## **Enrich Your Spiritual Care Skills**

We invite you to become a part of the Bishop Anderson House Spiritual Care Visitor Training Program!

Participants will gather for an innovative retreat which will include a time of spiritual reflection, followed by workshops that will explore how to be an "active listener", talk about advance directives as well as grief and loss.



The program continues as each participant is offered a set of 9 online modules to take at his or her own pace. The online modules are recorded, live presentations by seasoned practitioners from a variety of disciplines.

An integral part of the program is providing 2 hours per week of spiritual care in a self-selected site (a congregation, nursing home, or hospital are a few options). Participants are required to be mentored by their faith community leader or a professional in the field.

To facilitate further learning and growth, a monthly onlinechat will be offered for participants to process the modules and to ask questions that may arise from spiritual care visits. A background check must be successfully completed prior to acceptance into the training program.

## SPIRITUAL CARE VISITOR TRAINING



Retreat sessions are scheduled in the late winter, spring and early fall. Watch our website for upcoming retreat dates. We also offer this training for the Spanish speaking community with culturally relevant content. Please contact Kim for more details on this program.

You are encouraged to complete an application online and provide a non-refundable application fee. We will contact you shortly after it is reviewed. We appreciate your interest in the Spiritual Care Visitor Training Program!



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