

# Application of Systemic Ideas in Challenging Casework and Counselling Situations

**26 October, Thursday, 9AM-5PM**

Connect@City Square Mall

#04-05-#04-10

180 Kitchener Rd, Singapore 208539



## Course Synopsis

For casework management and counselling, there will inevitably be difficulties faced by practitioners. This workshop provides practitioners with the tools and frameworks to overcome those difficulties.

## Course Objectives

1. An ability to use systemic frameworks to move between conversations about practice interventions and assessment of risk
2. To be clear about the drivers for decision making and the use of professional power
3. To be able to maintain positions of curiosity and elegance in all actions



# Systemic Supervision in Achieving Both Compliance and Creativity

**27 October, Friday, 9AM-5PM**

Connect@City Square Mall

#04-05-#04-10

180 Kitchener Rd, Singapore 208539

## Course Synopsis

In this course, participants would gain a systemic perspective in their supervision skills.

## Course Objectives

1. To explore the multiple tensions in supervision of data driven practice and developmental practice
2. An ability to take a meta position to practice, to look from another vantage point
3. To be able to hold multiple possibilities simultaneously to encourage more creative practices

## Course Content - Application of Systemic Ideas in Challenging Casework and Counselling Situations

AM: Introduction of core systemic principles of practice

- Basic systemic ideas of working with systems
- Adding the complexity of context and risk

PM: Moving into application of systemic principles

- Specific systemic practice approaches relevant to working in complex situations
- Direct application using current examples from practice

## Course Content - Systemic Supervision in Achieving Both Compliance and Creativity

AM: Outlining approaches to supervision in complex contexts

- Choosing the most relevant approach for specific supervisory tasks
- Making distinctions between directive supervision and developmental supervision

PM: Moving into application of systemic principles

- Specific systemic supervisory approaches relevant to working in complex situations
- Direct application using current examples from practice

### At the end, participants will...

- Be better informed about the practical applications of systemic ideas in both practice contexts and supervision contexts.
- Be able to make distinctions about the positions they hold in every conversation
- Be more focused and intentional in all aspects of work

### Who should attend?

These workshops will be useful to any professional wishing to include systemic ideas into their direct work and supervisory practice to encourage thoughtful and accountable decision making. It will be particularly relevant to anyone working in a statutory context. **This course also provides entry-level exposure to systemic family therapy.**



### Dr. Barbara McKay

Dr Barbara McKay is a social worker and systemic psychotherapist. She has worked in both statutory and voluntary sector organisations. Barbara works in social care contexts offering courses in systemic approaches to supervision, management and leadership. She coaches a number of newly appointed team managers to support their use of systemic ideas in their decision making practices.

\$980 (before GST) for 2 days  
\$600 (before GST) for 1 day  
Pending PCG Subsidy

Contact:  
chang@counsel.org.sg

\$200 Discount if you attended CCC's  
2nd SFTC Full Conference OR Full  
Conference + Pre-Conference!

[Register now!](#)  
(2 days)



[Register now!](#)  
(26 Oct Only)



[Register now!](#)  
(27 Oct Only)

