

2017 Summit Conference

Catholic Nurses Ministering in the Spirit of Francis National Association of Catholic Nurses - USA

Cape Cod, MA October 6-8, 2017 https://nacn-usa.org

Summit: 100 Catholic Nurse Leaders

Nurse Executives Nurse Educators Nurse Researchers Nurse Policy Makers Nurse Politicians



The Summit provides a venue where Catholic Nurse Leaders are exposed to current information, research findings, and practical tools to prepare for and respond to challenges facing Catholic Nurses, our patients, and our communities. The vision behind the Summit is to explore pressing issues now facing Catholics Nurses and vulnerable patient populations.in our parishes throughout our nation. Topics/Action Plans to address 1) Surging rate of Veteran Suicide 2) Over medication from pre-birth to pre-death 3) Nursing approaches to nonpharmaceutical pain /stress management consistent with Catholic teachings.

Conference: Attendance limited to 300

Register Early: First come, first serve

Location

Conference is being held at the Saint Pius X Parish Conference Center in South Yarmouth, Massachusetts (7 miles from Cape Cod)

Bring the Family for Columbus Day Weekend (Family fun while your conferencing) Fishing, Whale & Seal Watching, Sailing, Ferry boat to Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard, Visit "Plymouth Rock", tour Hyannis Port, Sea bikeway, Cape Cod National Seashore, Heritage Museums & Gardens, Lighthouse Tours, JFK Memorial & Museum.

Call for Abstracts 2017:

Plus Participation in Round Table & Group Work Sessions Call to begin October 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017

Conference objectives:

- 1. Explore best practices designed to strengthen the mental and spiritual health of soldiers returning from military service to offset the surging rate of veteran suicide in our parishes / communities. (What can we do in our parishes?)
- 2. Discuss the role of the nurse in countering over medicating pre-birth to pre-death.
- 3. Analyze nursing programs for pain and/or stress management consistent with Catholic teachings.

Early Bird (Summer, 2016) Registration On line NACN-USA NACN-USA members: $1 \text{ day} = \$40 \ 2 \text{ days} = \$75 \ 3 \text{ days} = \$100$ NACN-USA students: $1 \text{ day} = \$10 \ 2 \text{ days} = \$20 \ 3 \text{ days} = \$25$ $1 \text{ day} = \$50 \ 2 \text{ days} = \$100 \ 3 \text{ days} = \$150$ Non-members Students non-members 1 day = \$15 2 days = \$25 3 days = \$35

Annual Membership Fee: \$50.00 Retirees: \$40.00 Annual Student Membership Fee Waived @ Registration

Lodging Specials to be Announced January, 2017 (area est. \$55 a night and up) Lodging is offsite - bargain prices are limited – suggest early hotel registrations

Catholic nurses impacting the health of our nation one person, one family, & one parish/community at a time



Featured Speakers: Faith, Values, Bioethics, Health, and Nursing



Guests from the Shrine & Museum 2012 First American Nurse Saint

