



NURSING OF CHILDREN NETWORK
LOCAL CHAPTER OF THE
SOCIETY OF PEDIATRIC NURSES
PRESENTS

8th Annual

REGIONAL PEDIATRIC
NURSING CONFERENCE

The Journey Continues

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2011
THE CHASE CENTER, WILMINGTON, DE**



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- St. Christopher's Hospital for Children
- The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
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OVERVIEW

COURSE OVERVIEW

This is the eighth annual NCN Regional Pediatric Nursing Conference. Our theme this year is: The Journey Continues. The planning occurred amongst the premier children's institutions in the region. The targeted audience is staff nurses and advanced practice nurses from all settings including hospitals, home care, ambulatory care, and school nursing. It will provide attendees with state of the art information on a variety of clinical topics and professional issues. Ample opportunity is provided for networking and becoming involved in Nursing of Children Network and the Society of Pediatric Nurses organizations.

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

Provide educational sessions to enhance the pediatric nurse's knowledge and skill related to a variety of clinical, psychosocial and professional topics.

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2. Provide the opportunity to enhance personal and professional growth.
3. Provide the opportunity to network among pediatric nurses in the greater region.

NURSING ACCREDITATION

Application for 6 contact hours has been made to the Pennsylvania State Nurses Association for the conference. An additional 1.0 contact is available for the optional poster session for a total of 7.0 contact hours.

In addition, 4.0 Trauma Education hours will be awarded for designated sessions.

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POSTER PRESENTATIONS

The deadline for poster presentations has expired. Each year the deadline for poster applications is July 1. If you are interested in submitting an abstract for consideration at next year's conference, please check www.nursingofchildrennetwork.com.

ABOUT THE SOCIETY OF PEDIATRIC NURSES & THE NURSING OF CHILDREN NETWORK

The Nursing of Children Network (NCN)

The Nursing of Children Network (NCN) is the local chapter of the Society of Pediatric Nurses (SPN). SPN is the only non-specialty professional nursing organization dedicated to pediatric patients and their families. The local chapter, NCN, offers opportunities for mentoring, education programs, community outreach projects, and other professional activities. Please visit our website at www.nursingofchildrennetwork.com for more information. All NCN members must be members of the national organization, SPN. To download an SPN application, visit the SPN website at www.pedsnurses.org

PLANNING COMMITTEE

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Linda Youngstrom, PhD, RN	Nursing of Children Network

COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

The Board of the Nursing of Children Network Chapter has selected the Reach Out and Read Program at St. Christopher's Hospital for Children in Philadelphia as this year's conference community service project. At the NCN information table, we will be collecting donations of new and gently used children's books for children ages 6 months to 12 years. Reach Out and Read (ROR) is a national non-profit pediatric early literacy program located in more than 4,100 primary care doctor's offices across our nation. Last year ROR serviced 3.9 million families. ROR makes literacy promotion a standard part of pediatric primary care, so that children grow up with books and a love of reading. The St. Christopher's ROR program has 4 clinics serving 26,000 kids. These clinics rely on book donations and funding support to maintain this valuable program. You can help doctors and nurses make books part of a healthy childhood by donating new or gently used books! Gently used books should be in good condition (covers and pages intact, clean and readable) and appropriate for children 6 months to 12 years old. Out of respect for families, ROR sites do not accept books with sensitive issues and/or illustrations (such as abuse, death, divorce, holidays, religion, violence, weapons). If you choose to purchase new books, the greatest need is for infants and toddlers. Donated money will be used to buy books in Spanish.

AGENDA

7:00 AM Registration, Exhibits & Continental Breakfast

8:00 AM WELCOME

8:15 AM Keynote Speaker

Sponsored by Bayada Nurses

Ignite Your Life! Discovering the Keys to Unlock Passion, Potential and Impact

John O'Leary

Rising Above

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John is a college graduate, business owner, hospital chaplain, international speaker, husband and father. His presentations have been described as "captivating, amazing and life-changing." With emotional storytelling and great humor, John challenges and empowers every audience to dream again, re-ignite their passion and take positive action.

