Providence Health Care offers Basic & Advance intensive units of Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) as well as a one year (4 units) Residency Program. Providence Health Care’s CPE is affiliated with the Vancouver School of Theology (VST) and meets the standards of the Canadian Association for Spiritual Care (CASC).

Normatively a unit is Monday to Friday from 0830 - 1630 hours, with some participation in an evening and weekend on-call rotation. A unit consists of total of 400 hours to be completed over a twelve (12) week period. Each unit involves 200 hours of class time and 200 hours in a clinical placement at one (1) of Providence Health Care’s eight (8) sites.

The Residency Program is a one (1) year program consisting of four (4) individual basic or advance units. Successful applicants will receive a stipend of $28,000.00 with a tuition fee of $8,000.00 (4 units @ $2,000.00 each) for a net stipend of $20,000.00. No employee benefits (e.g. medical, extended health) are provided. Four stipendiary positions are available each year.

All students are registered through VST and the tuition fee is payable to the Vancouver School of Theology. The tuition fee per unit is $2,000.00.

Clinical Pastoral Education Intensive Units:

- **2015 Fall Intensive Unit:**
  September 8 – November 27, 2015
  *Application due: Friday, July 10, 2015*

- **2015 - 2016 Winter Intensive Unit:**
  December 7, 2015 – February 26, 2016
  *Application due: Friday, October 2, 2015*

- **2016 Spring Intensive Unit:**
  March 7, 2016 – May 27, 2016
  *Application due: Friday, January 8, 2016*

- **2016 Summer Intensive Unit:**
  June 6, 2016 – August 26, 2016
  *Application due: Friday, April 1, 2016*

Clinical Pastoral Education Residency Program:

- **2016 Residency Program:**
  September 6, 2016 – September 1, 2017
  *Application due: Friday, April 28, 2016*

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