.

The Certificate Program requires participation in **all three workshops and a clinical practice seminar series**. This seminar series provides important time and space to process with colleagues the information gained from the workshops and to translate this into specific practice from a spiritual perspective. Only those seeking the full **30 CEU Certificate Program** will attend the clinical practice seminars, which will be facilitated by **Dr. Cathleen Gray, LICSW** - former Director of the CSSW and master clinician. Seminars will be held on five Fridays, from 3:00 to 5:30 p.m. (**Jan. 27, Feb. 24, March 23, Apr. 20, & May 4th**). Total cost for the full CEU Certificate Program, including the three daylong workshops and five seminars, is **\$700.00**. **Sign up soon, as the certificate program will be limited to a small group of participants.**

The three workshops are open to all and can be attended individually. The fee for each workshop is **\$150.00** and participants earn **6 CEUs**. Student rates will be available.

REGISTRATION OPEN NOW! To register contact:
Ellen Thursby at 202-319-4388

For more information on workshops go to:

<http://cssw.cua.edu/>

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Cathleen Gray, PhD, LICSW

Facilitator – Clinical Practice Seminar Series

Dr. Cathie Gray is a well-known and highly regarded teacher. She has been an Associate Professor at NCSWS for thirty-five years and a clinical practitioner for over forty years. As the former director of the Center for Spirituality & Social Work, she developed the Certificate Program within the Center. She has published in the field of spirituality in clinical practice and taught many workshops in this area. Dr. Gray was awarded the *Life Time Achievement Award* from the DC Metro chapter of NASW and has also been listed in the *Washingtonian Magazine* as one of DC's "Top Therapists."

Certificate Workshops

"Exploring Spiritual Perspectives and Practices in Helping Clients Cope with Moral Dilemmas"

January 21st, 2012

Michelle Walsh, MSW, LICSW

"Bypassing Spirituality & Spiritual Bypassing: Ethical Issues in Spiritually-Sensitive Practice"

March 17th, 2012

Michael Sheridan, PhD, MSW & Eileen Dombo, PhD, LICSW

"Integrative Restoration (iRest): Contemporary Applications of an Ancient Contemplative Practice for Experiencing Inner & Outer Harmony"

April 28th, 2012

Richard Miller, PhD