

# REVISED Program-At-A-Glance

## Tuesday, May 8, 2018

2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Registration Open

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

## Wednesday, May 9, 2018

7:30 am – 6:00 pm

Registration Open

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

8:30 am – 11:45 am

Pre-Conference Workshop

010: **Creating an RN Workforce for Ambulatory Care Settings**

Location: Northern C

1:00 pm – 3:15 pm

Welcome and President's Address/Keynote Address

101: **Transforming Future of Healthcare**

Location: Northern DE

3:15 pm – 3:35 pm

Refreshment Break

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

3:35 pm – 4:35 pm

Concurrent Sessions

111: **Strength in Numbers to Meet Cultural Change**

Location: Northern C

112: **Collaborative Approach to Build Care Coordination & Transition Management Toolkit**

Location: Northern DE

113: **Connect 2 Care**

Location: Americas Seminar

114: **Medical Assistant Externship Program**

Location: Asia 5

4:45 pm – 5:45 pm

Concurrent Sessions

121: **Pre-Licensure Training of Primary Care Nurses**

Location: Asia 5

122: **Building & Supporting RN Care Coordinator Program in Primary Care**

Location: Northern C

123: **Avoiding Litigation in Telehealth Nursing Practice**

Location: Northern DE

124: **Clinical Rapid Fire Presentations**

Location: Americas Seminar

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

130: **AAACN 101: Getting Excited About AAACN and the Conference**

Location: Northern DE

6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Poster Viewing

Location: Northern AB

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

140: **Opening Reception/Silent Auction**

Location: Pacific A

Note: This program-at-a-glance is a revised version from what appears in the conference program book.

## Thursday, May 10, 2018

7:00 am – 5:30 pm

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Continental Breakfast

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10:30 am – 11:30 am

Special Interest Group (SIG) Sessions

211: **Pediatric SIG**

Location: Americas Seminar

212: **Telehealth SIG**

Location: Northern C

213: **Patient/Staff Education SIG**

Location: Northern DE

11:30 am – 12:45 pm

220: **Networking Lunch with Roundtable Focused Topics**

Location: Atlantic B

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Concurrent Sessions

231: **A Beat Above**

Location: Northern C

232: **Magic Wand Needed to Meet Requirements for Nurses in Primary Care Setting**

Location: Northern DE

233: **Traversing the Headwinds**

Location: Americas Seminar

234: **Transition to Practice Rapid Fire Sessions**

Location: Southern 4

2:15 pm – 3:15 pm

Concurrent Sessions

241: **Journey of Establishing Magnet® Nursing Culture**

Location: Northern DE

242: **Advanced Illness Care**

Location: Southern 4

243: **A Veteran's Home Telehealth Experience**

Location: Americas Seminar

244: **Ready or Not, Here They Come**

Location: Northern C

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*Location: Northern AB*

**4:15 pm – 5:15 pm**  
**Special Interest Group (SIG) Sessions**  
**251: Veterans Affairs SIG**  
*Location: Northern C*  
**252: Tri-Service Military SIG**  
*Location: Americas Seminar*  
**253: Leadership SIG**  
*Location: Northern DE*

**5:00 pm – 10:00 pm**  
**Poster Viewing**  
*Location: Northern AB*

**5:45 pm – 7:45 pm**  
**260: Tri-Service Military Evening Forum**  
*Location: Southern 4*

## **Friday, May 11, 2018**

**5:15 am – 6:45 am**  
**Morning Yoga**  
*Asia 5*

**7:00 am – 4:30 pm**  
**Registration Open**  
*Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer*

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**7:00 am – 10:45 am**  
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**301: Town Hall: RN Role in Non Face-to-Face, Technology-Enhanced Nursing Practice**  
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*Location: Americas Seminar*  
**312: Evolution of Targeted Patient Population Care Management**  
*Location: Northern C*  
**313: Using Evidence-Based Best Practices to Develop Telephone Triage Algorithms**  
*Location: Southern 4*  
**314: Leadership Rapid Fire Sessions**  
*Location: Northern DE*

**11:45 am – 1:15 pm**  
**Lunch on Your Own**

**1:15 pm – 2:00 pm**  
**President's Address**  
*Location: Northern DE*

**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**  
**Concurrent Sessions**  
**321: Developing an Ambulatory Care Model**  
*Location: Northern DE*  
**322: Care Management Strategy**  
*Location: Northern C*  
**323: Mission Possible: Journey to RN Advisor Line**  
*Location: Americas Seminar*  
**324: RN-Led Medicare Wellness Visits**  
*Location: Southern 4*

