Executive Diploma Program in Spiritual Care Nursing



The Spiritually Informed Nurse

The School of Executive Diploma Programs

The CAPSTONE Executive Diploma Program in Spiritual Care Nursing is a pioneering educational initiative designed for nurses seeking to integrate spiritual care into their professional practice, emphasizing a holistic approach to patient care. This comprehensive program, created in collaboration between SCA CAPSTONE University and the Westberg Institute, leverages the expertise of leading professionals in nursing and spiritual care. It is tailored for those interested in advancing their skills in parish nursing, faith community nursing, or interfaith nursing, offering intensive certification that focuses on treating patients from a bio-psycho-socio-spiritual perspective. Through this program, nurses will learn to address the complete spectrum of patient needs, enriching their practice with deep spiritual insights and practical tools to support healing and well-being across diverse healthcare settings.

SPIRITUAL CARE NURSE | 12 Credits

4 Required Courses | 0 Electives | 0 Units of CPE | 1 Final Paper

COST

Course #	Requirements	Credits	Price
	FEES CAPSTONE Application Fee CAPSTONE Enrollment Fee CAPSTONE Administrative Fee		\$75 \$75 \$75
	CAPSTONE Technology 4 REQUIRED		\$275
SN321 SN322	Foundations as a Faith Community Nurse Wholistic and Holistic Health	3C x \$150 = 3C x \$150 =	• -
SN324 SC442	Global Community Nurse Concepts Pastoral Formation	3C x \$150 = 3C x \$150 =	
	TOTAL	12 C	\$2,300





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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

SN321 Foundations as a Faith Community Nurse

3 credits

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course provides the foundational education to prepare a professional registered nurse for the role of a Faith Community Nurse who is actively licensed in a given state and who serves in the role (currently or in the future) in or with a faith community. Faith Community Nursing is the specialized practice of professional nursing focusing on the intentional care of the spirit as well as promotion of wholistic health and prevention or minimization of illness. A Faith Community Nurse is trained to work within the context of a faith community.

SN322 Wholistic and Holistic Health

3 credits

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course will examine the principles of wholistic and holistic health considering origins, definitions, significant works, and delivery of care. The wholistic approach to health will be explored through the lens of Granger Westberg in his development of clinics in faith communities. The holistic movement will be explored by looking at the Holistic Nurse specialty and alternative approaches to health care.

SN324 Health & Wellness – Global Community Nursing Concepts 3 credits

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course explores community health and primary, secondary, and tertiary prevention care. Disease rates and vaccinations considering the global community will be examined along with the cultural impact on health. The altruistic and economic value of prevention activities will be calculated by viewing the role of the faith community nurse.





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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS - CONTINUED

SC441 Theological Reflection

3 credits

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course introduces theology as a practice of creative and critical reflection on humanity, the world, God, and/or source from a multi faith perspective. Theological themes in dialogue with insights from the natural sciences and current social justice issues that challenge today's communities will be addressed. By connecting the theological tradition with science and social justice, students will consider how to reflect on and express faith in an informed dialogue with other fields of study that are essential to a holistic understanding of our world today.

Executive Diploma Programs

Executive Diplomas for Spiritual Care Professionals

Executive Diploma in	Adult Education and Learning	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritual Coaching	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritually Integrated Psychotherapy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Hospice & Palliative Care Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Military Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Pediatric Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritual Care Nursing	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Psychospiritual Transformational Change:		
	The Satir Model	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritual Care	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Clinical Pastoral Education:		
	Supervisor Education Fellow	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Spiritually Informed:		
	Social Work Practice	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Thanatology: The Study of Death	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Health Care Ethicist Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Worship Leadership	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)





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Professional Specialty Certificate Programs

Professional Specialty Certificates for Spiritual Care Professionals

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Alcohol & Recovery Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
First Responder Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Geriatric and Elder Care	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Hospice Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Managing the		
Spiritual Care Department	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Palliative Care Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Pediatric Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Spiritual Care Nursing	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Spiritual Care Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Spiritually Informed Social Work	(4 credits)	(\$750)
Trauma Informed Chaplaincy	(4 credits)	(\$750)



