



# ✨ Certificate in Pastoral Care and Christian Counselling – Level 5

*Talent Eye Training Institute (TETI) – Empowering Dreams, Nurturing Faith*

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## 🌀 Philosophy of the Program

The **Certificate in Pastoral Care and Christian Counselling** is a **Competency-Based TVET program** that equips learners with foundational knowledge and practical skills to provide **faith-based counselling and pastoral care**. The program integrates **biblical principles, spiritual formation, and professional counselling techniques** to prepare graduates for effective ministry and service in churches, schools, hospitals, prisons, and communities.

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## 🎯 Goal of the Program

- To develop learners' capacity for **compassionate and ethical Christian counselling**
  - To equip learners with **biblical and theological foundations** for pastoral care
  - To train graduates who can support individuals, families, and communities in times of **crisis, grief, and spiritual need**
  - To strengthen the role of **Christian leaders and counsellors** in promoting healing, reconciliation, and holistic well-being
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## 📚 Expected Learning Outcomes

### 🧠 Knowledge

- Foundations of **Pastoral Theology and Christian Counselling**

- **Biblical and theological approaches** to counselling
- **Human growth and development** from a Christian perspective
- Principles of **grief counselling, crisis intervention, and trauma healing**
- **Ethics in pastoral care and counselling**
- The role of the **Church and faith-based organizations** in community care

## ✂ Skills

- Providing **spiritual guidance and prayer ministry**
- Conducting **pastoral visits and hospital chaplaincy**
- Applying **basic counselling techniques** in Christian ministry
- Offering **family and marriage counselling** from a biblical perspective
- Facilitating **support groups and Bible-based therapeutic sessions**
- Communicating effectively with **sensitivity, empathy, and professionalism**

## 🎓 Competences

- Serve as **faith-based counsellors** within churches, NGOs, schools, or hospitals
- Integrate **scripture and psychology** in counselling practice
- Demonstrate **Christian ethics and pastoral integrity**
- Promote **healing, hope, and reconciliation** within communities
- Build networks for **faith-based disaster response and community outreach**



## Assessment Procedures

- **Internal Assessment:** Class participation, role plays, case studies, and reflective journals
  - **External Assessment:** Conducted by **TVET CDACC**
  - **Portfolio of Evidence:** Counselling practice reports, supervised pastoral placements, and group projects
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## Accreditation

This program is accredited and recognized by:

- **TVETA**
  - **TVET CDACC**
  - **KNQA**
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## Admission Requirements

- KCSE mean grade **D (plain)** or higher
  - Equivalent qualifications as recognized by **KNQA**
  - Pastoral or ministry experience is an added advantage
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## Intakes

- **January | May | September**
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## Mode of Delivery

- **Face-to-Face Training** (lectures, role plays, ministry placements)
  - **Blended Learning** (theory online, practicum in churches/ministries)
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## Course Duration

- **1 academic year (2 semesters)**
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## Career Pathways

Graduates may serve as:

- **Pastoral Care Assistants**
- **Lay Counsellors in Churches and Ministries**
- **School Chaplaincy Assistants**
- **Community Outreach Workers**
- **Hospital and Prison Chaplaincy Assistants**


Progression to:


- **Diploma in Pastoral Counselling**
- **Diploma in Marriage and Family Therapy**
- **Diploma in Counselling Psychology**

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