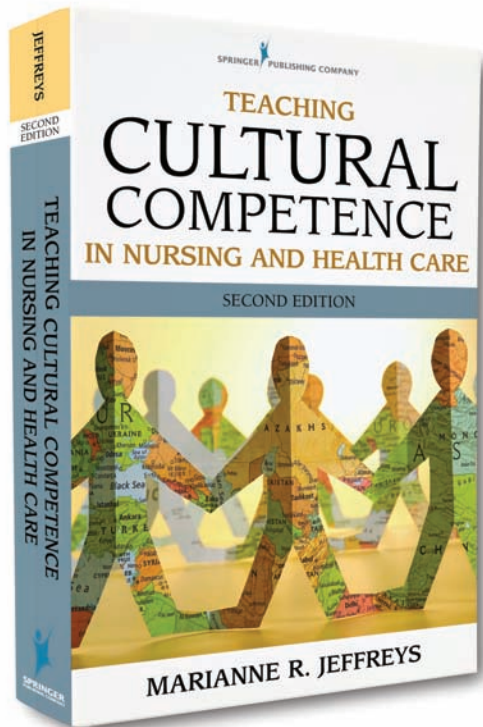


COLLEGE OF STATEN ISLAND | The City University of New York

Advanced Certificate in Cultural Competence

For Credit or Continuing Education Classroom
and Online Instruction



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The College of Staten Island's Advanced Certificate in Cultural Competence program is the first of its kind in the country, and it is accredited by the New York State Department of Education. It is designed to help health care professionals:

- Advance and revitalize their careers
- Increase their earning potential, marketability, and promotional opportunities
- Meet the health care and educational demands of an increasingly diverse population
- Meet accrediting agency and professional association mandates for cultural competence education

If you are dedicated to expanding your professional development and being on the cutting edge of healthcare, this program will benefit you whether you work in a practice or an academic setting.

- Students currently enrolled in master's or doctoral programs
- Nurses with baccalaureate, master's, or doctoral degrees working in a practice or academic setting
- Health care professionals with master's or doctoral degrees working in a practice or academic setting

Course Schedule

Course 1: NRS 700—Transcultural Concepts and Issues in Health Care (3 credits)
General philosophy, ethics, concepts, skills, theory, research, and practices underlying transcultural care.

Course Begins: September 7, 2011. **Course Ends:** October 21, 2011

Oncampus Sessions: September 7–8, 2011, 8:50am–5:00pm

Weekly Asynchronous Online Sessions: September 12, 2011–October 21, 2011

Course 2: NRS 703—Teaching and Learning for Cultural Competence Development (3 credits)
Multidimensional process, strategies, and techniques for teaching and learning cultural competence, directed toward culturally diverse learners in various settings.

Prerequisites: NRS 700 or equivalent graduate-level course by permission of instructor.

Course begins: November 2, 2011. **Course Ends:** December 16, 2011

Oncampus Sessions: November 2–3, 2011, 8:50am–5:00pm

Weekly Asynchronous Online Sessions: November 7, 2011–December 16, 2011

Course 3: NRS 704 – Cultural Competence in Health Care Project (3 credits)
This course will assist learners to develop a “cultural competence” project. The project can be directed toward clients, communities, agencies, health care organizations, personnel, or professional education.

Prerequisites: NRS 703

Course begins: February 1, 2012. **Course Ends:** April 26, 2012

Oncampus Sessions: April 25–26, 2012, 8:50am–5:00pm

Weekly Asynchronous Online Sessions: February 1, 2012–April 26, 2012

Program Faculty

The Advanced Certificate Program in Cultural Competence was developed and is taught by the internationally renowned author and scholar Marianne R. Jeffreys, EdD, RN.

This Advanced Certificate program embodies her years of research and expertise in the ever-expanding field of Cultural Competence. During the course of the program, she will be joined by other leading experts in the field.

Dr. Jeffreys is the author of *Teaching Cultural Competence in Nursing and Health Care: Inquiry, Action, and Innovation* (2006), which received the *American Journal of Nursing's* Book of the Year Award. A new second edition of her book was published this year.



How to Enroll

It is quick and easy to enroll in this important new program, and the benefits last a lifetime.

Admission Deadline: April 1.

How to Apply

For College Credit (3 courses, 3 credits each): Please go to www.csi.cuny.edu/graduatestudies to apply online.

For more information and assistance, please contact: **Office of Recruitment and Admissions**, College of Staten Island/CUNY, 2800 Victory Boulevard, Building 2A, Room 103, Staten Island, NY 10314.

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For Continuing Education

This continuing nursing education activity has been submitted to the New York State Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation for 45 contact hours per course. Contact the Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development.

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