



TACHERIA

Interfaith Spirituality Center

Practicum Component Description

The Practicum Course consists of a total of 13 two-hour classes and peer supervision sessions divided into Two Parts.

The First Part is Educational:

- **January-March educational spiritual direction components** focusing on personalizing, marketing, and establishing a spiritual direction practice. (includes reading and home study)
- **April-May practice spiritual direction sessions.** During the April-May time period, students find and complete student practicum paperwork with 1-3 (2 is optimal) clients from their spiritual communities and/or extended family and social groups. (Immediate family and close friends are not suggested.)

The Second Part is Experiential and consists of holding sessions with Student Practicum Clients and attending monthly 2-hour Peer or Individual Supervision sessions:

- **Meeting with 1 or 2 (3 maximum) clients a total of 20 times** (so, for example, if two (2) clients, meeting 10 times each)
- **Participating in Spiritual Direction Supervision – June-January (with one summer month off).** May choose either: (1) To contract with an individual Spiritual Direction Supervisor listed as a supervisor on SDI website (sdicompanions.org) with cost of supervision paid by student / OR (2) May participate in Group Peer Supervision with your student cohort facilitated by a qualified spiritual direction group facilitator and an experienced spiritual director/graduate of Tacheria/Wisdom's Way schools (group is free of charge).