

Professional Specialty Certificate Program in Palliative Care Chaplaincy



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The Professional Palliative Care Chaplain

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The **CAPSTONE Professional Specialty Certificate Program in Palliative Care Chaplaincy** provides essential training for those seeking to excel in the palliative care field. This program focuses on critical topics relevant to palliative care, offering materials that cover a range of areas including: cultural competence, ensuring the inclusion of vulnerable populations, exploring the intersection of aging and spirituality, understanding the fundamentals of palliative care, and delving into advanced practices in palliative spiritual care. Designed to equip chaplains with the specialized knowledge and skills needed to offer compassionate and comprehensive spiritual support, this educational path prepares participants to address the unique needs of patients and their families navigating the complexities of palliative care.

PALLIATIVE CARE CHAPLAINCY | 4 Credits

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

COST

Course #	Requirements	Credits	Price
FEES			
	CAPSTONE Application		\$75
	CAPSTONE Enrollment		\$75
4 REQUIRED			
SCC203	Cultural Competence	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC217	Spirituality and Aging	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC225	Palliative Care: PC-I	1C x \$150 =	\$150
SCC226	Palliative Care: PC-II	1C x \$150 =	\$150
	TOTAL	4 C	\$750





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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

SCC203 **Cultural Competence, Inclusion, and Vulnerable Populations** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: Cultural competence includes self-awareness and the professional ability to assess, document, and provide interventions so that persons' beliefs, values, and practices are integrated into their plan of care. This course will also address the needs of vulnerable patient populations including persons who are non-resident aliens, LGBTQ, homeless, incarcerated, low health literate, and mentally challenged.

SCC217 **Spirituality and Aging** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course focuses on understanding and meeting the spiritual care needs of patients who are 65 or older as they experience the aging process. It provides evidence-based knowledge, interventions, and application to empower nurses, social workers, chaplains, and spiritual care providers to integrate spiritual care skills in their daily patient care, regardless of a patient's religion, spirituality, or lack of stated beliefs.

SCC225 **Palliative Care: Fundamentals of Spiritual Care (PC-I)** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: This course is for chaplains, nurses, physicians, and other health care providers of all disciplines, and community religious, spiritual, existential, and cultural leaders who are new to palliative care teams. The course provides skills and knowledge specific to the importance of spirituality as a core element in the provision of palliative care.





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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS - CONTINUED

SCC222 **Supporting the Interdisciplinary Team:
When Care is Tough** **1 credit**

(No prerequisite required)

Description: Chaplains and other spiritual care providers are often called upon to provide emotional and spiritual support to members of the interdisciplinary team, especially in times of crisis and stress. This course will provide information, practices, and resources on topics including compassion fatigue, vicarious trauma, burnout, one-on-one and small group work, and the appropriate use of ritual.

Professional Specialty Certificate Programs

Professional Specialty Certificates for Spiritual Care Professionals

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





The Professional Trauma Informed Chaplain

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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)
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	Supervisor Education Fellow	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
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	Social Work Practice	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
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Executive Diploma in	Health Care Ethicist Chaplaincy	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)
Executive Diploma in	Worship Leadership	(12 credits)	(\$2,300)