**3:30 pm – 4:30 pm**  
**Concurrent Sessions**  
**331: Care Transition Hand-Off Toolkit**  
*Location: Northern C*  
**332: Care Management Teams**  
*Location: Southern 4*  
**333: Clinical Informatics' Role in Implementing an After-Hours Telehealth Program**  
*Location: Americas Seminar*  
**334: To Leadership and Beyond**  
*Location: Northern DE*

## **Saturday, May 12, 2018**

**7:00 am – 9:00 am**  
**Certification Review Course Registration**  
*Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer*

**7:00 am – 8:00 am**  
**Continental Breakfast**  
*Location: Northern C*

**8:00 am – 5:00 pm**  
**Post-Conference Workshop**  
**901: Ambulatory Care Nursing Certification Review Course**  
*Location: Northern C*

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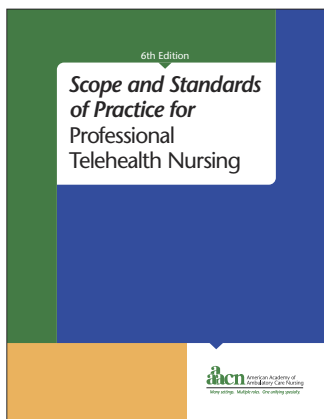
**Free Mobile  
Conference App**

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**aacn** American Academy of  
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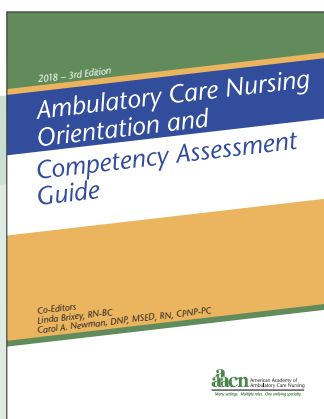
*Many settings. Multiple roles. One unifying specialty.*

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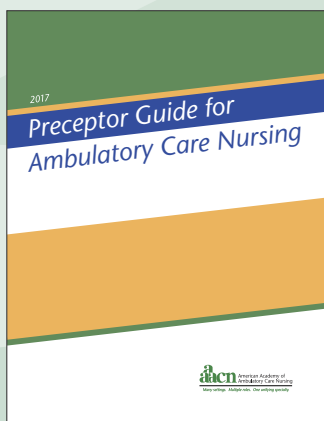
***Ambulatory Care Nursing Orientation and Competency Assessment Guide, 3rd Edition***  
Special conference pricing: \$65

### **Pre-Conference Session on Wednesday, May 9**

***Creating an RN Workforce for  
Ambulatory Care Settings***

Learn more about orientation and competencies, preceptorship, and implementing a nurse residency program.

*Separate fees apply.*



***Preceptor Guide for Ambulatory Care Nursing***  
This is an electronic publication.  
Order online at [www.aaacn.org](http://www.aaacn.org)

See all AAACN education resources at Booth #117

**Welcome.** We are pleased that you are joining your ambulatory care nursing colleagues at our 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference!

Our conference is filled with numerous opportunities for you to connect with other nurses in similar roles, enhance your leadership skills, and advance your practice.

We know you won't be able to take advantage of everything the conference has to offer in a few short days, **so we have extended the value of the conference** by providing you with online access to all of the sessions—for free!

With your **free access to the AACN Online Library**, you can:

- Access selected recorded sessions and presentation materials
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- Evaluate the sessions you attended

You have access to a rich source of CNE contact hours that you can use for certification and licensure requirements.

Thank you for attending the AACN Conference. Enjoy your time with us here in Lake Buena Vista!

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## Conference App

Get the most out of your experience with the AAACN conference app! Use the app to learn more about sessions, find and contact fellow attendees, post photos for all to see, connect to social media, and more. Registered attendees automatically receive download and sign-in information in their confirmation emails.



### More questions?

Visit the Technology Table near the Registration Desk onsite.

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## Lead Retrieval & Exhibitor Contacts

AAACN will use a lead retrieval system in the conference Exhibit Hall. Attendees will receive a bar-coded badge that may be used during visits to the Exhibit Hall. You have the option to allow exhibitors to scan your badge, which contains the following information: your name, preferred mailing address, and email address. This service (optional to exhibitors) saves you time and makes your exhibit visits more productive.

**Note:** All conference exhibitors will receive a list of conference registrants that includes attendee names and mailing address. AAACN will NOT provide exhibitors with attendee email addresses.

