



Parish Nursing Ministry

Foundations Course Information

April 25 - 29, 2022

Since 1991, Concordia College has prepared nearly 1,800 nurses to serve in faith communities across the country.

As faith community nurses (or parish nurses), these professionals are called and committed to the healing ministry of the church, helping meet the emotional, physical and spiritual needs of the members. This ministry is grounded in the tradition of the church, "to preach the kingdom of God and to heal" (Luke 9:2). The faith community nurse program within a congregation also recognizes that the ministry of the church community is to proclaim God's desire that we strive toward an abundant, healthful life.

Times |

Contact time varies daily to meet the **36.5 hour** requirement. More information will be provided by the program director.

Location |

Olivet Lutheran Church

1330 S University Ave
Fargo, ND 58103

[Location on Google Maps](#)

Lodging is not available on site, but there are [hotels nearby](#).

Cost |

Early Bird \$450 (through March 11)

Standard Registration \$475 (March 12-April 11)

The cost includes a full week of instruction, participant workbook and practice standards (\$100 value), and a binder of program materials. The cost also includes refreshments and some meals for the week. Churches are encouraged to sponsor nurses and provide the program fee.

Registration must be received along with the full payment before the April 11 deadline in order to be processed. A letter of reference from a colleague or a member of your clergy must also be submitted [via email](#) to the program director by April 8.

Payment may be made by credit card during registration or by check. Participants must register online regardless of the payment method. Please make checks payable to **Parish Nursing Ministry Program** and send to:

Parish Nursing Ministry Program
Concordia College
901 8th St S
Moorhead, MN 56562

Visit our website at [ConcordiaContinuingStudies.com/parishnurse](https://www.concordia.edu/continuing-studies/parish-nurse) to learn more and register!

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"Really appreciated the spiritual care foundation from scripture."

"Love the case studies...appreciate the real stories."

"Appreciate bring in outside expertise."

"From the bottom of my heart! I'm so blessed to have been given the opportunity to take this course, with these instructors!"

"So helpful for me, re-energized me in my faith and life journey."

Who Should Attend |

Registered Nurses with a current unencumbered license to practice professional nursing in the state(s) in which one will practice in the role of faith community nurse (FCN).

You Must Possess |

A strong commitment to the holistic concept of health care, including the spiritual dimension of healing and health.

Good communication skills

Active involvement in a local faith community

A commitment to completion of the entire foundations program