





Certified Cognitive Stimulation Therapy – Hong Kong (CST-HK) Practitioner Training Course

for Speech Therapists and Speech Therapy Students

Lead Trainer

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Mode of Training

Lecture, group discussions, brainstorming activities, roleplaying Class size: 40



Register Here*

- Speech Therapy Unit reserves the right to cancel any courses and to make variations to the schedules, venues, contents, and mode of delivery of the course offered
- Enrolment priority will be given to PolyU Honorary Clinical Supervisor of the MST/BScST programmes
- Upon successful course completion, each participant will be awarded a certificate of "Certified CST-HK Practitioner" and a FREE copy of CST Practitioner Manual published by HKU Press

*To register, upload of credentials as a qualified speech therapist or proof as a speech therapy student is required

Course Description

Cognitive Stimulation Therapy (CST)

is an evidence-based intervention for enhancing cognition and quality of life in people with dementia. This Certified CST-HK course is coorganised by the International CST Centre of *University College London*, the Department of Social Work and Social Administration of *The University of Hong Kong*, and the Speech Therapy Unit of *The Hong Kong Polytechnic University*.

Course objectives:

- 1. To reflect on different perspectives and psychosocial approaches of dementia
- 2. To understand how CST was designed and evaluated
- To appreciate the effect and key principles of CST
- 4. To be familiar with the CST sessions
- 5. To apply key principles of CST during its implementation
- 6. To develop a plan for running CST groups in work settings of speech therapists

Date 15 February 2025 (Sat) Time 09:00 to 13:00 & 14:00 to 18:00 Venue PolyU campus

Course Fee HK\$1,740

Medium of Instruction Cantonese supplemented by English Study materials in English/Chinese

CPD Accreditation TBC