



Center for Continuing Education

Everyday Spanish for Nurses

Have you ever had difficulty communicating with someone who speaks another language? It is difficult to communicate language barriers in everyday situations, and can be even more frustrating in the work place. The nurses and medical staff in hospitals, and outpatient offices are the frontline when treating patients.

We would like to help you overcome these barriers. Edison State College is now offering a 5 week, 15 hour Spanish for Nurses course. Learning everyday medical terminology in Spanish can increase productivity and efficiency as well as reduce frustration and lack of communication.

With Spanish for Nursing, you will be able to do the following (and more) in Spanish:

- Obtain basic information and history about the patient
- Perform physical assessment including vital signs
- Prepare patients for surgery or other procedures
- Administer medications and injections
- Feed and bathe patients
- Assist and interact with the patient's family
- Indicate knowledge of Hispanic health system
- Reduce Hispanic's fear of hospital settings
- Honor patient's requests
- Assist in emergency situations
- Perform routine procedures

Dates: Saturdays (5 week sessions)

- February 4th – March 3rd, 2012
- March 17th – April 21st, 2012

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

Cost: \$165- Textbook NOT included

Location: Edison College, Lee Campus, room to be announced

Instructor: Barbara Peterson

Seats are limited, so register today!
Advance registration and payment is required
For registration form and information, call 239-489-9235,
Email celee@edison.edu OR download from www.edison.edu/lee/ce

Requests for refund one week prior to the first class meeting will be granted. If you have a Higher One card through Edison the refund will be transferred to your Higher One Account. Due to the short-term nature of most Continuing Education programs, refunds will not be granted on or after the first class meeting.