



## **ASSOCIATION OF CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION**



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## Document Development

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### Acknowledgements

The development of this Annual Report has been guided by the Association of Clinical Practice Education, Ireland. (ACPE (I) Ltd)

### Philosophy and Values

The Philosophy of CPE process is guided by the Values of Respect, Affirmation, Challenge and Inclusivity

### Purpose

The purpose of ACPE (Ireland) Ltd is to educate people of faith in competencies in the assessment and delivery of Spiritual Care in a supervised experiential setting so that they become professionally competent in the delivery of effective Spiritual Care in a multi- cultural Ireland.

## Developments achieved in 2017

- In September 2017 ACPE (Ireland) Ltd was added to the Register of Compliant Bodies under the Governance Code
- ACPE (Ireland) Ltd undertook a number of discussions with fellow world-wide Associations. In April 2017 a mutual recognition of CPE Programmes was agreed with New Zealand Association for Clinical Pastoral Education Inc.
- The standards of ACPE (Ireland) Ltd. have been reviewed and updated with new innovations including a Five Year Active Supervisor Peer Review Process.
- The Standards of ACPE (Ireland) Ltd have been added to the Website.
- Discussions have been on-going with the bodies charged with the Accrediting of Healthcare Chaplains within Ireland - Healthcare Chaplaincy Board and the Chaplaincy Accreditation Board
- Direct involvement continues with the All Ireland CPE Accreditation Board (AICAB)

## Activity of the CPE Centres in Ireland

### Cork University Hospital, Wilton, Cork.



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Units	There were 12 Level 1 Intern Student Chaplains on the CPE Units in Cork University Hospital in 2017

### St. Luke's Home Education Centre, Mahon, Cork.



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Units	There were six Intern Student Chaplains all at Level 1; there was one Supervisor-in- Training in 2017.

### St. Vincent's University Hospital, Elm Park, Dublin 4.



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E-mail	Please contact <a href="mailto:catherinemkeenan@gmail.com">catherinemkeenan@gmail.com</a> for information.  No Units took place at St Vincent's University Hospital in 2017

## The Mater Hospital Eccles Street Dublin 7



Director	Dr. Myriam Massabó
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Courses	Three per year beginning in September, January and April/May
Units	Six Intern Student Chaplains took part in the CPE Unit in January- March, six in April – July and six in September – December in 2017. All were at Level 1.

## St. John of God Hospital, Stillorgan. Co. Dublin.



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Units	One Unit took place in 2017 from September – December. There were four Intern Student Chaplains all at Level 1 and one Supervisor – in – Training

## **Goals for the coming twelve months**

- Review and update the Policies of ACPE (Ireland) Ltd
- Begin Peer Reviews and re-Accreditation of Supervisors
- Continue the work of reciprocity with oversea Clinical Pastoral/ Spiritual Education Bodies.
- Certification of a new CPE Supervisor.
- Continuation of CPE Programmes
- Establishment of a Continuous Professional Development Pastoral Programme for Healthcare Professionals.