Concurrent Sessions Track A through E
Tracks A & B: Clinical Updates
Track C: Trauma
Track D: Ambulatory / Community
Track E: Professional Development
*= Trauma Ed. Hour

9:30 AM Concurrent Session I

Track A:

The Trouble with Tubes: Tips for Working with Enteral Access Devices

Judith Stellar, MSN, CRNP, PNP-BC, CWOCN

Wound, Ostomy, Continence Advanced Practice Nurse

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia .

Track B:

Sharpening Your Pediatric Laboratory Interpretation Skills: The Complete Blood Count and Differential

Louise Jakubik, PhD, RN-BC

President & Chief Learning Officer

Nurse Builders

Track C:

ATV Injuries in Children*

Fran Gill, MSN, RN, CPNP, AC/PC

Advanced Practice Nurse

Pediatric General Surgery and Trauma

Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children

Track D:
Pediatric Immunization Update – 2011
Ruth Frey, MSN, CPNP
Clinical Manager International Medicine
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Track E:
Courageous Communication and Creating Safe and Sound Work Environments
Marie Blessington, RN
Director of Clinical Leadership
Bayada Nurses

10:30 AM Exhibits & Poster Presentations

11:00 AM Concurrent Session II

Track A:
Surgical Management of Abdominal Conditions
Fran Gill, MSN, RN, CPNP, AC/PC
Advanced Practice Nurse
Pediatric General Surgery and Trauma
Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children

Track B:
What Pediatric Nurses Want to Know about Blood Clots and How to Care For Kids That Have Them
Marilyn Blumenstein, MSN, CRNP
Hemostasis/Thrombosis Program Nurse Practitioner
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Track C:
Tips for Managing Broken Bones*
Carol Hanson, MSN, RN, CCRN
Pediatric Trauma Coordinator
Janet Weis Children's Hospital, Geisinger Medical Center

Track D:
Cops and Pediatric Nurses: Keeping Children and Staff Safe*
Janice Selekman, DNSC, RN, CSN
Professor
University of Delaware
Daniel Selekman
Sergeant
Wilmington Police Department

Track E:
Charge Nurses Taking Charge: Enhancing the Charge Nurse Role Through Simulation Training
Donna Calfin, BSN, RN, CPN
Clinical Nurse 4
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Karen King, MSN, RNC
Education Nurse Specialist
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Lisa Mitchell, BSN, RN
Clinical Nurse 4
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

12:00 PM Lunch & Raffle

12:45 PM Exhibits & Poster Presentations

1:30 PM Concurrent Session III

Track A:

Can You Hear Me Now? Nurse Presentations at Multidisciplinary Rounds

Heidi Martin, RN, MSN

Clinical Manager PICU

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Eileen Nelson, RN, MSN

Clinical Manager PICU

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Track B:

Disaster Planning for the Pediatric Patient - Implications for Nurses as a Result of the Missouri Tornado Disaster*

Kirsten Johnson Moore, RN, MSN, PHRN

Director, Emergency Services and Respiratory Care

St. Christopher's Hospital for Children

Track C:

In the Blink of an Eye: Ocular Trauma*

Ivy Fenton Kuhn, PNP, BC, CNOR

Nurse Practitioner Division of Ophthalmology

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Track D:

Palliative Care and Technology Working Together for the Patient

Missy Halligan, BSN, RN, CCRN

St. Christopher's Hospital for Children

Track E:

How to Read the Menu: Career Options for Hungry Nurses!

