NURSING EXCELLENCE FOR UNDERSERVED POPULATION (OCTOBER 2012- OCTOBER 2014)

is a HOSPICE Casa Sperantei project to provide: palliative care education for nurses in rural areas in Romania and advanced education for palliative care specialist nurses in Romania and the Central and Eastern European region.

HOSPICE Casa Sperantei is Palliative Care Center of Excelence in Eastern Europe (Transition in End of Life Care: Hospice and Related Developments, 2002) and global model of education and palliative care services (Global Atlas of Palliative Care and the End of Life, Jan 2014). Since 1997 has trained over 15 000 professionals from Romania, Moldova, Serbia, Ukraine, Russia, Bulgaria, Greece, Macedonia, Armenia, Kosovo, Albania, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Czech Republic, Georgia, Hungary, Poland, Germany.



22-28 Sep. 2014

(arrival 22 Sep., departure 28 Sep.)

Running the local palliative care project March 2015

First after-course evaluation (6 months)

Second after-course evaluation

(12 months)



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www.bms.com/foundation/reducing health disparities/cancer



The End-of-Life Nursing Education Consortium (ELNEC) project is an education initiative of The American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) to improve palliative care.

www.aacn.nche.edu/elnec

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WHO CAN APPLY

Palliative care nurses from countries in Eastern Europe: Romania, Hungary, Poland, Czech Republic, Russia.

AFTER THIS COURSE

Participants will be able to:

Describe importance of leadership in palliative care nursing.

Identify influences - opportunities and challenges in palliative care nursing leadership.

Identify personal-self in the leadership trajectory.

Demonstrate communication skills in addressing conflicts.

Analyze circle of influence and how it applies to leadership development.

Define roles and contributions in expanding / promoting / sustaining palliative care.

Develop management and team leadership capabilities.

Palliative Care Nursing **Leaders in Eastern Europe**

Before applying, make sure you meet **ALL** of the following **prerequisites:**

You are a nurse with at least 2 years of experience in hospice / palliative care

You have graduated a formal course in palliative care (i.e.: ELNEC, HOSPICE Casa Speranței, St.Christopher's multi-professional week etc.)

03 You are currently in a leadership position

04 You speak and write English

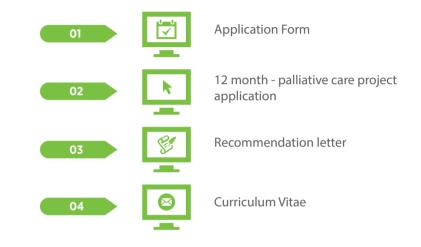
Able to participate in monthly Skype conferences from October 2014 to September 2015

Committed to attend the entire residential course (22 - 28 Sept 2014)

O7 Develop a 12 months palliative care project

Committed to complete 2 after-course evaluations (at 6 and 12 months)

Online Applying **Process**www.studiipaliative.ro/projects Registration March 1st - May 20th, 2014



Selection **Process**

Up to 20 participants will be selected.

Successful applicants will be notified by June 15th, 2014.

The grant covers costs for tuition, materials, accommodation, meals at the residential course and travel.

