## Overview

Faith Community nursing is a specialized area of professional nursing practice focusing on the promotion of health and wellness within the context of the values, beliefs and practices of a faith community.

"This Foundations of Faith Community Nursing course is based on the curriculum developed through the Westberg Institute for Faith Community Nursing, which curriculum is owned by Spiritual Care Association, 505 8th Ave, Suite 900, New York, NY 10018."

Continuing education credit will be offered at the completion of each module. There are 15 modules, each is worth 1-4 contact hours based on the content hours.

# Target Audience

Professional nurses who are spiritually mature with effective communication skills. Current licensure as a registered professional nurse is required.

### **Course Coordinator**

Beth Carson, EdD, RN, CNE

Beth has completed the Basic Parish Nurse, Advanced Parish Nurse, and Faculty Educator Courses as developed by the International Parish Nurse Resource Center. Beth also practices as a faith community nurse in a small congregation. Saint Anthony College of Nursing Faith Community Nursing 3301 N. Mulford Rd Rockford, IL 61114

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# **Online Course for Continuing Education**

August 27, 2023-December 2, 2023

Nursing within a Faith Community



# **Teaching/Learning Strategies**

Discussion forums

Videos

No tests/no papers

Flexibility in course completion

# Please purchase the following textbooks on your own.

Foundations of Faith Community Nursing Curriculum: Participant Guide 2019 Revisionshould be purchased from https:// www.spiritualcareassociation.org/westberginstitute-store

Faith Community Nursing: Scope and Standards of Practice 3rd edition ISBN: 9780972608831

### **Course Topics/Modules**

History and Philosophy Health, Healing, and Whole-Person Health Spiritual Care Prayer Beginning Your Ministry Communication and Collaboration Legal Aspects Ethical Issues Documenting Practice Health Promotion Behavioral Health Violence Loss, Suffering, and Grief Assessment and Accessing Resources \_\_\_\_\_I plan to complete all 15 modules and receive a Certificate of Completion of Foundations of Faith Community Nursing course.

#### OR

I plan to enroll in only the following modules:

History and Philosophy Health, Healing, and Wholeness Spiritual Care Prayer Beginning your Ministry Communication and Collab oration Legal Aspects Ethical Issues **Documenting Practice** Health Promotion **Behavioral Health** Violence Transforming Life Issues-Suffering, Grief and Loss Assessment and Accessing Resources Advocacy, Care Coordination, and Transitional Care

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