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SPOTLIGHT ON CARE



OCTOBER 24th & 25th 2012

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Advanced Ventilator Management
Laughter Is Critical Medicine

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2012 Spotlight on Critical Care

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This annual two day conference includes a variety of topics in the spotlight of critical care nursing. The program highlights advances in critical care, complex patient assessment, innovations in patient management, evidence-based best practices and future directions of critical care. Over 30 exhibitors will be present displaying the latest critical care technology, educational and professional opportunities.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Incorporate sophisticated assessment skills into the care of complicated critically ill patients.
- 2. Identify nursing strategies to improve the outcomes of patients undergoing cutting edge management of complex disease processes.
- 3. Integrate an understanding of expanded nursing roles in the care of patients, their families and significant others.
- 4. Describe recent technological advances and the impact on critical care nursing practice.
- 5. Incorporate strategies for promoting patient safety and evidence-based practice in direct patient care.

SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

GWAC-AACN thanks the following organizations for their commitment to critical care nursing and their past and present support of the conference

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Schedule for Wednesday, October 24, 2012

TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
7:00 - 8:00	Registration	
8:00 - 9:15	Welcome & Keynote Address — Dare to Work Together, Stronger, Bolder	Mary Stahl Immediate Past President-AACN
9:15 - 9:45	Posters and Vendors Exhibition	
9:45 - 10:45	EKG Basics	Dina Rosenthal
	Sepsis; P3: Pathology, Prevention and Protocols	Kathryn T Von Reuden Sponsored by Edwards Life Sciences
	When You're Hot You're Hot, When You're Not You're Not—Thermal Injury and Illness in The Emergency Room	Terry Jodrie
10:45 - 11:00	Break	
11:00 - 12:00	EKG Advanced	Dina Rosenthal
	Bleeding Disorders in the Acute Care Setting: A Differential Diagnostic Approach	Nancy Munro
	Clinical Forensics in the Critical Care Setting	Debbie Shuck-Reynolds
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch, Poster and Vendors Exhibition	
13:00 - 14:00	Keynote Presentation: The Dead Shall be Raised: Resuscitation Past, Present and Future	Mike Clumpner Sponsored by Zoll Medical
14:00-14:15	Posters and Vendors Exhibition	
14:15 - 15:15	ABCDE Bundle: What is it and how to put it into practice	Brenda Pun Sponsored by France Foundation
	W.A.T.C.H.: Workplace Awareness for Terrorism and Crimes in Hospitals	Mike Clumpner
	Legal Aspects of Documentation: The "Write" Stuff	Sheila DeRiso
15:20 - 16:20	Managing Emerging Threats to Healthcare Workers: Chemical Suicide	Karin Kerby
	Management of Advanced Heart Failure: LVAD	Samir Najjar
	Advanced Neuro Management: Using Interactive Learning Models	DaiWai Olsen
16:20	Evaluation and CEU Distribution	

Schedule for Thursday, October 25, 2012

TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
7:00 - 8:00	Registration	
8:00 - 9:15	Welcome & Keynote Address — Promoting a Healthy Work Environment-Dare to Challenge Bullying in the Workplace	Karen Kesten
9:15 - 9:45	Posters and Vendors Exhibition	
9:45 - 10:45	Advanced Ventilator Management Part I	Eric Kriner
	Caring for the Obstetrical Patient in the Critical Care Setting	Katherine M. Cvach
	The Art of the Peripheral IV via Ultrasound	Edward A Stern
10:45 - 11:00	Break	
11:00 - 12:00	Advanced Ventilator Management Part II	Eric Kriner
	Patient Safety: What it is and How do I do it?	Andrea Bourquin Ryan
	But We Don't Do Trauma Here, Trauma in the Non-Trauma Center	Helen Bradley
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch, Poster and Vendors Exhibition	<u></u>
13:00 - 14:00	Keynote Presentation: Laughter is Critical Medicine	Edward A Stern
14:00-14:15	Posters and Vendors Exhibition	
14:15 - 15:15	Infection Control: Preventing Hospital Acquired Infections	Robert Garcia Sponsored by Sage
	Unlocking the Mystery of the Immune System	Frances Collins
	Acute Ischemic Stroke- Improving Patient Care	Jack Cochran Sponsored by Genetech
15:20 - 16:20	Excited Delerium Syndrome and Sudden Death: Etiology, Risk Factors and Implications for Nursing Practice	Cecilia K. Mortorano
	Palliative Care in Critical Care	K. Cheli Miga & Raymond DiPhillips
	Testing the Waters - Diving into Public Speaking	Donna Stanczak & Rose A. Dunkle
16:20	Evaluation and CEU Distribution	

Speakers

Helen Bradley, RN, BA, CEN

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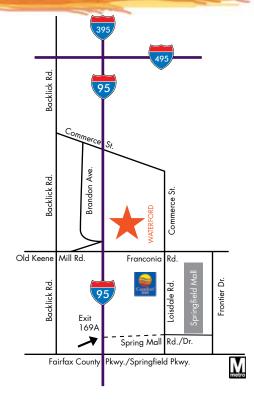
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Contact Hours

