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### Certificate Program in Conflict Resolution for Health Professionals

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The Certificate in Conflict Resolution is a graduate certificate program offered jointly, through the College of Nursing and Health Science and the Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution.

The Certificate in Conflict Resolution program allows students to enrich their understanding of disputes that are specific to the health care arena through a series of courses whose topics include leadership, violence, health and conflict, organizational conflict, ethics and the links between conflict resolution theory and practice.

## Certificate Requirements

Students applying to the certificate program must have earned a B.A. degree or already hold a Master's Degree from an accredited program.

Students must complete all required courses and two electives with a 3.0 GPA to be granted the certificate. If students have already taken the regular section of CONF501, this can be applied toward the certificate.

Application to this program is made through the George Mason University CNHS Graduate Admissions Processing Center, MSN 5A8, 4400 University Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030-4444. 703-9931947.

**Healthcare Professionals in all careers and occupations can benefit from skills in Conflict Resolution**

## Program Of Study

Please refer to the GMU Catalog for Course Descriptions.

### Required courses (9 credits)

<b>CONF 501</b> - Introduction to Conflict Analysis and Resolution for Health Professionals	3 cr
<b>CONF 738/HSCI 635</b> - Research Seminar in Health and Conflict Analysis (final course)	3 cr
<b>CONF 713 - Lab and Simulation 1: Interpersonal and Inter-group Conflict</b>	3 cr

**Required Credits 9**

### Suggested Electives (6 credits)

<b>CONF 703</b> - Conceptions of Practice	3 cr
<b>HSCI/NURS 542</b> - Health Policy	3 cr
<b>CONF 709</b> - War, Violence and Conflict Resolution	3 cr
<b>PHIL 510/NURS 660</b> - Ethics of Health Care	3 cr
<b>CONF 745</b> - Leadership Roles and Conflict Resolution	3 cr
<b>CONF 731</b> - Conflict in Organizations	3 cr
<b>ANTH 631</b> - Refugees in Contemporary Society	3 cr

**Elective Credits 6**

**Total Credits 15**

## Course Offering Schedule

The sequence of course offerings can be customized to accommodate a contracted group.

### REQUIRED COURSE OFFERINGS 9 CREDITS

COURSES	FALL	SPR	SUM
CONF 501	X	X	X
CONF 738/HSC 635		X	
CONF 713	X		

### SUGGESTED ELECTIVE OFFERINGS 6 CREDITS

COURSES	FALL	SPR	SUM
CONF 703	X		
HSCI/NURS 542		X	
CONF 709			X
PHIL 510/NURS 660	X		
CONF 745	X		
CONF 731		X	
ANTH 631	X		