

## The Dr. John Townsend Counselor Training Program

In today's challenging counseling world, those in the helping roles are looking for new skills to help counselees in ways that are effective and transformational. Psychologist, best-selling author and leadership coach John Townsend, Ph.D. , brings you the Counselor Training Program (CTP), a unique approach to counselor training which produces next-level, observable results. You and a select team will personally work with Dr. Townsend one full day a month for a year, in this one-of-a-kind program. It is only available in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dr. Townsend has written or co-written 26 books on healing and growth, selling over 5 million copies, including the 2 million best-seller *Boundaries*. With Dr. Henry Cloud, he founded and ran their inpatient and outpatient healthcare system in 30 locations for 10 years, as well as the One-Week-Intensive Counselor Training Program. For 20 years, he has helped millions to resolve emotional and relational struggles. He holds 3 clinical licenses, and is Clinical Director of the American Association of Christian Counselors.

In the CTP, you will learn:

- The principles and research for this unique therapeutic model
- How to use differential diagnostics to identify the underlying character issues driving psychological and relational struggles
- Techniques of providing both symptom relief and structural change
- How to grow personally in the principles and techniques you experience
- An accelerated way to resolve treatment-resistant issues which hinder growth

There are several unique aspects to the CTP experience:

- Dr. Townsend's lectures on his model of therapy
- Intensive process groups personally led by Dr. Townsend and associate, therapist Scott Makin, in which you will experience the principles which will add to your own competency
- Personal coaching time, with Dr. Townsend and Scott Makin
- Case presentations and best practice business presentations which will enhance and deepen your own efficacy
- Continuing education hours approved by the National Board for Certified Counselors for your licensure requirements (pending)

The CTP will launch in January 2012. We are currently calendaring dates and the Indianapolis location. Team selection will be limited to 20 members, and will be based on mutual best-fit interviews with Scott Makin. Invitations will be issued in September.

Experience the next level of training and growth you are after. For questions or an interview, contact:

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