



The Certificate in Clinical Practice

Your gateway to a career as a professional Therapist

The Certificate in Clinical Practice is the first level of certification for an aspiring professional NLP practitioner who wishes to develop their therapeutic, counselling or coaching skills.

At this level of working you are entering into a professional contract with a client. This is way beyond working with friends and family. This commercial relationship is reflected in the inclusion of formal supervision and professional indemnity insurance - both means ultimately for protecting your clients. You are also introduced to the formalities and protocols of managing a client relationship and the components of professional contracting, as well as issues regarding the ethical management of your marketing and business presentation.

Fundamental to all of this however, is the focus from the outset of the NLPtCA's Code of Practice, which is key to underpinning all decision making regarding the client relationship, personal conduct and participation in the field of therapy as a whole.

Are you ready to start your career as a professional NLP Therapist?

Do you want to offer a credible presence within a competitive marketplace?

Do you want to ensure that you are responsible for safe ethical practice?

Programme Outcomes

By the end of the three day programme, you will come away with:

- ★ a clear understanding of the demands of the NLPtCA Code of Ethics as it applies to your practice
- ★ a familiarity with the contracting process and the topics you are required to cover
- ★ an awareness of the process for ending a therapeutic relationship
- ★ an understanding of the role of the supervisor and the benefits you will gain from supervision
- ★ an understanding of the process for client referral
- ★ a familiarity with the business aspects of practice management to cover marketing and record keeping
- ★ a deeper commitment to taking your professional practice as a therapist to a higher level

What is The Certificate in Clinical Practice?

The Standards

This is a two-part programme comprising of an optional training element, which is delivered by experienced accredited NLPt Psychotherapist, and a competence-based programme of assessment delivered by your Supervisor, all determined by a set of thorough Standards of Competence.

You are provided with details of the underpinning knowledge and skills required to deliver this competence successfully.

The Training

It is recognised that those interested in pursuing a career in NLP applied therapy will have differing levels of NLP experience and training hours. Accordingly it is not essential for participants to attend the three day training workshop, provided you can fulfil the evidence requirements outlined in the Clinical Practice Standards. However, irrespective of previous experience, it is suggested that participation to a workshop is highly beneficial since it:

- ★ provides a forum for informed discussion
- ★ covers all the theoretical areas required for consideration at this level
- ★ broadens awareness and generates additional perspectives regarding practice
- ★ contributes to the Selection Process for acceptance onto the Psychotherapy Diploma in NTM.
- ★ and it also provides 20 training hours which can be added into the total pre-entry requirement of 240 hours.

Your Evidence

This evidence is part of your Diploma portfolio.

- ★ 20 hrs of Client Work
- ★ 5 hrs Supervision
- ★ 3 sets of client notes
- ★ Marketing materials, to include website pages
- ★ Client information materials
- ★ Personal Declaration signed and witnessed
- ★ Current Professional Indemnity Insurance

Please Note: For those candidates wishing to register for the full or only the first year of the Psychotherapy Diploma in NTM, this material has to be submitted four weeks prior to the start of the programme.

Eligibility

You are eligible to register for this programme if you:

- ★ have completed 200 hours of NLP training to Master Practitioner level.

Note: If you are short of NLP training hours, you might like to consider the **Introduction to NTM** training and assessment to bolster your knowledge base and meet entrance requirements.

Progression

You will be advised either by your Clinical Practice Trainer, or your supervisor, whether or not you are ready to undertake the rigorous post graduate level of the Psychotherapy Diploma in Neurolinguistic Therapeutic Modelling, provided you meet the eligibility and selection criteria.

Costs

- ★ **Training:** £450 (non refundable deposit £100)
- ★ **Accreditation of Prior Learning:** £150

Please Note: There will be a refund of £100 for those candidates who go on to register for the Psychotherapy Diploma for NTM.

Dates

- ★ London March 6-8
- ★ Edinburgh March 20-22
- ★ Bristol April 10-12
- ★ Lancashire April 15-17
- ★ Derby May 8-10
- ★ York July 9-11

Further Enquiries

To find out more about the programme, or to book onto any of the courses, check out our website and apply on line.

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