

COUNSELOR QUESTIONNAIRE

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1. What are your areas of counseling experiences and / or expertise?

Individual and couple therapy, including (but not limited to):

- a. Spiritual issues
 - b. Marital and pre-marital counseling
 - c. Men's issues
 - d. Adjust to changes in life
 - e. Decrease feelings of sadness, depression, or loneliness
 - f. Lower anxiety and worry
 - g. Cope with stress or overwhelming emotions
 - h. Discuss relationship problems with significant others, friends or family
 - i. Discuss low feelings of self-esteem
 - j. Cope with death and illness
- ## 2. What payments options will you consider?
- A standard fee. Contact me to see what can be worked out for a sliding fee scale if needed, based on your household income.

3. Do you work with all insurance companies?

I don't work with insurance companies.

4. Do you provide educational counseling that teaches specific skills?

Woven into my counseling practice is an educational component, including such things as learning about healthy mind, body and spirit, healthy relationships, new ways of coping with stress, illness, struggle, death, etc.

5. Are you a member of a religious organization?

Ordained LCMS clergy (rostered), and member of University Lutheran Chapel, Ann Arbor, MI.

6. What is your professional training / background? To what professional associations do you belong?

M.Div. Pastoral Theology

M.A. Counseling

Lutheran Teacher Diploma

B.A. Elem. & Jr. High Teacher

Ordained Clergy

Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, M

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

Concordia University, Ann Arbor, MI

Saginaw Valley State University, Saginaw, MI

Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (in good standing since June 2008)

Teacher Certification	Michigan Continuing Certificate for K-8, with school counselor endorsement
Nationally Certified Counselor	Nationally Board Certified Counselor #264962 (in good standing since December 2010)
Licensed Professional Counselor	LPC MI license #6401002902 (in good standing since June 1992) LPC MO license #2011015334 (in good standing since December 2010)
American Association of Pastoral Counselors	Fellow level membership #113557 (in good standing since February 2011)
Specialized Pastoral Ministry	Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (in good standing since June 2010)

7. Is there any other information that would be helpful?