

Program Curriculum and Content Evaluation Form

Program Title

Introduction for Purpose

Directions: In the column next to the competency write in the course in the program of study that you are evaluating that addresses the competency to the left. In the second column, write the dates, times, and locations in which that course will be offered.

Core Certification Standard One: Personal and Spiritual Maturity

A lay ecclesial minister demonstrates personal and spiritual maturity in ministry with the people of God.

Standard and Competency	Course(s) Covering this Competency	Dates, Times, and Locations
1.1 Call of the Holy Spirit		
1.2 Personal gifts and challenges		
1.3 Commitment to the Gospel		
1.4 Current realities in light of Gospel		
1.5 Integrated spirituality		
1.6 Relate to diversity		
1.7 Life long formation		

Core Certification Standard Two: Lay Ecclesial Ministry Identity

A lay ecclesial minister identifies the call to formal and public ministry as a vocation rooted in baptism.

Standard and Competency	Course(s) Covering this Competency	Dates, Times, and Locations
2.1 Ministerial goals		
2.2 Support System		
2.3 Personal Vocation		
2.4 Model leadership on Christ		
2.5 Identify ministry with universal Church		

Core Certification Standard Three: Roman Catholic Theology

A lay ecclesial minister integrates knowledge of Roman Catholic faith within ministry.

Standard and Competency	Course(S) Covering this Competency	Dates, Times, and Locations
3.1 Theology of revelation		
3.2 Theology of God, Trinity, Jesus Christ and human person		
3.3 Theology of Church		
3.4 Theology of Liturgy and Worship		
3.5 Theology of Sacrament		
3.6 Theology of Pastoral Ministry		
3.7 Morality and Catholic Social Teaching		
3.8 Theology of Catholic Spirituality		
3.9 Ecumenism		

Core Certification Standard Four: Pastoral Praxis

A lay ecclesial minister engages in pastoral activity that promotes evangelization, faith formation, community, and pastoral care with sensitivity to diverse situations.

Standard and Competency	Course(S) Covering this Competency	Dates, Times, and Locations
4.1 Implements principles of pastoral care		
4.2 Implements principles of evangelization		
4.3 Appreciates diverse cultures in community		
4.4 Fosters multicultural faith experiences		
4.5 Integrates family perspective		
4.6 Empowers others to develop own faith		

Standard and Competency	Course(S) Covering this Competency	Dates, Times, and Locations
4.7 Understands history, vision, goals and principles of YM		
4.8 Utilizes theories, models and process of YM		
4.9 Understands adolescent development in context of youth culture		
4.10.1 Components of youth ministry: Catechesis		
4.10.2 Components of youth ministry: Creating Community		
4.10.3 Component of youth ministry: Evangelization		
4.10.4 Component of youth ministry: Justice and Service.		
4.10.5 Component of youth ministry: Pastoral Care		
4.10.6 Component of youth ministry: Prayer and Worship		
4.10.7 Components of youth ministry: Advocacy		
4.10.8 Components of youth ministry: Leadership Development		

Core Certification Standard Five: Professional Practice

A lay ecclesial minister provides effective leadership, administration, and service, in the spirit of collaboration.

Standard and Competency	Course(S) Covering this Competency	Dates, Times, and Locations
5.1 Utilizes leadership skills		
5.2 Proficiency in organization and administration		
5.3 Professional code of ethics		
5.4 Work with parish and diocesan structures		
5.5 Models collaboration		
5.6 Spirit of discipleship		