

KETAMINE INFUSION THERAPY for MOOD DISORDERS



INTENSIVE 3-DAY TRAINING COURSE FOR CLINICIANS

A BREAKTHROUGH THERAPY FOR THE TREATMENT OF MAJOR DEPRESSION AND RELATED DISORDERS



What The NIH Says About Ketamine

National Institutes of Health

> "Recent data suggest that ketamine, given intravenously, may be the most important breakthrough in antidepressant treatment in decades"...

Thomas Insel, MD – Director, National Institute of Mental Health

KETAMINE INFUSION THERAPY for MOOD DISORDERS A COMPREHENSIVE COURSE AND WORKSHOP FOR CLINICIANS

FROM THE KETAMINE RESEARCH INSTITUTE

On behalf of the Ketamine Institute, it is our privilege and pleasure to invite you to attend this Intensive Course and Workshop for Clinicians - Ketamine Infusion Therapy for the Treatment of Mood Disorders. This course is offered three times per year and attendance is limited and conducted in small group format to insure an active and engaged learning environment. The course provides a unique opportunity for hands-on learning of the basic principles, standards of use, and potential applications of ketamine infusion therapy. It is based upon input and requests from practicing clinicians and represents a cutting-edge educational program in a breakthrough treatment modality for the rapid and effective treatment of common mood disorders.

Acceptance

Acceptance into the program is not automatic upon application. It is based upon professional training and current practice environment, the intended use of this treatment modality, administrative support for ketamine therapy, geographic location, and timely receipt of the application and required documents. Your application should contain, in addition to the attached registration form:

Resume of formal training, including ketamine infusion therapy, if any; A thoughtful statement of plans (at least two paragraphs) for your use of ketamine therapy; Photocopy of your current, active professional license.

The completed registration form and documentation should be submitted along with the full tuition fee to us by email at <u>restore@ketamineinstitute.com</u> or by fax at 850-602-9013. Please apply early in order to reserve your space and receive the preparatory reading material well in advance of the program. Each scheduled course will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

Note: Applicants will be admitted in the order in which their applications are received. Once a course is full, additional applicants will be added to a wait list and given the opportunity to register for the following course. In the past, this course has reached maximum enrollment months before its start date. For more information or to inquire about registration, please contact Gerald W. Grass, MD at restore@ketamineinstitute.com.

Cost and Accommodations

Tuition for the 3-day, 6 module, Intensive Ketamine Infusion Therapy course is \$8,950.00 USD for physicians/clinicians and \$4950.00 USD for the 4 module, 2-day course for Nurses/Psychologists/Therapists. **Prices are subject to change** Accommodations are not included; however, a discounted rate is available for a limited number of rooms at various partner hotels in our area.

Cancellation Policy

Ketamine Research Institute reserves the right to cancel the course or any of its dinical units, and to change the dates or venue of the units. If a dinical unit is canceled or rescheduled, you must be available to attend an alternate unit. A full refund can be given if the course is canceled, discontinued, or rescheduled. A minimum service charge of \$300 is withheld from all other refunds. Requests for refund must be in writing and postmarked by two weeks before the start of the course after which time tuition is not refundable.



DAY 1

A COMPREHENSIVE COURSE AND WORKSHOP FOR CLINICIANS

	A New Way of Looking at The Treatment of Mood Disorders
	REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST
~	Introduction – Gerald W. Grass, MD
	Are Conventional Antidepressants Obsolete?
DU	Ketamine - A Master Molecule for Rapid Improvement in Mood Disorders
MODULE	The Human Connectome Project and How It Impacts Mood Disorder Treatment
<u> </u>	Ketamine as a form of Multimodal Neuromodulation Therapy
	Why You Should Perform Ketamine Infusions

Question and Answer Session

BREAK AND PARTICIPATANT MEETING

The Current Scientific Evidence Supporting Ketamine Therapy

What is Ketamine – The Strange History of CI 581

Summary of the Current Scientific Evidence for Ketamine Therapy Part 1

MODULE 2

Summary of the Current Scientific Evidence for Ketamine Therapy Part 2

Pharmacodynamics and Pharmacokinetics Aspects of Ketamine Therapy

Beyond the Pharmacological Effects of Ketamine – Transpersonal Perspectives

Research into other Ketamine Like Compounds – Will They Be Effective?

Should You Consider Incorporating Other Psychedelic Agents in Your Practice?

Question and Answer Session



DAY 2

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MODULE 3	Practical Clinical Aspects of Ketamine Therapy			
	How to Choose the Right Person and Right Condition for Ketamine Therapy			
	Medical Records, Labs, and Prior Treatments – What's Important and What is Not			
	Contraindications to Ketamine-Based Therapy – When to be Very Careful			
	Medicolegal Concerns about Off Label Use of Ketamine - Translating Regulatory Guidelines and Policies into Clinical Practice			
	The Best Way to Administer Ketamine: Intravenous vs. Intramuscular vs Oral/Na administration – When to Consider Alternative Routes of Administration			
	Is Ketamine Abuse and Substance Dependence An Issue			
	Question and Answer Session			

Ketamine Center Tour and Familiarization with Layout and Equipment

BREAK

The Ketamine Infusion Protocol and Procedure

Pre-Procedure Assessment and Documentation Requirements

Equipment Requirements Necessary for Providing Ketamine Safely

MODULE 4

Fundamentals of Anesthesia Monitoring and Intravenous Therapy

Prepare to provide an infusion/Personal Ketamine Experience

Patient Monitoring Requirements for Infusion Therapy

Adverse Effects Associated with Ketamine and How to Manage Them Effectively.

