**Spanish for Health Care Certificate Program**

*The Catholic University of America*

- 15 credit (5 course) certificate program that can be completed in 3-4 semesters
- Gain competence in Medical Spanish and Cultural Awareness to better serve the Hispanic community
- Available to health care professionals in Nursing, Medicine, Public Health, Social Service, Psychology with little or no Spanish experience to heritage speakers
- On-line and summer courses offered
- Discounted tuition rate for non-CUA students

**Advanced Certificate**  Successful completion of **fifteen credit hours** (5 courses) including:

- SPAN 277/577 Cultural Competency Awareness in Health Care (3 credits)  *(Online) Spring, Summer*
- SPAN 307* Communication and Culture in Spanish-English Health Care Settings I (3 credits)
- SPAN 308* Communication and Culture in Spanish-English Health Care Settings II (3 credits)
- SPAN 304 Public Speaking: Strategies for Oral Communication in Spanish (3 credits)  *Spring*
- SPAN 305 Public Speaking for Heritage Students (3 credits)  *Spring*
- SPAN 402 Translation for International Affairs (3 credits)
- SPAN 495B Health Care Internship (3 credits)  *Fall, Spring*
- SSS 326/570 Diversity in a Multicultural Society (3 credits)  *Spring/Fall*
- PSY 383 Health Psychology (3 credits)  *Spring*
- PSY 387 Community Interventions in Mental Health (3 credits)  *Fall*
- ANTH 341/741 Health, Society and Culture (3 credits)  *Fall*
- SPAN 108P International Clinical Practicum in Nicaragua (0 credit)  *Spring*

**Santiago, Chile Health Studies Summer Program with IES Abroad** (5 credits)  *Summer*

*mandatory core course*

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