- This program has been approved by the American Association of Critical Care Nurses for 12.5 contact hours; Synergy CERP Categories A, B & C. The assigned program number is 00017989.
- Although rarely necessary, the Spotlight Committee reserves the right to substitute faculty/topics.
- GWAC-AACN reserves the right to cancel or postpone this conference due to any unforeseen circumstances. In the unlikely event of cancellation or postponement, conference fees will be refunded to pre-registered participants. GWAC-AACN will not be responsible for any related costs, charges or expenses to participants, including cancellations/charges assessed by hotels or airlines/travel agencies

Locations and Directions



Conference Site

Waterford at Springfield 6715 Commerce Street Springfield, VA 22150

Lodging

Comfort Inn, Springfield 6560 Loisdale Rd. Springfield VA 1.703.922.9000

Rate - \$129.00 plus 9%tax (includes Hot breakfast buffet and internet, and Manager's Cocktail Reception at 5:30pm each evening)

Transportation

From DC: Take I-395 South toward Richmond. Take the VA-644 (Exit B) exit toward Springfield. Take Old Keene Mill Rd ramp then bear right onto the Brandon Ave. ramp. Stay right on Brandon to traffic light at Brandon/Commerce. Turn right on Commerce and follow to the Waterford on the right.

From I-66: Take I-495 exit 64A toward Richmond. Follow signs for VA-644 (Springfield). Take the VA-644 W. Old Keene Mill Rd exit toward Springfield. Bear right onto the Brandon Ave. Stay right on Brandon to traffic light at Brandon/Commerce. Turn right on Commerce and follow to the Waterford on the right.

From Maryland: Take I-495 or I-95 toward Alexandria/Richmond. Follow signs for VA-644 (Springfield). Take the VA-644 W. Old Keene Mill Rd exit toward Springfield. Bear right onto the Brandon Ave. ramp. Stay right on Brandon to traffic light at Brandon/Commerce. Turn right on Commerce and follow to the Waterford on the right.

From Richmond: Take I-95N to exit 169A towards Franconia. At light, turn left onto Loisdale Rd. Stay straight on Loisdale. It turns into Commerce St. after you go under the Franconia Rd. overpass. Waterford will be on the left.

Free parking at the hotel and conference site. The temperature in the rooms at the conference facility varies. Please bring a sweater or jacket to dress accordingly for the variation.

Lodging

To make a reservation and get discounted rate, please mention group rate code "GWAC"

Room reservations should be made by conference attendees directly with the reservation department. Free shuttle provided to Waterford. Hotel reservations must be made by October 9, 2012 to receive this low rate. After that date, rooms will be subject to availability and the rates in effect at that time.

Registration and Fee information



GWAC HAS GONE GREEN: Online and walk-in registration only. No mail-in registration accepted. Deadline for conference registration is Oct 19, 2012. Be prepared to pay by credit or debit card. No checks accepted for registration.

Use this QR code to scan with your smart phone and register online

TO REGISTER GO TO: HTTP://SPOTLIGHTONCRITICALCARE2012.EVENTBRITE.COM

Early Bird registration must be paid by Fri, September 28, 2012 to receive the discounted rate. Cancellation must be made to Lori Dodd by email at: spotlight_registration @ yahoo.com or by phone at: (703) 678-9229 by October 8, 2012 to be eligible for a refund. No refunds will be generated after October 8, 2012; however, registration may be transferred with Lori Dodd's approval after payment is received in full and request is submitted by October 19, 2012. Lecture outlines will be available at GWAC website at: www.gwac-aacn.org after September 28, 2012

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REGISTRATION FEES		On or Before September 28th Early Bird rate	After September 28th Regular rate
GWAC/Region 4 and AACN Member (new or renewal)	One Day	150.00	170.00
*Current ENA Member accepted (proof of membership required)	Two Day	215.00	265.00
Non GWAC Member	One Day	165.00	195.00
Non GWAC Member	Two Day	265.00	290.00
Poster Presenter Fee (one registration per poster) same rate for 1 or 2 days*		140.00	140.00
Student (Non-RN, must show student ID day of event for admission and student discount) same rate for 1 or 2 days*		90.00	90.00

MEMBERSHIP FEES	New Member or Renewal
AACN	69.00
Retired/Disabled/Veteran	46.00
GWAC (must be a member of AACN to join GWAC)	20.00

DEADLINE FOR ONLINE CONFERENCE REGISTRATION IS OCTOBER 19, 2012. AFTER THAT DATE, ONLY WALK-IN REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Poster Presenters: All poster presenters must contact Sonia Astle for guidelines at: Sonia.astle@inova.org or Michael Kingan at: Michael.J.Kingan@medstar.net. Abstract submission deadline for discount registration is September 3, 2012. Abstracts should be <300 words and submitted in either one of two categories: Research and Evidenced-based Solutions (formerly known as Creative Solutions). One poster presenter per poster is eligible for discounted conference rate—in the case where there are multiple presenters listed; please indicate which presenter will receive the discounted rate. Presenters will be notified by: September 17, 2012 of poster acceptance. Posters may be presented in one place or several places. Total length of the poster should NOT exceed 6 feet. Posters must be able to be EASILY attached to mounting board stands with pins. There will be no tabletop displays of posters. If your poster is very fragile, you may elect to take it home and reset it up the second day.

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 - AACN membership dues.
 - National Teaching Institute and Critical Care Exposition.
 - GWAC conference offered twice a year.
- Opportunities to network with area critical care nurses.