Spirituality & Health: A Select Bibliography of Medline-Indexed Articles Published in 2012

The full, annotated bibliography notes 325 journal articles pertaining to spirituality & health, selected from among the more than 1,870 articles categorized under Medline’s subject headings of “Religion and Medicine,” “Religion and Psychology,” “Religion,” “Spirituality,” and “Pastoral Care,” published during 2012. A searchable and printable PDF (65 pages) is available through the Penn Medicine Department of Pastoral Care web site (www.uphs.upenn.edu/pastoral), along with other annual bibliographies—see the Research and Education section of the site. The range of this research is illustrated by the following sample of 43 articles:


Besterman-Dahan, K., Gibbons, S. W., Barnett, S. D. and Hickling, E. J. [James A. Haley Veterans Hospital, Tampa]. "The role of military chaplains in mental health care of the deployed service member." Military Medicine 177, no. 9 (Sep 2012): 1028-1033.


Cotton, S., Grossohme, D. and McGrady, M. E. [University of Cincinnati College of Medicine]. "Religious coping and the use of prayer in children with sickle cell disease." Pediatric Blood & Cancer 58, no. 2 (February 2012): 244-249.


