潜在的圣职护士活动

健康促进
- 写时事通讯文章
- 提供健康筛查
- 提供健康问题的信息
- 与社区机构合作进行健康筛查、教育和临床
- 组织小组教育
- 协调支持小组
- 与特里尼迪之社区外展部门合作，专注于潜在的健康活动

转介和支持
- 帮助制定出院后的护理计划
- 与客户和护理团队合作，促进健康
- 与社区资源配对
- 与家庭会议，计划护理并提供咨询

护理协调
- 家访、医院和家庭护理
- 提供精神和情绪支持
- 提供哀悼支持

志愿协调
- 与志愿者合作，协助教会成员满足特殊需求

辅助灵性
- 在家庭危机中陪伴家庭
- 支持家庭和客户治疗
- 使用祈祷和灵性辅助来协助治愈
- 将灵性价值观融入健康教育
- 提高你的信心和健康

历史：圣职护士

程序在Quad Cities

圣职护士程序在Quad Cities于1988年由Lutheran Health Care Foundation of Lutheran Hospital, Moline, IL, 发展而成，并在Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge, IL的协助下。第一批护士于1989年1月毕业，当时有七名护士被授职。自那时以来，圣职护士程序从试点项目发展成为一个部门。随着它的演变，该程序的领导与国际圣职护士资源中心紧密合作进行圣职护士诊断和课程项目。从1988年到2015年，该部门教育了214名注册护士和3名健康部长。目前，该程序支持43名护士和3名健康部长。

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特里尼迪健康系统致力于改善我们服务的人和社区的健康。通过圣职护士，这种伙伴关系使我们能够通过整体健康来实现这一目标。

“与我们的圣职护士一起工作是一种很棒的团队任务，我们一起努力照顾教会成员的物理和精神需要。”
- Rev. Mike Lawyer
  St. Paul Lutheran Church, Orion IL
Why a church setting?

Parish nurses offer presence, prayer and knowledge to assist clients in times of need. As the client and family work through the emotion of a serious health issue, the parish nurse can help them draw on their faith for strength. Nursing began as ministry; parish nursing returns it to those roots.

Does the nurse need to be a member of the church or of the same faith as the church?

Several churches have nurses not of their spiritual home or faith. Their success comes from the willingness of the nurse to understand the doctrines under which he/she will work, and church to educate the nurse on its particular set of beliefs. Before the nurse begins, it is important to determine if this arrangement will work for the church and to provide training in their faith to the nurse.

Can the church tailor the program to its own needs if the nurse is an employee of Trinity?

Trinity’s structure and policy provides a strong foundation under which a church can select its own activities. Even though the agreements state the church and nurse will function under certain obligations and policies, the church can choose how to individualize its program and services within that framework.

Health Ministers

The health minister is a servant leader with a commitment to show the love of God through promotion of health, healing and wholeness. The health minister works together or apart with the parish nurse in a community or congregational setting.

Course information

Curriculum: Developed by the International Parish Nurse Resource Center/Church Health Center and presented as an educational partner of the IPNRC, it is designed to adapt current nursing skills to the church setting. churchhealthcenter.org/fcnhome

The American Nurses Association recognizes parish nursing/faith community nursing as a sub-specialty in nursing.

Sessions: 12 sessions
On completion of the course, a celebration and anointing service for participants, families and friends will be held.

Cost: $300 for materials and CEUs
For Iowa nurses, 40 contact hours will be awarded at the conclusion of the program.
Attendance is required for all sessions to receive CEUs.

IBN #305
Illinois nurses may use the certificate of attendance from the class for their Illinois license.

Registration: Contact the Parish Nurse office at (309) 779-5122 for an application or more information. A brief interview is conducted to share nursing experiences and future goals.

Parish Nurse course

- History and Philosophy
- Prayer
- Self-care
- Healing and Wholeness
- Ethical Issues
- Documenting Practice
- Legal Aspects
- Beginning Your Ministry
- Communications and Collaboration
- Health Promotion
- Transforming Life Issues
- Family Violence
- Suffering, Grief and Loss
- Community Assessment
- Accessing Resources
- Advocacy
- Care Coordination

For more information or to obtain the class schedule, contact Trinity Parish Nurse Program at (309) 779-5122 or visit unitypoint.org/quadcities/parish-nurse.