



Davidson Centre for the Professions builds and sustains excellence for practitioners of the traditional vocations of law, medicine, ministry, and public service through advanced, integrative programs designed to strengthen professional and personal fulfillment.

The center is located in the historic college town of Davidson, North Carolina – within the Charlotte metropolitan area.

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MINISTRY

DAVIDSON CLERGY CENTER
THE CLERGY PROGRAM

Excellence in ministry is sustained by professionals who are intellectually, physically, emotionally, and spiritually healthy.





Davidson Clergy Center – the founding initiative of the Davidson Centre for the Professions – is a nationally and internationally recognized center focusing on self-care to advance professional and personal fulfillment. The Clergy Program offers a unique, comprehensive personal assessment and continuing leadership skills for clergy and church professionals of all faith traditions.

THE CLERGY PROGRAM

Located in the college community of Davidson, North Carolina, the Clergy Program integrates individual assessment, renewal, wellness, and self-care. It is designed as an opportunity for church professionals to sustain faithfulness to their vocation as well as discern options in times of transition, sabbatical, and retirement.

The center provides a welcoming, comfortable place apart from the normal distractions and interruptions of everyday life. Participants

receive access to skilled professionals who provide tools to build stronger resilience, health, and wholeness.

During the five-day, on-site program, group size is limited to provide each participant the opportunity to engage fully in the seminars and have essential one-on-one time with individual leaders. In keeping with our mission, each member of our staff is licensed and accredited and has a high level of experience, education, and training with and for clergy.

Throughout the week, participants receive:

- Daily individual consultations
- Daily seminars
- Fitness and nutritional assessments
- Individual fitness training
- Individual spiritual direction
- Lab tests (optional)
- Goal-setting consultations
- Professional Coaching with follow-up services

PARTICIPANTS SHARE THEIR THOUGHTS

“This week has been a time of self-reflection, discovery, and renewal. This type of program is essential for clergy today.”

“An outstanding opportunity for anyone who wishes to take an honest look at themselves and their practice of ministry while receiving the help and tools necessary to grow and develop a greater ability to manage life and ministry.”

“Driven by a sense of duty to answer calls for help and to do the best they can to serve others... many clergy members simply burn out.”

– NPR’s *Talk of the Nation*



The Davidson Centre for the Professions is centrally located in the pedestrian-friendly village of Davidson, North Carolina.