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Student Instructions

"Out of Everything We Have Talked About Today..."

"Out of Everything we have talked about today, what has been the most helpful?" During this CPE unit, you are to ask at least five of your patients each week that question near the end of the pastoral conversation. We suggest that you ask the question of patients with whom you have had a conversation of some length and depth on a variety of concerns.

After the visit, you are to complete the attached form by providing information about yourself and the patient, making notes concerning the patient's response and your own observations. Make a copy of the completed form and give it to your supervisor. At the beginning of the 8th week of your CPE unit, you will have asked the question of at least 35 patients, and you will then write at least a one-page paper (single-spaced, typewritten) that summarizes how these patient responses and your reflection about them have changed your pastoral care practices. This paper is due in your supervisor's office by the end of the 8th week.

