

## Regional Support for Schools of Nursing

### *Regional Chair*

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#### **Professional Background & Current Roles**

Dan Weiss, DNP, RN, CHPN is the End of Life Nursing Education Consortium (ELNEC) Regional Chair for the State of Hawai‘i. He has been teaching the ELNEC curricula to undergraduate and graduate nursing students since 2015. After nearly 24 years of clinical experience as a palliative and hospice Clinical Nurse at Sharp Hospice & Palliative Care in San Diego County, Dan relocated with his wife from San Diego to O‘ahu in 2022.

Since then, Dan has led Chaminade’s palliative nursing education initiatives, which include incorporating the ELNEC Undergraduate/New Graduate online modules into 3 Medical-Surgical nursing courses, leading in-class discussions of the ELNEC modules, and helping incorporate the ELNEC Graduate online modules into the DNP program. He has also led the development of a new palliative care undergraduate minor at Chaminade. This new minor includes five 3-credit semester-length elective courses (4 didactic, 1 clinical), for which Dan is the instructor and course coordinator.