

## Family Therapy with Psychiatric Patients (Fall 2024)

**Join our course designed specifically for psychiatrists and mental health professionals!**

The course consists of eight didactic lectures and two live case demonstration sessions. It aims to introduce how family therapy can be applied to a range of mental health problems presented in children, adolescents and adults. Videos from live sessions will be used extensively to illustrate the assessment and treatment process in linking the presenting symptom to family dynamics.

The course will show the difference in handling a range of behavioral and emotional problems that is handled in the family context as compared to handling them individually. Segments from live family interviews will be used to demonstrate this specific approach. This course will be taught by our faculty members, Drs. Irene Kam and Dickson Chow.

*Participants are expected to have clinical experience in working with psychiatric patients.*

### Course Dates:

**Didactic class:** 8 sessions, beginning 29 October, 2024 (Tuesdays | 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm)

**Live Case Demonstration:** TWO live case demonstrations sessions led by Wai-Yung Lee, Ph.D.  
(Saturdays | 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm)

### Course Fee:

Members: \$4,300 (Early-bird: \$4,050)

Non-member: \$4,500 (Early-bird \$4,300)

**Early-bird deadline: 28 September, 2024**

### Venue:

Asian Academy of Family Therapy, No. 4 Pottinger Street, Central

### Course Coordinator:

Dr. Kam Wai Kwok, Irene

### Topics\*:

29 October      Introductory session  
05 November   Childhood emotional and behavioral problems  
12 November   Suicidal behaviors  
19 November   Psychosomatic disorders  
26 November   Obsessive-compulsive disorder  
03 December   Depression and anxiety  
10 December   Bipolar and psychotic disorders  
17 December   Concluding session

*\*Dates and topics are subject to change\**

*\*\* CME points maybe awarded for practicing doctors (subject to the approval of relevant bodies) \*\**

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# Application Form

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### Personal Information

Name of Applicant: (Mr./Ms./Mrs./Dr./Prof.) \_\_\_\_\_

Work/ Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax. No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ AAFT Membership No. (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Bank: \_\_\_\_\_ Cheque no.: \_\_\_\_\_

### Education

Highest Degree Acquired: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Attained: \_\_\_\_\_

Institute: \_\_\_\_\_

### PROFESSION (PLEASE "✓" AND DELETE AS APPROPRIATE)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Doctor-Specialization: _____              | <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse-Specialization: _____         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Therapist / Speech Therapist | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatrist                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Worker                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Clinical / educational Psychologist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Counselor                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Research Assistant / Officer              | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Guidance Officer / Teacher  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student – Area of Study: _____            | <input type="checkbox"/> Others (Please specify: _____)      |

### Working Experience

Current Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of Service: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Total no. of years of work experience in current field:

### Please indicate the dates of TWO live case demonstration sessions you prefer:

- 2 Nov 2024     16 Nov 2024     30 Nov 2024     14 Dec 2024     4 Jan 2025     18 Jan 2025

### HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT US?

- Website     Email     Leaflet     Friends     Schools     Newspaper
- Social Service Agency     Others, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Please send your application form together with a crossed cheque (payable to "Asian Academy of Family Therapy Limited") to Asian Academy of Family Therapy, No.4 Pottinger Street, Central, Hong Kong
- Successful applicants will be notified once the application has been approved.
- Course fee is non-refundable and non-transferable unless the applicant's enrolment is unsuccessful or if the course is cancelled.
- No make-up class will be arranged for applicants who are unable to attend the class.
- Receipt and course time-table will be distributed on the first day of class and a "Certificate of Attendance" will be given to participants with 80% attendance or above.
- Personal Data provided in this form will be used for processing your application for registration, academic, administrative and statistical purposes only. Under the provisions of the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance, applicants have rights to request access to, and to request the correction of, their personal data.
- If you do not wish to receive any information from us, please tick this box.