

Course Document

MedBridge

Assessment of Spiritual Needs in Rehabilitation Nursing

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Course Objectives:

- Define the terms religion and spirituality and be able to distinguish between these two concepts as they apply to the delivery of nursing care.
- Identify at least three barriers which currently exist in their own nursing practice which make it challenging to assess patient's spiritual needs effectively.
- Describe at least two Spirituality Assessment tools to determine how the identification of the patient's spiritual strengths may be used to promote healing.
- Apply the concepts of spiritual assessment in their own practice setting through the knowledge gained from two case studies presented in this course.