# Conference Schedule

## TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2018

2:00 pm – 6:00 pm  
Registration Open

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018

7:30 am – 6:00 pm  
Registration Open

8:30 am – 11:45 am

**Pre-Conference Workshop (3.0 contact hours)**

**010 Creating an RN Workforce for Ambulatory Care Settings**

**L** Deena Gilland, DNPc, MSN, RN, NEA-BC; Linda Brixey, RN-BC;  
June Levine, MSN, PHN, RN

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to develop a transition to ambulatory care program that includes an orientation plan, competency development, preceptorships, and residency program.

1:00 pm – 3:15 pm

**Welcome and President's Address**

*M. Elizabeth Greenberg, PhD, RN-BC, C-TNP, CNE, 2017-2018 AACN President*

**Keynote Address (1.25 contact hours)**

**101 Transforming the Future of Healthcare: Lead, Inspire, and Empower**

**L** Mary Gullatte, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, AOCN, FAAN

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify global forces impacting nursing and health care and be prepared to lead the transformation of care in the expanding ambulatory care setting.

3:15 pm – 3:35 pm

**Refreshment Break**

3:35 pm – 4:35 pm

**Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

**111 Strength in Numbers to Meet Cultural Change –**

**L** **Creating an Interprofessional Continuing Education Process**

*Theresa Mendoza Mostasia, EdD, DSD, MS, BSN, RN, PHN;  
Monica Bourke, MSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to understand the significance of IPCE (interprofessional continuing education) and will be able design a basic IPCE process.

**Session Key**

**C** = Care Coordination and Transition Management

**L** = Leadership

**T** = Telehealth



# Conference Schedule

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018**

**112 Using a Collaborative Approach to Build the Care Coordination and Transition Management (CCTM) Toolkit**

**C**

*Rachelle White, BSN, RN, CCCTM; Misty Landor, MBA, MSN, RN, CSN, ANP-C, CCCTM; Helen Vigh, BSN, RN, CCCTM*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will have increased knowledge of an evidence-based tool that supports individual or organizational CCTM roles and practice.

**113 Connect 2 Care – A One-Call System for Patients to Navigate the Health Care System**

**T**

*Christine Savoie, BSN, RN; Adrienne Bauer, MBA, BSN, RN; Rhonda Tanner, MSN, MHA, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify the challenges involved in unifying three independently managed areas (nurse line, clinic, and appointment line).

**114 Medical Assistant Externship Program: Transitioning Student Externs into Professional Practice**

**L**

*Vanessa DeBiase, MSN, MEd, RN; Maria Hamakiotis, MSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to understand the process and outcomes of building a medical assistant externship program and identify the key elements of what makes a medical assistant externship program successful.

**4:35 pm – 4:45 pm**

**Break**

**4:45 pm – 5:45 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

**121 Pre-Licensure Training of Primary Care Nurses Using the Dedicated Education Unit Model**

**L**

*Mary Blankson, DNP, APRN, FNP-C; Sharon Taylor, MPH; Sarahi Almonte, MS, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify how the DEU model can be translated to primary care to promote greater understanding of the role of the PC RN.

***This session sponsored by the John H. Reck Memorial Grant.***

**122 Building and Supporting an RN Care Coordinator Program in Primary Care**

**C**

**L**

*Kristine A. Kelm, MS, BSN, RN; Beth A. Beck, BSN, RN, CMSRN; Jennifer Bousman, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify key components of a successful RN care coordinator program and provide examples of how a health care organization can provide for each of those key components.



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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018**

**123 Avoiding Litigation in Telehealth Nursing Practice**

**T** *Sherry Smith, MSN, MBA, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify risk areas and how to correct where and when applicable.

**124 Clinical Rapid Fire Presentations**

**C** **Outpatient Sickle Cell Pain Management – 1-Year Post-Implementation**

**L** *Natalie A. Merilus, MS, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to implement a quality improvement project with a nurse navigator in order to improve pain management for adults with sickle cell anemia and build relationship-based care that reduces ED visits and avoidable hospitalizations in the ambulatory setting.

**Standardizing the Pre-Operative Education Piece: The Surgical Passport**

*Jennifer M. Reinhardt, BSN, RN; Emery A. Collier, LPN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will have the framework to implement the surgical passport within their clinic and develop the surgical passport to meet the needs of a variety of clinics and services in relation to a surgical procedure or a new diagnosis.

**VAX Champ – Development of Immunization Content Leaders**

*Tracy Jo Bieber, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to understand the importance of developing content experts regarding immunizations.