Karen Goldschmidt, MSN, RN

Assistant Clinical Professor

Drexel University

2:45 PM Concurrent Session IV

Track A:

Intestinal Failure and Short Bowel Syndrome

Margy Miccolis, MSN, RN, APRN-BC

APN GI and Nutrition

Nemours / Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children

Track B:

Medical and Surgical Management of Head injury in Children: From ICU to Floor and Beyond*

Kristine Biggie, MSN, CRNP, CCRN

Trauma Nurse Practitioner

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Track C:

Human Trafficking - Are Your Patients at Risk?*

Christine Campbell, RN, BSN, MS, SANE-A

Trauma Program Manager

St. Christopher's Hospital for Children

Track D:

Be Prepared: Potentially Life-Threatening Cardiac Conditions in Children and Adolescents

Jackie Henderson, BSN, RN

Electrophysiology Nurse Clinician

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Karen Smoots, BA, RN

Electrophysiology Nurse Clinician

Certified School Nurse

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Track E:

Trading Spaces: Exchanging Nurses in a Unique Collaboration Among Pediatric Hospitals

Jamie Powers, BSN, RN

Nurse Share

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

4 PM Closing Session

The Top 10 Issues Affecting Pediatric Nursing

Janice Selekmán, DNSC, RN, CSN

Professor

University of Delaware

Professor, University of Delaware

Past Chairman of the Department of Nursing at UD

Nursing Educator of the Year, State of Delaware, 2010

School Nurse Educator of the Year, National Association of School Nurses, 2010/2011

Author of the primary textbook for School Nurses (AJN Book of the Year Award) and Pediatric Certification

Review book, plus 100 other publications

National speaker on multiple topics

Past Vice President of the Society of Pediatric Nurses

BSN - University of Pittsburgh

MSN (Nursing of Children) and DNSc from University of Pennsylvania

5:00 PM Wine & Cheese Reception

VENUE / ACCOMMODATIONS

THE CHASE CENTER, WILMINGTON, DE

Join us at this beautiful facility! Enjoy the spacious conference rooms and generous common space as you visit exhibitors, view poster presentations, and enjoy networking opportunities. Easy on/off access from I-95, FREE parking! Visit the Chase Center online at www.centerontheriverfront.com.

Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Sheraton Suites Wilmington until Thursday, September 22, 2011. This hotel has easy access off I-95 and is a 5 minute cab ride from the Chase Center. Single / double occupancy room rate is \$95.00 plus taxes, fees, and parking. Directions, hotel information, and direct link to the NCN Conference room block can be accessed at www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/ncnconference1

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

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REGISTRATION FORM

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Credentials: (RN, etc) _____ Title: (Staff Nurse, etc) _____

Institution: _____ Institution City : _____ Institution State: _____

(The information above will be printed on your badge-please verify correctness)

Your Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Email: _____
(confirmations are sent by email only. If you do not provide a legible email address you will not receive a confirmation – please print carefully)

Early Registration: \$150.00 Online registration or postmarked by September 16, 2011

Regular Registration: \$180.00 Online registration or postmarked by September 30, 2011

Onsite Registration: \$195.00 Call 800-643-0584 or email registerncn@comcast.net

Onsite registration will be accepted, IF space permits. **However, this conference typically sells out!**

Please select one track choice per session. Circle your selection:

Concurrent Session I - 9:30am - 10:30am

Track A Track B Track C Track D Track E

Concurrent Session II 11:00am - 12:00am

Track A Track B Track C Track D Track E

Concurrent Session III 1:30pm - 2:30pm

Track A Track B Track C Track D Track E

Concurrent Session IV 2:45pm - 3:45pm

Track A Track B Track C Track D Track E

Will you be attending the complimentary wine and cheese reception? YES NO

NCN complies with the American with Disabilities Act.

Please specify here if you are in need of special assistance. YES NO

Do you require a vegetarian lunch? YES NO

Cancellations and Transfers: All cancellations and transfers must be received in writing. If received in writing prior to September 30, 2011, the full cost less a \$25.00 administrative fee will be refunded. There will be no refunds after September 30, however, the registration can be transferred, provided both transferring party names are provided via email to: registerncn@comcast.net

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