

# Healthcare Garden Design

## Professional Development Certificate Program

“The Healthcare Garden Design Certificate at the Chicago Botanic Garden is truly unique. There is not another program like it anywhere. It combines medical information with field trips and design lectures given by the best-known professionals in the industry. This program has propelled me into a new career, and afforded me wonderful networking as well. I highly recommend it.”

—Mary Ann M Bifulco, RN, Allied Member ASID, Student 2007

“The program has enriched me both professionally and personally. I will always treasure those eight days as a wonderful learning experience that truly opened my eyes and mind to all the possibilities of TRUE healing garden environments.”

—Natalie M. Symon, Associate, IIDA, LEED AP, Interior Designer, CBLH Design, Inc., Student 2009



### Who Should Attend?

Healthcare garden design has emerged as an area of specialization that benefits a wide variety of professionals. The Chicago Botanic Garden's Healthcare Garden Design Certificate Program is suitable for these professionals:

Architects  
Landscape Architects  
Horticultural Therapists  
Healthcare Professionals  
Program and Facility Managers  
Garden Designers and Consultants

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## The Chicago Botanic Garden invites you to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the Healthcare Garden Design Professional Development Certificate Program.

From May 9 through May 16, 2012, attendees at the Healthcare Garden Design Certificate Program will discover the many ways gardens provide verifiable health benefits for their patients, clients, staff, and visitors.

The multidisciplinary program will introduce attendees to the latest research demonstrating the benefits of healthcare gardens, while providing participants with the expertise, knowledge, and tools to effectively design, manage, and evaluate such gardens.

The eight-day program begins with a special full-day seminar, Gardens That Heal: A Prescription for Wellness. The seminar is designed as a starting point for those participating in the full program and an introduction for professionals not requiring full certification.

### Gardens That Heal: A Prescription for Wellness

This daylong seminar provides an overview of the rapidly growing and changing world of healthcare garden design. Gardens That Heal: A Prescription For Wellness is ideal for those seeking a one-day introduction to healthcare garden design, while also serving as a critical starting point for the eight-day, in-depth certificate program.

The day-one agenda includes special presentations designed to energize your organization's healthcare garden design program.

## Industry-Leading Instructors

The Joseph Regenstein, Jr. School of the Chicago Botanic Garden has brought together some of the nation's most renowned experts in the field of healthcare garden design and research.

**Marni Barnes**, ASLA, MSW, principal, Deva Designs, Palo Alto, California. Consults and creates therapeutic landscapes in public and private settings, drawing upon years of experience as a psychotherapist and social worker and landscape designer.

**Jack Carman**, FASLA, president, Design for Generations, Medford, New Jersey. Specializes in creating therapeutic exterior environments for senior communities and healthcare facilities, including assisted living and Alzheimer residences, long-term care facilities, and continuing care retirement communities and community hospitals in more than 12 states.

**Nancy Chambers**, HTR, director, Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine, New York, New York. The many facets of the Glass Garden's programs, including the award-winning Rusk Children's Play Garden, reflect her commitment to innovative and high quality programming.

**Nilda Cosco**, Ph.D., education specialist, research associate professor, College of Design, co-founder, Natural Learning Initiative, North Carolina State University. Her focus is the impact of outdoor environments on child and family health outcomes, as they relate to natural components of the built environment.

**Mark Epstein**, ASLA, principal, Hafs Epstein Landscape Architecture, Seattle, Washington. Served as co-chair of the Therapeutic Garden Design Professional Practice Network for the American Society of Landscape Architects. Teaches therapeutic site design at the University of Washington.

**Gwenn Fried**, horticultural therapist, curator, Outdoor Gardens, Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine, New York, New York. Brings focus to the anthropological use of plants and weaves these lessons into classes for seniors and children.

**Teresa M. Hazen**, MEd, HTR, QMHP, coordinator, therapeutic gardens and horticultural therapy, Legacy Health, Portland, Oregon. Directs Legacy's horticultural therapy department, overseeing multiple award-winning therapeutic gardens.

**Robert Hoover**, ASLA, Principal, HBLA, Inc., Portsmouth, New Hampshire. Specializes in healthcare, senior living and residential projects, with HBLA designing more than 100 healthcare related projects throughout the Northeast.

**Barbara Kreski**, MHS, OTR/L, director, horticultural therapy services, Chicago Botanic Garden. Spanning a wide range of clinical settings from psychiatric and Veterans Administration Hospitals to public schools and pediatric rehabilitation; she brings an understanding of the breadth of human disabling conditions.

**Clare Cooper Marcus**, professor emerita, departments of architecture and landscape architecture, University of California, and principal, Healing Landscapes, Berkeley, California. Internationally recognized for pioneering research on the psychological and sociological aspects of architecture and landscape design.

**Geoffrey Roehli**, ASLA, senior vice president, Healthcare Design Team, Hitchcock Design Group, Naperville, Illinois. Since joining Hitchcock Design group in 1990, he has directed many landmark projects in the healthcare market. Focuses exclusively on healing environments and practices evidence-based design.

**William Sullivan**, Ph.D., professor, Department of Landscape Architecture, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, president of the Council of Environmental Deans and Directors. Focuses on issues related to environmental sustainability and the role of public institutions in creating a sustainable world.

**Joanne M. Westphal**, ASLA, AMA, AOA, professor, Landscape Architecture Program, Michigan State University. A landscape architect and licensed practicing physician in Michigan, her specialties include therapeutic site design, health in the built environment, and the medical underpinnings of LEED.

## Registration Information

### Healthcare Garden Design Professional Development Certificate of Merit Program

May 9 – 16, 2012

Registration fee for the eight-day program includes course fees for both the seminar program and certificate session, learning materials, transportation to field sites, and select meals. Cancellations received in writing by 5 p.m. on Friday, May 4, will be refunded less a processing fee.

### Eight-Day Certificate of Merit Fee

Early-bird fee postmarked by April 2, 2012: \$2,995  
Fee after April 2: \$3,495

### Gardens That Heal: A Prescription for Wellness – One-day seminar

May 9, 2012

Registration fee includes parking fees, refreshments, and lunch. Cancellations received in writing at least 24 hours before the program begins will be refunded less a processing fee.

### One-Day Seminar Fee

Early-bird fee postmarked by April 2, 2012: \$129  
Fee after April 2: \$149

### How to Register

**Phone: (847) 835-8261**

**Online: [www.chicagobotanic.org/school/certificate/hgd.php](http://www.chicagobotanic.org/school/certificate/hgd.php)**

### Mail:

Registrar, Joseph Regenstein, Jr.  
School of the Chicago Botanic Garden  
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Glencoe, IL 60022

Preregistration is required. You may register online, by phone, or by mail (form available online). Payment at time of registration is required with check or credit card.

### Program Location

Chicago Botanic Garden, Glencoe, IL

The Joseph Regenstein, Jr. School of the Chicago Botanic Garden recommends the Renaissance Chicago North Shore Hotel for accommodations. Attendees will receive discounted room information after registration.

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