Post Procedure Observation and Interview

Question and Answer Session



DAY 3

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MODULE 5	Optimizing Outcomes and Expanding Indications for Ketamine Therapy		
	Optimizing Serum Concentration for Maximal Benefit – Metabolism and Genetics Special consideration for serum concentrations specific for KAP therapy		
	Medications, Metabolism and Genetics = Make or Break Treatment Outcomes		
	Treating Complicated Patients with Mood Disorders Psilocybin, LSD, DMT and Ayahuasca – may have lost their magic		
	How to Monitor Treatment Effectiveness and Outcomes – Make Sure What You Are Doing Is Working		
	Beyond the Recognized Benefits of Ketamine – The Master Molecule		
	The Expanding Indications for Ketamine Therapy – More Clinical Uses for Ketamine Are Coming		
	Is Ketamine really a "Dissociative" Medication - Or is it More "Psychedelic" than Psilocybin or LSD?		

SPECIAL SECTION: Ketamine Infusion Practicum/Personal Ketamine Experience

Establishing A Ketamine Therapy Program in Your Existing Practice Setting

Establishing A Ketamine Therapy Program Without Hiring New Staff

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Creating A Scalable Infusion Program for New and Existing Patients

What are the costs involved in Ketamine Therapy and How to Make It More Affordable for Patients?

Recommendations for Space, Supplies, Equipment, and Vendors

Educating Colleagues, Patients, and Referral Sources about the Benefits of Ketamine-Based Therapy.

Ketamine Institute Mentoring Program

Final Thoughts, Questions and Answer Session



REGISTRATION APPLICATION

A COMPREHENSIVE COURSE AND WORKSHOP FOR CLINICIANS

REGISTRANT INFORMATION IMPORTANT. Please answer all the questions:	NAME	(FIRST)	(MIDDLE INITIAL)	(LAST)	
MEDICAL DEGREE:	ORGANIZATION				
□ MD/DO □ RN □ Ph.D. □ LCSW/Other	ADDRESS 1				
PRIMARY SPECIALTY CERTIFICATION:					
 Psychiatry Neurology Anesthesiology 	ADDRESS 2		STATE	ZIP	
□ Other			STATE		
PRACTICE LOCATION:			E N X		
 Office based – Solo Practice Office based – Group Practice Government/Military 	PHONE		FAX		
Academic/Hospital based	E-MAIL				
Return completed form and additional requested documentation to:					
Ketamine Research Institute 5741 Bee Ridge Rd. – Suite 560 Sarasota, FL 34233 or Fax to 850-602-9013.	PAYMENT METHOD (PLEASE CHECK ONE) - Clinician Tuition \$8,950.00 USD, Nurse/Psychologist/Therapist \$4,950.00 USD.				
	□ MASTERC	ARD 🗆 VISA	AMERICAN EXPRESS		
For additional information about ketamine and its role in mood					
disorders, please see our website at:	CREDIT CARD	NUMBER	SECURITY CODE	EXP DATE	
KETAMINE INSTITUTE	NAME ON CA	ARD			
www.ketamineinstitute.com 800-850-6979	AUTHORIZED	SIGNATURE			



ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

As Director of the Ketamine Institute and speaking from the perspective of twenty years of academic and clinical practice with ketamine therapy, I would like to tell you why my colleagues and I think that this program is the finest learning opportunity for clinicians to acquire the knowledge and skillset necessary for this new and exciting therapy.

Ketamine Infusion Therapy for Clinicians is the only coordinated and comprehensive training program in the use of ketamine therapy for clinicians in North America. The program is comprehensive in that its teaching content is not restricted to theory or academic interest but grounded in 20 years of clinical practice. All major aspects of ketamine therapy that have practical clinical value are represented in the program. The teaching approach stresses contemporary medicine and bioscience yet addresses the full translational medicine and transpersonal aspects of ketamine therapy as derived from clinical and basic science research.

Over the years, I have had the privilege and pleasure to constantly revise and refine this program after presenting it in many venues including academic centers, hospitals, and government organizations to physicians, residents, and fellows. We are dedicated to ensuring that every student completing the course is competent in this new discipline and ready to incorporate it into practice. There is no other course in the country that invests as much attention and energy in each student. We are satisfied that we have created the gold standard in ketamine infusion therapy training.

Gerald W. Grass, M.D. Medical Director, Ketamine Institute

Advantages of This Program

The intensive, small group Ketamine Infusion Therapy Training Course is offered three times per year and class size is limited to usually **only three participants**. All classes are held in the Ketamine Institute so that participants will have the opportunity to see the working environment in which ketamine therapy takes place. This ensures that each clinician will have first-hand experience and maximal opportunity to work directly with me on a one-to-one basis to facilitate the learning experience.

The course content is comprehensive and integrated. It systematically embraces all major aspects of ketamine therapy and emphasizes the incorporation of ketamine therapy into contemporary professional practice. Each learning module is anchored to pragmatic applications and realistic clinical situations seen in daily practices. We enjoy teaching, and we want our students to enjoy learning. The format of the program is convenient for the busy practitioner wanting to assimilate a new discipline with multimedia learning with lecture, reading, video demonstration, and supervised hands-on experience.

Mentoring, intermediate and advanced clinical programs are offered at various times by the Ketamine Institute to graduates of this program.

