The overall goal of the **Community Spanish course** is to prepare English-speaking people to speak and understand small amounts of general basic Spanish found in most routine interchanges in daily life. In addition, Community Spanish provides cultural information about Spanish-speaking groups in the hope of informing and educating English-speakers about unique aspects of Latino culture. Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to say a few words or phrases of kindness or respect to Latinos they meet in shopping malls, supermarkets, school meetings, parks, churches and other public places. Participants will also have a better understanding of the most common cultural differences between Latinos and non-Latinos.

- 5 Sessions on Tuesdays, April 9-May 7 from 6-9 pm at Northwest Iowa Community College in Room 518H, Section #35389.
- Instructor: Becky Wester

The **Spanish for Nursing** program prepares non-Spanish-speaking nurses to provide medical care and attention to Spanish-speaking patients in medical office settings and in hospitals. In addition to workplace Spanish language, this program provides transcultural training for nurses and future nurses. Emphasis is placed on enhancing quality of patient care. No prior knowledge of Spanish necessary. 1.5 CEUs for Nurses/15 CEHs for Social Work, Direct Caregivers.

- 5 Sessions on Thursdays, April 11-May 9 from 6-9 pm at Northwest Iowa Community College in Room 518H, Section #35390.
- Cost: $175, which includes the book, *Spanish for Nursing*, a 106-page manual with 2 CDs.
- Instructor: Becky Wester

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