



PERU: Lima & Cusco
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\$5,499 (based on double occupancy)

\$899 (Single supplement)

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From the rugged beauty of the Andes, to the crystal waters along the coast, to the endless green of the Amazon, Peru's landscape offers many worlds in one. Settled by Norte Chico, the oldest known civilization in the Americas, it has been home to ancient Inca kings and Spanish conquerors. Today, Peru's culture remains colorful and diverse.

Program Highlights

- 7 nights / 8-day journey through Peru
- Cross a visit to **Machu Picchu** off your bucket list. Your day-trip will include an expert guide bringing your visit to life.
- Look for opportunities to **connect with Peruvian nurses** to share cultural differences and universal similarities while visiting **local hospitals and clinics** and talking with **nursing colleagues**.
- **Accompanying guest program** – alternate activities will be provided for guests who do not wish to attend the meetings.
- *Optional Rainforest Extension will be available*

Focus on Nursing & Patient Safety

- **Explore Peru's rich cultural heritage** as you learn about nursing education as it applies to patient safety and quality initiatives in Peru. Learn about **perioperative nursing** in Peru as compared to the U.S. through roundtable discussion sessions with your counterparts.
- **Meaningful interaction and collaboration** between travelers and your counterparts will provide the chance to discuss operating room and other safety initiatives that can improve patient morbidity and mortality. Being an advocate for the patient is key!
- Talk with your counterparts about some of the major **challenges facing Peruvian nurses** in terms of infection control, communication challenges and handoff procedures, surgical safety checklists, improving safety in the operating room and procedural areas, and the role of the nurse in the perioperative setting.

Focus on the community

- Giving back and engaging with the **local community** is an important part of your journey.
- Spend time visiting a local non-profit or other humanitarian organization in Cusco such as the **Orphanage for Girls**.

Program Leader: Elizabeth Kingsbury, MS, RN, CNOR

Beth is passionate about patient safety and her credentials encompass more than 30 years of perioperative professional nursing practice dominated by caring for patients and families as well as establishing quality improvement initiatives throughout Boston Children's Hospital. She currently is a Level III staff nurse and facilitator of Patient Safety and Quality initiatives. In 2005, Beth was named the hospital "Champion" for Universal Protocol and led a hospital wide implementation. In 2009, she facilitated the development of the Surgical Safety Checklist for the operating room and procedural areas.



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