

## EDUCATIONAL SKILL REQUIREMENTS

Pastoral Counseling

Subspecialty 1440

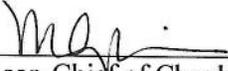
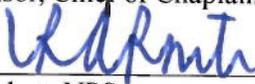
974 Program

1. Curriculum Number: 974
2. Curriculum Length in Months: 9-12
3. GRE/GMAT Required: Depending upon admission requirements
4. The officer will be expected to:
  - a. Understand and communicate factors in and contributors to stress experienced by service members and their families in areas including pre-deployment, post-deployment, and during deployment, as well as, adjusting to life in the military, strains on marriage and parenting, among others.
  - b. Understand how personality develops and the part it plays in counseling.
  - c. Understand and show facility in navigating group dynamics.
  - d. Gain requisite skills in interpersonal counseling for the following demographic groups within a command.
5. The officer must understand the fundamental concepts and be familiar with the basic functional areas of Pastoral Counseling within the Department of the Navy (DON) and the DoD including:
  - a. ESR-1: Pastoral Counseling for Families
  - b. ESR-2: Pastoral Counseling in Hospital Settings
  - c. ESR-3: Clinical Pastoral Education
  - d. ESR-4: Pastoral Counseling in Health of Force Issues
  - e. ESR-5: Pastoral Counseling for Single Parents
  - f. ESR-6: Pastoral Counseling for Single Service Members
  - g. ESR-7: Pastoral Counseling for Grief and Crisis
  - h. ESR-8: Personality Development
  - i. ESR-9: Developmental Theory
  - j. ESR-10: Group Dynamics
6. Approved Schools List (for CIVINS Programs):
  - a. Duke Divinity School

- b. Princeton Theological Seminary
- c. Trinity Evangelical Divinity School
- d. University of San Diego

7. Major Area Sponsor and Subject Matter Experts

- a. Major Area Sponsor: RADM Margaret G. Kibben, Chief of Chaplains (N097)
- b. Subject Matter Expert: CDR Robert Jones, Branch Head Chaplain Corps Training and Education

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