# FertilityCare Practitioner Education Program Varroville, Sydney, 2024

EDUCATION PHASE I

July 2 to July 9, 2024

**EDUCATION PHASE II** 

February 4 to February 9, 2025

OFFERED BY:

Magnolia FertilityCare
Education Australia

#### **ACCREDITATION**

This program is awaiting approval for accreditation by the American Academy of FertilityCare Professionals (AAFCP). It adheres to the AAFCP Code of Ethics and provides students with the educational background to become eligible for AAFCP certification.

Register NOW!



#### PROGRAM PURPOSE

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

#### **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 require applicants to practice the Creighton Model FertilityCare System or, if celibate or postmenopausal, 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.



# **EDUCATION PHASE I**

is an eight-day program of total immersion 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

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

- 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 II:

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

### **EDUCATION PHASE II**

Scheduled for February, is a six-day course of advanced study, consisting of lectures, 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

#### 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 centre of FertilityCare Centers of Australasia to order Creighton Model client teaching materials.



#### PROGRAM FACULTY

**EDUCATOR:** 

Cathryn Marshall, RN, CFCP & CFCE

**Program Director** 

MEDICAL CONSULTANT:

Ciara Ross

MBBS, DIP CH, FRACGP, CFCMC



# **ACCOMMODATION**

- Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville, New South Wales
- All meals included. \$115 per person per day. Prices are subject to change as of July 1, 2024

# COSTS

- Application fee \$25 Payable with Application (non-refundable)
- Deposit of US\$550 required with acceptance to program (cover cost of textbooks and postage)
- Practitioner Tuition Fee \$5900 (Includes entire 13-month program supervision)
- Final Exam Fee US \$75 (plus postage)
- Practitioner Tuition Fees are payable by July 1, 2024.

#### **ADDITIONAL COSTS**

- On-Site Visit during Supervised Practicum II (supervisor transportation & lodging) will be billed to the student.
- Client teaching supplies: the estimated amount for teaching the required number of clients is \$490 (plus freight) - reimbursable back from clients.

# MEDICAL CONSULTANT PROGRAM

The CRMS Medical Consultant Program of the Saint Paul VI Institute for the Study of Human Reproduction is the ONLY Medical Consultant program accredited by the American Academy of Fertility Care Practitioners. This program is for General Practitioners, Obstetricians, Gynecologists, nurse practitioners, nurse midwives and pharmacists. IF you are interested in this program, please use this <a href="mailto:link.">link</a>.



# INFORMATION & APPLICATION MATERIALS

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# **APPLY NOW!**

Have some questions?

Make a time to talk.

HERE

Submit <u>applications</u> early to allow time for processing.

Application deadline:

June 1st, 2024

Applications received after
June 1, 2024
will be charged a late fee of
US\$200.

Course information

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