

# KETAMINE INFUSION THERAPY for MOOD DISORDERS







"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

A Practical 3-Day Intensive "Mini-Fellowship" Approach to — Optimized Ketamine Infusion Therapy for Mood Disorders

"It is our opinion that no other ketamine infusion training center or course in the world can provide this level of expertise and experience."

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#### 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.

This 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 physicians 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 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 weekend. 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 several 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 Intensive Ketamine Infusion Therapy course is \$8,950.00 USD. \*\*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 clinical units, and to change the dates or venue of the units. If you are not accepted into the course a full refund of the tuition is given. If a clinical 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 weekend 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                                 |
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|        | REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST  |
| _      | Introduction – <b>Gerald W. Grass, MD</b>   |
| Щ.     | Are Conventional Antidepressants Obsolete?  |
| MODULE | Ketamine - A New Agent for Rapid Improvement in Mood Disorders                          |
| 9      | The Human Connectome Project and How It Impacts Mood Disorder Treatment                 |
| _      | Ketamine as Multimodal Neuromodulation Therapy  |
|        | Why You Should Perform Ketamine Infusions/Adding "Psychedelic" Therapy to Your Practice |
|        | Question and Answer Session   |

## BREAK AND PARTICIPATANT MEETING

|          | The Current Scientific Evidence Supporting Ketamine Therapy                 |
|----------|---|
| MODULE 2 | What is Ketamine – The Strange History of CI 581                            |
|          | Repurposing an Old Drug – 50+ Years of Clinical Use                         |
|          | Overview of the Current Scientific Evidence for Ketamine Therapy Parts 1&2  |
|          | Comparison of Ketamine Therapy vs. Standard Treatment, ECT and rTMS         |
|          | Unique Pharmacodynamics and Pharmacokinetics Aspects of Ketamine Therapy    |
|          | Research into other ketamine like compounds – will they be effective?       |
|          | Beyond the Pharmacological Effects of Ketamine – Transpersonal Perspectives |
|          | Question and Answer Session   |
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## DAY 2 A COMPREHENSIVE COURSE AND WORKSHOP FOR CLINICIANS

|              | Practical Clinical Aspects of Ketamine Therapy                                |
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|              | How to choose the right person and condition for ketamine-based therapy       |
| )<br> <br> - | Medical Records, labs, and prior treatments – What's Important and What's Not |
|              | Contraindications to Ketamine Therapy   |
| )            | Medicolegal concerns about off label use of ketamine                          |
|              | Translating Regulatory Guidelines and Policies into Clinical Practice         |
|              | Intravenous vs. Intramuscular vs Oral/Nasal administration -                  |
|              | Is Ketamine Abuse and Substance Dependence An Issue                           |
|              | Question and Answer Session   |

## Practical Experience Administering the Ketamine Infusion

A unique aspect of the Ketamine Research Institute program is that clinicians who undertake the intensive training are also provided with the opportunity to experience a ketamine infusion first-hand to fully understand this remarkably versatile medication's unique psychological benefits and therapeutic potential.

| The Ketamine Infusion Protocol and Procedure                                 |
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| Pre-Procedure Assessment and Documentation Requirements                      |
| Equipment Requirements Necessary for Providing Ketamine Safely               |
| 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** A COMPREHENSIVE COURSE AND WORKSHOP FOR CLINICIANS

|        | Optimizing Outcomes and Expanding Indications for Ketamine Therapy   |  |  |  |  |
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|        | Optimizing Serum Concentration for Maximal Benefit – Metabolism and Genetics Special consideration for serum concentrations specific for KAP therapy |  |  |  |  |
| E 5    | Mass, Medications, Metabolism and Genetics = make or break the treatment   |  |  |  |  |
| MODULE | Treating Complicated Patients with Mood Disorders<br>Psilocybin, LSD, DMT and Ayahuasca – may have lost their magic                                  |  |  |  |  |
| Ž      | How to Monitor Treatment Effectiveness and Outcomes  |  |  |  |  |
|        | Beyond the Recognized Benefits of Ketamine – The Master Molecule   |  |  |  |  |
|        | The Expanding Indications for Ketamine Therapy   |  |  |  |  |
|        | Question and Answer Session  |  |  |  |  |
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### BREAK AND PARTICIPANTS MEETING

|        | Establishing A Ketamine Therapy Program in Your Existing Practice Setting   |
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| 9      | Establishing A Ketamine Therapy Program Without Hiring New Staff  |
|        | Creating A Scalable Infusion Program for Patients – What the ketamine as a business corporations cannot offer but you can |
| OULE   | What are the costs: professional services, space, equipment, supplies, and overhead expenses involved in Ketamine Therapy |
| MODULE | Ketamine Infusion Center Standards: Recommendations for Space, Supplies, Equipment, and Vendors                           |
| _      | The Future of Ketamine and Psychedelic Therapy – Where are we going next  |
|        | Ketamine Institute Mentoring Program – Life long clinical support and advisement  |
|        | Question and Answer Session   |



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## **REGISTRATION APPLICATION**

## A COMPREHENSIVE COURSE AND WORKSHOP FOR CLINICIANS

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| REGISTRANT INFORMATION IMPORTANT. Please answer all the questions:  | NAME   | (FIRST)  | (MIDDLE INITIAL)  | (LAST)  |
| MEDICAL DEGREE:   | ORGANIZATION   |  |   |   |
| ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ Other   |  |  |   |   |
| PRIMARY SPECIALTY CERTIFICATION:  | ADDRESS 1  |  |   |   |
| <ul><li>□ Psychiatry</li><li>□ Neurology</li><li>□ Anesthesiology</li></ul>   | ADDRESS 2  |  |   |   |
| ☐ Other   | CITY   |  | STATE   | ZIP   |
| PRACTICE LOCATION:  |  |  |   |   |
| ☐ Office based – Solo Practice<br>☐ Office based – Group Practice<br>☐ Government/Military  | PHONE  |  | FAX   |   |
| □Academic/Hospital based  | E-MAIL   |  |   |   |
| Return completed form and additional requested  |  |  |   |   |
| documentation to:   | PAYMENT METHOD - Tuition for the clinician's training course is \$8,950.00 USD. Upon formal acceptance into the course a \$2,500.00 deposit will be charged. The balance of \$6,450.00 will be due 14 days prior to your course start date. Should you need to cancel within 14 days or less of the course start date, you will receive a full refund of any fees paid less your initial deposit of \$2500.00. |  |   |   |
| Ketamine Research Institute   |  |  |   |   |
| 5741 Bee Ridge Rd. – Suite 560<br>Sarasota, FL 34233 or<br>Fax to 850-602-9013.   | start date. Sh<br>date, you will   | ould you need to                                       | o cancel within 14 days o   | or less of the course start   |
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## **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 Physicians 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 physician 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 *only three participants*. In addition to general course work, all classes are held in the Ketamine Institute so that physicians will have the opportunity to see the working environment in which ketamine therapy takes place. This ensures that each physician 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 step in learning 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 regularly by the Ketamine Institute to graduates of this program.

