

NUR 4333 Class Schedule Fall 2015

DATE	CLASS TOPIC	READING ASSIGNMENT*	ASSIGNMENT (ELNEC Module assignments are due by 11:59 pm the Wednesday night before date listed on schedule)
8-27-15	Care at the End of Life Introduction to the course	Chapter 1	
9-3-15	Care at the End of Life cont. ELNEC Module 1	Chapter 2	
9-10-15	Ethical/Legal Issues ELNEC Module 4	Chapters 3-4	ELNEC Module 1 Palliative Care Nursing
9-17-15	Pain Management ELNEC Module 2	Chapters 19	ELNEC Module 4 Ethical Issues in Palliative Care Nursing
9-24-15	Symptom Management ELNEC Module 3	Chapter 20,21, 23	ELNEC Module 2 Pain Management
10-01-15	Holistic Integrative Therapies	Chapter 11	ELNEC Module 3 Symptom Management
10-8-15	Exam I (Care at the end of life, Symptom Management, Pain Management, Holistic Integrative Therapies, Ethical/Legal issues; ELNEC Modules 1-4)		Exam will be on eCollege. See syllabus about format. Exam will be open TBA. Exam will be timed and once opened will automatically save and close at the end of the allocated time.
10-15-15	Spirituality and Cultural Domains of Palliative Care ELNEC Module 5	Chapter 5	
10-22-15	Communication ELNEC Module 6	Chapter 8	ELNEC Module 5 Culture and Spirituality
10-29-15	Loss, Suffering, Bereavement, and Grief ELNEC Module 7	Chapter 10	ELNEC Module 6 Communication
11-5-15	Preparation and Care for the Time of death ELNEC Module 8	Chapter 26	ELNEC Module 7 Loss, Grief, Bereavement

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11-12-15	Caring for Families	Chapter 7	ELNEC Module 8 Final Hours
11-19-15	Exam 2 (Grief, Connections, Well-Being, Communication, Caring for Families Modules 5-8)		Exam will be on eCollege. See syllabus about format. Exam will be open TBA. Exam will be timed and once opened will automatically save and close at the end of the allocated time.
11-26-15	Thanksgiving Holiday	Enjoy	
12-3-15	Putting it all together	Chapter 9	
12-7/12-12	Final: Essay		A three page, typed, double spaced paper on how this course has impacted your perception of your professional career. In other words: include in the paper as many concepts from the class as possible and specific ways those concepts (ideas) will enhance or change the way you will practice in your professional career.

* Reading assignments are found in textbook Matzo, M. L., & Sherman, D. W. (2015). *Palliative Care Nursing: Quality Care to the End of Life*, (4th Ed.). New York: Springer unless otherwise noted.

Schedule is subject to change following collaboration between professor and students.