**Comfort Measures and Distraction Techniques for Children Undergoing Painful Procedures in an Ambulatory Setting**

*Tara Spruill, MSN, RN, CPN; Jennifer Pfeiffer, MSN, RN, PCNS-BC, CPEN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to be understand non-pharmacologic pain management and be able to use a distraction toolkit specific to the age of the child within an ambulatory care setting.

**Metabolic Syndrome – One Thing Leads to Another**

*H. Elaine Shestokas, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be equipped to assess for the risk factors of metabolic syndrome in all patients.

**6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

**130 AAACN 101: Getting Excited About AAACN and the Conference**

Meet new colleagues, learn about AAACN, and discuss tips to get the most from your conference experience. This session is geared toward new AAACN members and first-time conference attendees; however, all are welcome!

**6:00 pm – 10:00 pm**

**Poster Viewing**

# Conference Schedule

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018**

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

**140 Opening Reception/Silent Auction**

- Relax and have fun at the Opening Reception and Silent Auction. Network with colleagues, make new friends, and enjoy delicious hors d'oeuvres (on us!). Place your bids in our 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Silent Auction, which raises money for the AAACN Scholarship and Education Fund. All attendees are welcome. Cash bar provided.

**THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2018**

7:00 am – 5:30 pm

**Registration Open**

7:00 am – 8:00 am

**Continental Breakfast**

7:00 am – 4:15 pm

**Poster Viewing**

8:00 am – 9:15 am

**General Session (1.25 contact hours)**

**201 The Journey to Develop Nurse-Sensitive Indicators in the Ambulatory  
L Care Setting**

*Ann Marie Matlock, DNP, RN, NE-BC; Harriet Udin Aronow, PhD;*

*Diane Storer Brown, PhD, RN, FNAHQ, FAAN; Rachel Start, MSN, RN, NE-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to list at least two nurse-sensitive indicators for use in the ambulatory environment and describe the process used by this group to develop those indicators.

9:15 am – 10:30 am

**Exhibit Hall Grand Opening/Meet the Board/Refreshment Break**

10:30 am – 11:30 am

**Special Interest Group (SIG) Sessions**

*No contact hours will be awarded.*

**211 Pediatric SIG**

*Facilitators: Mary Sizer, MSN, RN, CPN; Christine B. Macaulay, MSN, RN, CEN; Valeri Aymami, MSN, RN, CPN, PCNS-BC*

**212 Telehealth SIG**

**T** *Facilitators: Mary Jo Vetter, DNP, RN, AGPCNP-BC; Maureen Phillips, BSN, RN; Cynthia Murray, BN, RN-BC; Tabitha Anglea, MSN, RN, CCRN-K, LNC; Margaret Mastal, PhD, RN*

**213 Patient/Staff Education SIG**

*Presenter: Susan Weiss, MHCA, MM, BSN, RN*

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**THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2018**

**11:30 am – 12:45 pm**

**220 Networking Lunch with Roundtable Focused Topics (1.0 contact hour)**

*Box lunch included. Additional information on p. 13.*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify common concerns and devise approaches to handling those concerns with ambulatory care nursing colleagues.

**1:00 pm – 2:00 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

**231 A Beat Above: How Implementing an RN-Managed Hypertension Clinic**

**L Changed Patient Care**

**C** *Nikki Gilmore, MSN, RN; Shane Gardner, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to justify the need for RN-managed clinics in primary care and optimize the role of an RN by working them to the full extent of their license in the primary care setting.

**232 A Magic Wand Is Needed to Meet the Requirements for Nurses in a Primary Care Setting**

**L** *Pamela Schubert-Bob, MHA, RN, NE-BC, CPN; Ellen Reisinger, MBA; Michelle Fleck, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will have ideas that could be utilized to change their own area of practice within the nursing scope and staffing model of their current facility.

**233 Traversing the Headwinds – Leveraging Nurse Capital and Sustaining Gains in the Face of Expansion and Change**

**L** *Rea Buie, BSN, RN; Chastity Bennett, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to appreciate alternative strategies for meeting the demands for virtual health care team members.

**234 Transition to Practice Rapid Fire Sessions**

**L Do What You Can with What You Have: Reality-Based Strategies for Implementing a Transition-to-Practice Program in Ambulatory Care**

*Julie Tuttle, MSN, RN-BC; Jared Caron, BSN, RN-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify strategies that can be applied to existing organizational resources to facilitate the creation of a transition to practice program.

