Nursing students!

Consider a future in cancer care

Would you like to expand your field of knowledge? Build in a competitive edge on graduation?

de Souza Intern Designation will help you provide exceptional care and expand your career opportunities

de Souza Institute

Continuing education in cancer & palliative care

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Intern Designation
for nursing students

Get oncology training
online with de Souza!

Why cancer?

- Cancer cases are projected to rise 40% in 15 years as the population ages and grows
- Nurses and other health care providers will face more cancer patients, both in cancer clinics and other health care facilities
- Many cancer patients will need palliative care

Why de Souza Institute?

- Cancer is a complex disease, with many treatment options
- de Souza gives you specialized knowledge and training in cancer and palliative care

How will you stand out from the crowd?

Consider earning your de Souza Intern Designation
The de Souza designations represent cancer nursing excellence. Nurses with de Souza designations are well-regarded health care professionals with up-to-date knowledge in oncology and palliative care.

In 2014, we added the de Souza Intern Designation. This designation is for nursing students with an interest in Oncology and Hospice Palliative Care. After completion, it can lead to the de Souza Nurse Designation. Coursework is completed online, with some courses offering videoconferencing sessions.

"Becoming a de Souza Nurse has given me the enhanced knowledge, skills, and judgment to support those living with cancer. I encourage all nurses who care for cancer patients in Ontario to seek the de Souza Designation."

Carol Gunsch, RN, BScN, CON(C) — de Souza Nurse Designate

The Intern Designation

✓ Build knowledge in oncology and hospice palliative care practice
✓ Learn from courses developed and taught by expert clinicians
✓ Prepare for career opportunities in cancer and hospice palliative care upon graduation
✓ Become well prepared to continue career development in this specialty area

STUDENTS SAVE 20% OFF ALL COURSES

Students enrolled in a nursing program at accredited educational institutions are eligible for special student pricing on de Souza Institute online courses.

Register today!
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See next page for designation requirements

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de Souza Intern
Designation Requirements:

1. Successful completion of a total of 2.0 de Souza course credits. (See course details in table below)

2. Successful completion of a nursing program and a valid license issued by the provincial/territorial nursing regulators in Canada.

3. Completion of a minimum of one clinical placement in an area of practice that provides care to cancer patients, or hospice palliative care patients.

An application with supporting documentation and reference letters can be submitted up to 18 months after completion of a post-secondary program.

Course Offerings:

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Additional Notes:

- Candidates must cover at least one course from each of the domains, totaling 2.0 credits.
- Successful completion of the Foundations in Oncology Nursing Practice course is required.
Questions? Ready to get started?

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