

Community and Public Health Nursing Standards of Practice

LEARNING OUTCOME:

The participant will be able to discuss current practice and the role of the nurse in community and public health.

OBJECTIVES:

Participants will be able to:

- Discuss the historical perspective and principles of community health nursing in current practice.
- Demonstrate an understanding of epidemiological concepts and their application in public health.
- Identify the components of community health assessments, needs, and comprehensive community health plans.
- Discuss various nursing organizations that support community/public health.
- Discuss cultural competence, ethical principles, and health disparities in community health nursing practice.
- Discuss planning and response, recovery for disaster situations.
- Identify community health education methods and barriers to implementation.
- Discuss professional development and leadership opportunities in the field of community health nursing.
- Identify policies and initiatives that advance the practice of community health nursing and improve community health outcomes.

FACULTY:

Annmarie D. Samar, RN, PhD, PHCNS-BC, NEA-BC is a skilled clinician with more than 18 years' experience as a certified Clinical Nurse Specialist in Community and Public Health with experience in home health nursing. Dr. Samar teaches both didactic and in-home health, community and public healthcare, and has served as both Chair and faculty for advanced level nursing students.

Note: The instructor for this program is contracted through Quality Training Solution Corporation (QTSC).



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Where: Your NYSNA E-LeaRN account

When: **January 28 & 29, 2026**
(2-day attendance required.)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Fee: FREE NYSNA member
\$350 non-member



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Registration deadline: **January 26, 2026**

First Time User Instructions: For directions on how to create your E-LeaRN user account, please refer to: www.nysna.org/elearn-instructions.

Direct Workshop Registration: Once you have created your E-LeaRN user account, register for this program by using your smart phone camera to scan the QR code, login, then search the catalog for this course and register.

If you have already created your E-LeaRN user account, you can also register for this program by clicking on <https://www.elearnonline.net>, login, find and register for this course.

The New York State Nurses Association is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This program has been awarded **12.0 CHs** through the New York State Nurses Association Accredited Provider Unit.



NYSNA is accredited by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET) and offers IACET CEUs for its learning events that comply with the ANSI/IACET Continuing Education and Training Standard. IACET is recognized internationally as a standard development organization and accrediting body that promotes quality of continuing education and training.

The New York State Nurses Association is authorized by IACET to offer **1.2 CEUs** for this program.



IMPORTANT: In order to receive Contact Hours and CEUs:

- **Cameras must be turned on, and you must be present and visible at all times throughout Zoom workshops.**
- All participants are required to attend the entire workshop, complete all in-session program assignments, complete an evaluation form, complete and return a post-program SurveyMonkey® questionnaire and/or complete and return a post-program checklist, where applicable.
- You will need a personal computer and internet access to attend.

Declaration of Vested Interest: None

NYSNA wishes to disclose that no commercial support was received. NYSNA Program Planners, Presenters, and Content Experts declare that they have no financial relationship with an ineligible company.

***NYSNA reserves the right to cancel this program if a sufficient number of participants are not registered, in which case if a fee was paid, the entire amount will be refunded.*

Make sure to check your email for confirmation of registration and the further steps you need to take to be prepared for the program and how to retrieve the handout materials before the start of the program.

