

Two-day Workshop on Application of Music Therapy Techniques in Group Counselling

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(Jul 15, 16, 2020)

Workshop description

It is well-known that music is a fantastic medium to express our feelings and reflect our inner self. Music is able to create a wonderful group atmosphere and unite the members in group counselling. However, counsellors, social workers and helping professionals find it difficult to use music in their counselling sessions because of their limited music and music therapy techniques. This course is to provide both theoretical foundation and practical techniques of music therapy for any helping professionals who are interested in applying music to enhance their group counselling quality for all ages of clients. This course does not have any musical prerequisite. We welcome all participants who are either musicians or non-musician without any musical background.

Objectives

Upon completion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Understand the creative and therapeutic use of percussion instruments;
- Understand the basic music therapy principle and its application;
- Design and lead a series of musical activities for group counselling.

Content

Upon completion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Music therapy principle
- Introduction to percussion and melodic instruments
- Creative methods on percussion instruments
- Basic piano accompaniment methods for non-musicians
- Musical activities for ice-breaking
- Musical activities for relationship building
- Singing and lyrics appreciation for inner-self expression
- Unconscious reflection through ocean drum
- Creative arts supported and contained by music
- Skills on designing and leading musical activities
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Target Participants

- Social workers
- Social work students
- Counsellors
- School counselling workers
- Helping professionals

Format

- Interactive lectures
- Group sharing and group discussion
- Demonstration of musical activities
- Experiential musical activities

Trainer

Dr. Ng Wai Man (PhD, MA, MA, PG Dip, Grad Dip, BSc, BMus) is a Registered Music Therapist (BAMT & HCPC, UK) and a Registered GIM Therapist (FAMI, US). He received formal music therapy training in England (Roehampton and ARU) and GIM training in Australia (Melbourne). He completed his PhD entitled 'The Application of Chinese Music and Chinese Yin-Yang Concept in Guided Imagery and Music' in 2018 from the University of Melbourne. He has been working as a music therapist at the Professional Music Therapy Centre for 16 years. He is also an experienced Adjunct Assistant Professor and Clinical Supervisor for the local universities and organizations to provide music therapy training and supervision for different helping professionals in Hong Kong.



WORKSHOP DETAILS

Course Code : CE20200715
Course Name : Two-day Workshop on Application of Music Therapy Techniques in Group Counselling
Date : Jul 15& 16, 2020
Time : 9:30 am - 6:00 pm
Venue : The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Language : Cantonese
Class Size : 30 participants
Course Fee : HK\$ 2,600
CPE Points for Registered Social Workers: 15

Discount Scheme (on or before May 20, 2020)

- **10%** (HK\$2,340) discount for Early Bird Registration
 - **20%** (HK\$2,080) discount for CUHK Department of Social Work's members (Current staff, current students, SWK Alumni Association members, or CPE members)
- [20% discount is applicable by POST only]**

Application Deadline: Jul 7, 2020

Application Methods

1. Send the following **application form with a crossed cheque payable to 'The Chinese University of Hong Kong'** to CPE, the Department of Social Work, CUHK, Shatin, N.T. Hong Kong.
OR
2. Register the workshop online via our website:
<https://web.swk.cuhk.edu.hk/en-gb/continuing-professional-education/programmes-information>

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Application Form

Full Name: (English) # Mr/Ms: _____ (中文): _____
Name of Organization: _____ Position: _____ Field: _____
Email: _____ Tel. No.: _____
Academic training background: _____ Highest educational level obtained: _____
RSW number (if applicable): _____

Payment Information

Please delete as appropriate

Please tick appropriate boxes

Cheque No. : _____ Bank name : _____ Amount : # HK\$2,600/ HK\$2,340/ HK\$2,080

Membership : No Yes, if Yes, #Staff ID/ Student ID/ Alumni Association membership ID/ CPE Membership No.: _____

Important Terms and Conditions

I acknowledge that I have read and agree to the above terms and conditions.

1. Application will be accepted on a first-come-first-served basis.
2. Email notification on application status will be sent to you only when application and payment have been received by the Division of Continuing Professional Education (CPE), please contact us if you do not receive any notification after 7 days.
3. Application is regarded as successful only after a confirmation email is issued to you.
4. Cancellation of course will be announced via email at least one week before the commencement of the course. No separate notification will be issued by post.
5. Course fee is non-refundable or non-transferable to another course once application is confirmed.
6. Receipt of course fee will be issued on the first day of the course and payment method will be indicated on the receipt.
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