

LEVEL 4 DIPLOMA IN CHRISTIAN COUNSELLING

WHO IS THE COURSE FOR:

This two year part-time course is suitable for those wishing to:

- qualify and seek professional registration as a counsellor
- learn more advanced counselling skills (listening and responding) in helping roles such as pastoral support, teaching environments, health and social care professions
- further explore counselling theories
- complete a Diploma course that will enable successful students to practice as a qualified counsellor and register with ACC or BACP
- improve professional and personal relationships as capacity for empathy increases
- be compliant with the SCoPEd Framework working with the Partnership of Counselling and Psychotherapy Bodies (PCPB)

The course is open to all adults and is run at the Manna House Counselling Service based in the University of Northampton Innovation Centre in Northampton with easy access to parking and the train Station.

Beginning in Autumn 2027

September 2027

Tuesday Evenings

plus

One Saturday per month 09.30 am - 4.00 pm

FEES

The course fee is **£5,292**, this includes notes and registration with CPCAB. Course fees may be paid in full or by monthly installments as follows:

A **deposit of £292** is required with completed application forms, then **£250pcm for 20 months**

Please note all courses are run subject to sufficient student uptake in accordance with CPCAB requirements.

The deposit is non-refundable



AT A GLANCE SKILLS

- Advanced counselling skills
- Improve professional and personal relationships
- Leads to qualification as a professional counsellor
- And registration with ACC or BACP

TO APPLY:

- Training@mannahouse.org.uk
- 01604 633304
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Counselling Service



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ABOUT THE COURSE

The Counselling and Psychotherapy Central Awarding Body (CPCAB) have validated this recently revised and updated Diploma Training Course.

The Counselling approach used at the Manna House is based on the Five Circle Theory originating with the Waverley House (CWR) Training Centre. It is an holistic Christian integrative model that emphasizes the interconnectedness of different aspects of a person's life.

This comprehensive training course meets all the latest requirements and expectations of the professional counselling community and is compliant with the SCoPEd Framework.

In addition to teaching sessions, group work and directed discussions, there will be written criteria and presentations to complete and 100 hours direct work with clients as part of the counselling placement (see below).

It is an intensive training course and is physically, psychologically, emotionally, spiritually and financially demanding. To enroll as a student you will need to complete a written assessment and interview which usually takes place in June and July before the September start.

We follow Northamptonshire School term dates and students must attend at least 85% of the course to pass.

1. Qualifications needed?

Ideally students should have a degree or equivalent higher education qualification and will have successfully completed an accredited CPCAB Level 2 or Level 3 counselling course to qualify for acceptance. An interview and written assessment will be required prior to enrollment and you are therefore advised to make your application as soon as possible.

2. Counselling Placement

In year two each student must complete 100 hours of supervised counselling to obtain their final Diploma. Students can apply to the Manna House to do their clinical work here or organise an alternative placement. Students will need also to contract with a supervisor and pay for their own monthly supervision.

It is not an expectation of this course for students to be in counselling themselves.

On completing the placement, students can apply to work as a volunteer or paid sessional counsellor for the Manna House.

Please note, students have up to 12 months from the end of academic studies in which to complete their 100 hours placement.



KEY FACTS

- All training is delivered in-person
- Previous CPCAB Counselling Training is expected at Level 2 and/or Level 3
- A CPCAB Accredited course
- Compliant with SCoPEd Framework
- Costs £5,292
- Non-refundable Deposit required with application
- 420 hours guided learning hours
- The Manna House is in Northampton town centre with easy access to parking and the train station
- Students can apply for student membership with ACC or BACP
- Leads to qualification and registration as a Christian Integrative Counsellor

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