

# CRUCIAL COUNSELING SKILLS FOR THE CONTEMPORARY CHURCH LEADER

DESIGNED FOR PASTORS, CLERGY, AND CHURCH  
LEADERS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN COUNSELING



## About the Intensive

One of Hawaii's most experienced Christian psychologists, practicing for over three decades, Dr Hale Akamine, will equip pastors to understand and implement skills in these three areas: 1) gender identity development and strengthening; 2) brief grief counseling; 3) a suicide assessment that really works!

This fast-paced, five-hour intensive will give you an overarching counseling concept which will allow your God-given gifts and talents to enhance your pastoral counseling. These specific contemporary hot-button topics will assist you in feeling more confident when dealing with the challenges that those under your care will bring to you.

**AUGUST 17, 2024 (SATURDAY)**  
**ST. ANTHONY CHURCH**  
**1627 MILL ST, WAILUKU, HI 96793**

**9:30 A.M. - 2:30 P.M. LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED**

**COST TO ATTEND: \$10.00 PER PERSON**

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**HAWAIIFAMILYFORUM.ORG/REGISTER**

## About the Speaker



Dr Hale Akamine is a licensed clinical psychologist practicing in Hawaii for over 3 decades, specializing in counseling faith-based leaders. While leading numerous seminars equipping leaders (both in Hawaii and Fiji), his specialty is in the area of suicidology, even designing a one-of-a-kind app which identifies those truly at imminent risk of suicide. Dr Akamine is the executive director of the Family Ministries Center, a faith-based, professional counseling and consultation center.

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Be Shepherds of God's flock that is under your care, watching over them — not because you must, but because you are willing, as God wants you to be...

(1 Peter 5:2)

