

My highest level of education in nursing is?

Are you currently working as a parish nurse?
___ Yes ___ No

If yes, how long have you been a parish nurse? _____

If yes, is your position
___ Paid ___ Unpaid

If paid, are you ___ Institutionally Paid
___ Congregationally Paid

Along with this application, please submit a personal letter addressing why being a parish nurse is important to you at this time in your life. In addition, please include a letter of endorsement by your pastor, institution, or congregational sponsor.

REGISTRATION

Course is limited to 20 participants. A cost of \$495 for the total course includes: course fee, meals, lodging, course materials, continuing education certificates, course certificate and Parish Nurse pin. Fee includes your first year's membership in Alabama Baptist Nursing Fellowship. Fee may be divided into two payments of \$247.50 due before the start of each scheduled weekend.

Registration deadline February 1, 2011

Lodging is for a **semi-private room** for two nights. Private accommodations or extra nights are at your expense. Check here if you are requesting a private room (\$60) _____. Check here if you require an extra night lodging (\$45) _____. The rate for extra accommodations will be added to your conference fee.

Return the application form with the \$50 (non-refundable deposit) conference fee or the total amount of \$247.50 per weekend to: **Parish Nurse, Alabama WMU, P. O. Box 11870, Montgomery, AL 36111-0870**
Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

COURSE DATES/SCHEDULE

The course has two weekend sessions beginning on Friday. The course location will be held at a retreat setting at Shocco Springs Conference Center, Talladega AL. **Directions to Shocco are at www.shocco.org.**

Attendance is required for the entire course.

If the entire course cannot be attended, additional courses will be offered in the future. The basic schedule for this course on each weekend is as follows:

February Session:

- **Friday Registration 8:30 a.m.**
- Course Content Throughout the Day
- **Saturday concludes 4:00 p.m.**

March session:

- **Friday Registration 8:30 a.m.**
- Course Content Throughout the Day
- **Saturday:** Course Content Throughout the Day
- **Sunday Breakfast 8:00 a.m.**
- **Commissioning Service: Sunday 11:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. (Family & Friends Invited!)**

LOCATION

In keeping with the goals for parish nurse education, this course will be held in a retreat setting at Shocco Springs in Talladega, Alabama. Directions to Shocco will be mailed upon receipt and approval of your application. Bring **comfortable, warm, casual** clothes.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

www.alabamawmu.org or 1-800-264-1225

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Basic Preparation for Parish Nurses 2011 Class



February 11-12, 2011
and
March 4-6, 2011

Shocco Springs Conference
Center, Talladega, Alabama

Sponsored by:
Ida V. Moffett School of Nursing,
Samford University, Alabama WMU
and Baptist Health System

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Continuing Education: 31.8 ABN contact hours and 26.5 ANCC/ASNA hours of nursing continuing education will be awarded at the completion of the course by NurCE, an ABN approved provider of continuing education for RNs and LPNs (provider #ABNP0004).

BRING YOUR NURSES LICENSE WITH YOU!
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**BASIC PREPARATION FOR
PARISH NURSES:**

The parish nurse course is offered through a cooperative relationship between the Ida V. Moffett School of Nursing at Samford University, Alabama WMU, and Baptist Health System.

The course is based on the standardized core curricula developed through the International Parish Nurse Resource Center, in consultation with the National League for Nursing and the American Nurses Association Credentialing Center.

The parish nurse role is a health-promotion, risk-reduction, disease-prevention nursing role that focuses on care of the whole person, holding the spiritual dimensions to be central to the practice.

OBJECTIVES

The participant will:

- Embrace the integration of faith and health as central to the parish nurse role.
- Demonstrate knowledge, attitude and skills to practice as a beginning parish nurse.
- Value an intercollegial peer system of support.
- Identify a network for continuing development and support.
- Commit to continued spiritual formation to more effectively understand and carry out the parish nurse role.

COURSE CONTENT MODULES

Unit One: Spirituality

- History & Philosophy
- Prayer
- Self-Care
- Healing & Wholeness

Unit Two: Professionalism

- Ethical Issues
- Documenting Practice
- Legal Aspects
- Beginning Your Ministry
- Communication & Collaboration

Unit Three: Wholistic Health

- Health Promotion
- Family Violence
- Grief & Loss

Unit Four: Community

- Assessment
- Assessing Resources
- Advocacy
- Care Coordination

PLANNING FACULTY

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Additional faculty will present content in their area of expertise.

APPLICATION FORM

Name_____

Address_____

City/State/Zip_____

Workplace_____

Telephone Cell_____

Work_____

Home_____

E-mail_____

Emergency Contact:

Name_____

Day Phone_____

Evening Phone_____

Congregation Affiliation:

Name_____

Address_____

City/State/Zip_____

Telephone_____

Do you hold a current, active Registered Nurse license in the state in which you practice?

___ Yes ___ No

Are you currently working as a Registered Nurse?

___ Yes ___ No

If not, when was your last nursing position held and where?_____ (continued)