Basic Medical Spanish for Healthcare Providers

1.0 Nursing contact hour and Social Work CEU

This class provides students with introductory vocabulary and cultural information to facilitate basic communication between healthcare providers and their Spanish-speaking patients.

The class assumes no prior knowledge of Spanish language and culture on the part of the student and covers a wide range of vocabulary including: numbers, months of the year, days of the week, cold and flu symptoms, and common medications.

Students will also receive a glossary of all covered vocabulary which will include a pronunciation guide. Instead of focusing on mastering the language, this class will emphasize communication, mutual understanding, and rapport-building between providers and patients.

Presented by

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About the instructor:

Holly DeVivo, M.A., CMI-Spanish is a nationally certified Spanish medical interpreter with ten years’ experience interpreting and translating in medical settings. She has an M.A. in Spanish from Western Michigan University and is a former Spanish professor. She is currently a Clinical Advisor with Hospice of Michigan, connecting providers, patients, and families with the hospice and palliative care that meet their unique needs.

Thursday
July 29, 2021
4pm - 5pm

Location:
Hospice of Michigan
989 Spaulding Ave SE
Ada, MI 49031

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