



## Application for Tŷ Elis Diploma in Therapeutic Counselling

### CONFIDENTIAL

**Please provide the following details:**

SURNAME:

FORENAME(S):

PERMANENT OR  
HOME ADDRESS:

POST CODE:

TELEPHONE NO. (HOME):

(WORK):

MOBILE NO:

EMAIL:

PRESENT OCCUPATION:

Where did you hear about our course? (Please tick one)

Internet

Friend/colleague

Other .....



**Please answer the following questions as fully as possible:**

1 What are your reasons for wanting to embark on this course at this time in your life?

2 What previous counselling training or counselling skills training have you undertaken?

*It is not a pre-requisite of the diploma to have undertaken other counselling courses. Applicants can detail here any courses they have done, self-study, other training they consider relevant or work/life experience. Applicants will vary in their prior educational experience – rather than ask for specific previous attainments we prefer to consider the applicant as an individual whose confidence in this area may be derived from various prior experiences.*

- 3 How do you assess your ability to undertake part time study, in particular in relation to the theoretical aspects of the course as identified in the Diploma Outline, including the reading and the written assignments?

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- 4 What do you see as your present strengths and weaknesses in your future role as a counsellor/psychotherapist?

- 5 What is your current understanding of the term therapeutic counselling and how does the approach relate to your own personality and experience? Do not hesitate to comment on the “conflict” as well as the “fit”.

*You are not expected to know a vast amount about the approach so do not feel too threatened by this question. The asking of this question reflects our belief that the “fit” between the person and the core theoretical approach is very important in training.*

- 6 What are your thoughts about the financial and time commitments of the course in relation to your current life?

*Please note that this course is not currently eligible for funding by Student Finance Wales and that finding financial support may be difficult.*



7 Is there anything else you would like us to know about you?

We make every effort to be aware of and to assist those with disabilities or special needs. If you have a disability which you would like us to be aware of or you have any additional support requirements, please provide details below:

SIGNATURE:

*Your email is an acceptable signature for us*

DATE:

**Please provide two referees:**

*Please choose two referees who know you well enough to comment across most of the seven questions in the previous section. If applicable, one of the referees should be your course tutor from your previous counselling qualification. It is your responsibility to seek permission from the referee to give their contact details.*

Name:	
Relationship to you:	
Address:	
Email:	
Telephone Number:	

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**Interviews** will be held at Tŷ Elis Counselling in Porthcawl, although special arrangements can be made.



**Please submit your application as soon as possible to:**

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Administrator  
Tŷ Elis Counselling  
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Porthcawl  
CF36 3HG

Email: [val.davies@tyelis.org.uk](mailto:val.davies@tyelis.org.uk)

**We would prefer you to email us your application form.**