

Program Faculty

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Faculty realizes no financial gain.

Class Location & Lodging:

Campion College

Old Toongabbie, NSW 2146



Costs for Practitioner Program:

Tuition: 5,775.00 USD
(All inclusive: **entire 13 months** tuition **and** room and board for both education phases)
Students who elect not to stay on campus will receive a slight reduction in tuition.
Application fee 25.00 USD
Required texts 650.00 USD

Additional Costs:

On-Site Visit during Supervised Practicum II (supervisor transportation & lodging) will be billed to the student.

Client teaching supplies 650.00 USD
Client teaching supplies must be purchased in order to provide services to clients. This is an estimated cost to teach the required number of clients for program completion. This cost is reimbursable by charging clients fees for services.

For Application Information, contact:

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**Applications received after December 15, 2009
risk rejection.**

**No application will be accepted
after January 1, 2010.**

To Become a Medical Consultant:

The Natural Family Planning Medical Consultant Program of the Pope Paul VI Institute for the Study of Human Reproduction is the only Medical Consultant program accredited by the American Academy of FertilityCare Professionals. This program is for physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurse midwives and pharmacists. If you are interested in this program, contact:

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**Creighton Model
FertilityCare System**

**FertilityCare Practitioner
Education Program**

**Education Phase I
January 9-17, 2010**

**Education Phase II
July 24-29, 2010**

**Campion College
Sydney, Australia**

**Offered by:
FertilityCare Services Limited
Education Programs
Omaha, Nebraska USA**

Program Purpose:

To prepare those who wish to provide Creighton Model FertilityCare System with the training necessary to deliver the highest quality of services.

Accreditation:

This program has been approved for accreditation by the **American Academy of FertilityCare Professionals (AAFCP)**. It adheres to the AAFCP Code of Ethics and provides students the educational background to become eligible for AAFCP certification.

Program Design:

The program is a 13-month course of study incorporating two classroom instruction phases and supervised teaching experience. The Creighton Model FertilityCare System and NaProTechnology have been developed due to the research and education efforts of Thomas W. Hilgers, MD, director of Pope Paul VI Institute for the Study of Human Reproduction.

Education Phase I: January 9-17, 2010

An eight day total immersion course covering:

- History of Natural Family Planning
- Anatomy of Male & Female Reproductive System
- Menstrual Cycle: Statistical Parameters
- Anovulation and Oligoovulation
- Physiology of the Cervix
- Beginnings of Human Life
- Physiology of Breastfeeding and Menopause
- Natural Methods of Family Planning
- Investigation and Care of the Infertile Couple
- Teaching Fertility Appreciation
- Methods of Artificial Contraception
- Physical and Psychological Aspects of Induced Abortion
- Use Effectiveness of Natural and Artificial Methods of Family Planning
- Psychodynamics of Natural Family Planning
- Philosophical Attitudes on Family Life, Family Planning and Unplanned Pregnancy

- Human Sexuality, Married Love and Fertility
- Importance of Standardized Teaching
- Conducting an Introductory Session
- Conducting Follow-ups
- Forms for Record Keeping and Standardized Teaching
- Business Aspects of Fertility Care Providers
- Case Management Approach to Problem Solving
- Introduction to NaProTechnology

Supervised Practicum I:

A six-month *faculty supervised* teaching experience at the student's home location to develop basic skills.

Education Phase II: July 24-29, 2010

A six day course of advanced study consisting of lecture, group discussion and hands-on problem solving of advanced aspects of teaching the Creighton Model FertilityCare System. Topics include:

- Management of Infertility, Chronic Discharges, Unusual Bleeding and Continuous Discharges
- NaProTechnology
- Advanced Issues
- Pregnancy Evaluation Principles
- Advanced Case Management, etc.
- Advanced Business Aspects

Supervised Practicum II:

Seven months in duration, this *faculty supervised* teaching experience includes an On-Site visitation.

Final Certificate Examination:

All students are required to take a criterion referenced professionally administered final examination which is proctored at the student's home location.

Note: upon completion of the education program, a Practitioner must become an affiliate of or participate in an affiliated center of **Fertility-Care Centres of Australasia** to order Creighton Model client teaching materials.

Applicant Eligibility

The program welcomes applications from those with strong motivation and commitment to the very highest quality educational services in FertilityCare.

Those eligible include:

- Registered nurses with current licenses
- Allied Health Professionals with BA or BS degree:
 - Health or Basic Sciences
 - Behavioral Sciences
 - Education
 - Other non-health fields
- Associate Degree/Diploma such as:
 - Licensed Practical Nurse
 - Human Services Practitioner
 - Equivalent of two years college study

Further eligibility criteria requires applicants to practice the Creighton Model FertilityCare System or, if celibate, to monitor their fertility and be a philosophical acceptor. It also requires commitment to adhere to the AAFCP Code of Ethics. This program recognizes that human sexuality is a function of the whole person and not just a function of its parts. It further recognizes the scriptural notation that we are "created in the image and likeness of God" and that such a philosophical principle ultimately dictates the approach to the human person that will come under the care of the Creighton Model FertilityCare System.

Participant Responses:

- *Faculty was focused, supportive, motivating, patient, supportive, enthusiastic, encouraging, intelligent and helpful.*
- *Faculty provided support as needed to ensure we learned the material thoroughly and were available to us for assistance at all hours.*
- *Faculty was extremely knowledgeable and professional—great teachers who are able to transfer their knowledge in an understandable way!*
- *Faculty were well prepared, showed excitement and complete knowledge of all they presented. They did a wonderful job.*