



The College of Metaphysical Studies

Spiritual/Intuitive (Psychic) Practitioner Standards for Graduation and Certification

Graduation and certification from this program is granted when you provide evidence of possessing the ability to sense, to understand, to interpret, and to use for practical purposes, a force that enters in and emanates out of the body and mind without the use of the five senses; force is sensed in the conscious mind and is projected out of same; ability can be accomplished through the strong emotion of desire, study, and practice or can be inborn and brought under control with practice. New Awareness Ministries International Psychic or Intuitive Practitioners are certified to perform, teach and practice the various specific phases and modes of psychism. All Intuitive Practitioners are bound by a high code of ethics to protect the confidence of the client. This evidence must be in addition to spending a certain length of time in training and completing designated course.

Evidence must emphasize spiritual, mental, and emotional maturity; devotion to a life-style of service to others; metaphysical, spiritual and intellectual clarity about the purpose and meaning of the metaphysical practitioner profession; and the demonstrated skills to work effectively with people, organize one's own life, and understand administrative responsibilities appropriate to your chosen field of service. Specific requirements are:

1. The satisfactory completion of a minimum of 80 credit hours. This includes the necessary internship of 12 credit hours (180 contact hours) to be performed during this period.
2. Any additional requirements that the faculty may assess as a result of reviews or conferences.
3. All work counted toward the hours required for graduation must be completed with the grade of E (excellent) or S (satisfactory).
4. Evidence of such metaphysical, spiritual, mental, and emotional maturity as will support the judgment, by the faculty, of your readiness and fitness as a metaphysical healing practitioner.
5. Recommendation of the faculty.

Graduation from the CMS Intuitive Practitioner program does not mean automatic certification as an Intuitive Psychic Practitioner. A student who successfully completes the prescribed course of study shall receive a certificate of completion for each course. Individual Intern Programs will be customized to the availability of each student by the CMS faculty advisor. Service hours performed will be converted to credit hours and entered on the official student transcript. (See Internship, Licensing and Ordination for Certification Programs.) The internship will include at least 180 contact hours of sitting in Intuitive development circles with a qualified medium approved by CMS, and testing for intuitive skills by a board of peers at the Clearwater, FL campus.

Objectives

To offer College of Metaphysical Studies students:

- a. Assistance in determining spiritual and metaphysical personal and career objectives.
- b. Opportunities to develop a sense of responsibility.
- c. Hands-on practical experience in the school of learning and the workplace.

Expectations

Students will be expected to:

- a. Apply concepts learned in holistic healing courses to practical client situations.
- b. Learn to recognize and adapt behavior and dress to identified professional norms.
- c. Expand professional skills by developing techniques and applying methods learned on site.
- d. Communicate appropriately and work effectively with supervisors, co-workers and others.
- e. Model ethical standards and behaviors.
- f. Demonstrate enthusiasm and willingness to give quality work.
- g. Seek and respond positively to suggestions for professional improvement.

It should be understood that the internship is designed to test "on site" skills of the student, to place the trainee in a situation requiring accountability. During the program the student should make monthly reports (or arrange monthly conferences) with their supervisor to assess progress. At the conclusion of the internship, the student is a candidate for certification as Intuitive "Psychic" Practitioner by CMS. Certification is not an honor automatically conferred after completing course work and the internship program. The quality of the candidate's work is assessed by CMS. An interview with candidates may be required before bestowing certification as Intuitive "Psychic" Practitioner, and CMS reserves the right to do so.