

Foundations of Faith Community Nursing

Fall 2017 Course:

Friday and Saturday: September 15 – 16, 2017

Friday and Saturday: October 13 – 14, 2017

8:00am - 4:30pm

Duet, 555 W. Glendale Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85021

2017 Foundations of Faith Community Nursing Course

Duet is proud to present the Foundations of Faith Community Nursing Course. The educational experience is open to all registered nurses with active licenses. This program is an interfaith course that teaches experienced RNs how to provide wholistic healthcare to members of a faith community.

What is Faith Community Nursing?

Faith Community Nursing is a specialized practice of professional nursing that focuses on the intentional care of the spirit as part of the process of promoting wholistic health and preventing or minimizing illness. This practice is guided by the following general principles:

- Effective healthcare requires more than medical treatment of disease or illness.
- Promotion of health and healing are part of the mission and service of a faith community to its members.
- Wellness and wholeness can only fully be achieved when we acknowledge the close connection between body, mind and spirit.



This course is based on the curriculum developed through the Westberg Institute for Faith Community Nursing, a ministry of Church Health Center, 420 North Cleveland Ave, Memphis, TN 38104. Duet has been approved to offer the standardized curriculum.

Foundations Course content includes:

Spirituality

- History and Philosophy (online)
- Health, Healing, and Wholeness
- Spiritual Care
- Prayer
- Self-Care

Professionalism

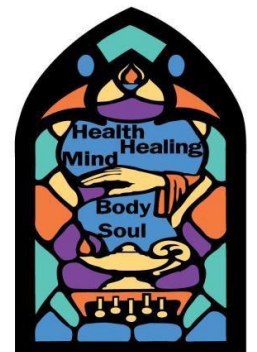
- Ethical Issues
- Documenting Practice
- Legal Aspects
- Beginning Your Ministry (assignments)
- Communication and Collaboration (online)

Wholistic Health

- Health Promotion
- Behavioral Health
- Transforming Life Issues: Family Violence
- Transforming Life Issues: Loss, Suffering, and Grief

Community

- Assessment
- Accessing Resources (online)
- Advocacy
- Care Coordination



Enrollment Requirements

- Be a registered nurse with an active license.
- Have access to a computer to complete online course modules.

Format

- Foundations course work uses a hybrid format consisting of online modules and community assignments that complement class time.
- Two hours of online module work must be completed prior to the first scheduled class. The remaining 9 hours (online and class assignments) will be completed over the 4 week break between classes.

Faculty

- This course will be taught by experienced faith community nurses as well as various content area experts from the greater Phoenix area.

Continuing Education

- This continuing nursing education activity was approved by the Western Multi-State Division, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.
- Phoenix area Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, and Utah Nurses Associations are members of the Western Multi-State Division.

- Register early as class size is limited.
- Complete form and mail with payment to Duet: Congregational Health Services 555 W. Glendale Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85021 or [register online](#).
- No registrations can be accepted at the door.
- **Friday, September 1, 2017**, is the last day to register.
- You will receive an email confirmation when your application has been received.
- On Monday, September 4, 2017, Duet will email all required online module information/assignment detail. Support will be available to assist you in accessing the online modules, if needed.

Cost: \$400 includes:

- 38 contact hours
- Continental breakfast each morning, lunch, refreshments, course materials, and resources.

Note: We reserve the right to cancel the course if there is an insufficient number of qualified applicants. In the event of a cancellation, registered participants will receive a full refund.



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Fall 2017 Foundations Course Registration Form

Registration Deadline: **Friday, September 1, 2017**

Register and Pay On-Line <http://duetaz.org/index.php/events/basic-preparation-program-for-parish-and-faith-community-nurses/>

OR

Mail this Form and Payment to:

Duet: Congregational Health Services 555 W. Glendale Ave.
Phoenix, AZ. 85021

Please Print

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Preferred Contact Phone: _____

Email: _____

Faith community/denomination you are affiliated with or will be supporting:

Payment of \$400 paid by:

Check (*payable to Duet*)

(Circle 1) Visa MasterCard AMEX

Card number: _____

Exp. date: _____

Signature: _____

For additional information or details please contact:

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