**Keeping Pace with the Changes in Healthcare Delivery: Development of a Program Design Toolkit for RN Transition to Practice Programs in Ambulatory Care Settings**

*Nancy Weaver Parker, MSN, RN, PHN, CNL; L. Jessie Jones-Bell, MSN, RN, PHN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to explain the benefits of practice partnerships as well as the standardized program model for RNs new to ambulatory care.

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**The Employee Orientation Imperative: Driving the Quality of Care**

*Lisa Balsam, BSN, RN, CRC; Hope Burnell, SPHR, SHRM-SCP*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to appreciate the importance of incorporating learning design into creating employee orientation programs.

**Ambulatory Registered Nurse Residency Program: Design, Implement, Evaluate**

*Melody Routley, MSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify four key factors that impact a residency program and review evaluation strategies to determine program effectiveness.

**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

**241 Journey of Establishing a Magnet® Nursing Culture in Ambulatory Care**

**L** *Curlissa Mapp, MSN, APRN, ACNS-BC; Deena Gilland, DNPc, MSN, RN, NEA-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to describe strategies used on the journey of excellence to elevate professional nursing practice and care delivery in ambulatory care.

**242 Advanced Illness Care: A Patient-Centered Approach to End-of-Life Care**

**C** *Lydia Border Caldwell, BSN, RN; Lisa Myers, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify a new approach to a patient-centered model of care addressing end-of-life conversations.

**243 A Veteran's Home Telehealth Experience: Chronic Care Management in the Comforts of Home**

**T**  
**C** *Laila Grace Navarro, BSN, RN-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to describe home telehealth (HT) in the VA and describe the veteran-centric care delivery model.

**244 Ready or Not, Here They Come: Ensuring Continuous Readiness in Partnership with Ambulatory Clinics**

**L** *Panissa Caldwell, MHA, BSN, RN; Latrice Maddox, BSN, RN; Meredith Parks, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify the clinical resource services team purpose and describe the annual clinical assessment process.

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**Exhibit Hall Open/Meet the Board/Dessert Break**

**4:15 pm – 5:15 pm**

**Special Interest Group (SIG) Sessions**

*No contact hours will be awarded.*

**251 Veterans Affairs SIG**

**L** *Facilitators: Mary Kate Sweeney, MSN, RN-BC; Kathy Andersen, MSN, RN-BC*

**252 Tri-Service Military SIG**

**L** *Facilitator: Colonel Andrew Powell; Jennifer J. Hatzfeld, PhD, RN, APHN-BC*

**253 Leadership SIG**

**L** *Facilitators: Christine Ruygrok, MBA, RN, Stacey Clark, MBA, BSN, RN, CMPE; Pamela Del Monte, MS, RN-BC*

**5:00 pm – 10:00 pm**

**Poster Viewing**

**5:45 pm – 7:45 pm**

**260 Tri-Service Military Evening Forum**

Scheduled topics include virtual behavioral health, virtual health in primary care, and nursing research program for nursing scholarship in ambulatory care.

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**8:00 am – 9:30 am**

**Town Hall (1.25 contact hours)**

**301 The RN Role in Non Face-to-Face, Technology-Enhanced Nursing**

**C Practice: Meeting Health Needs and Improving Outcomes**

*Facilitator: Traci Haynes, MSN, RN, BA, CEN, CCCTM*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to describe three non-traditional ways in which ambulatory nurses are expanding their role.

**9:30 am – 10:45 am**

**Exhibit Hall Open/Meet the Board/Refreshment Break**

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## FRIDAY, MAY 11, 2018

10:45 am – 11:45 am

**Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

**311 Measuring Effectiveness of the Ambulatory Care Setting: Using Facility Evaluation to Feed the Continuous Improvement Process**

**L**

*Denise Hannagan, MSN, MHA, RN-BC, EDAC; Jeri Brittin, PhD, Allied ASID*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to define a pre- and post-facility evaluation and interpret evaluation results relating to the continuous improvement process.

**312 Evolution of Targeted Patient Population Care Management Strategy to Improve Patient Outcomes and Healthcare Resource Utilization**

**C**

*Mary Morin, MSN, RN, NEA-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to explain the importance of the establishment of and need for continual evolution of a comprehensive ambulatory care management model for targeted patient populations to improve outcomes.

**313 Using Evidence-Based Best Practices to Develop Telephone Triage Algorithms**

**T**

*David Chatterton, MSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to summarize a process for ensuring triage algorithms are evidence-based and meet best practice standards.

**314 Leadership Rapid Fire Sessions**

**L**

**Team-Based Care Model in the Ambulatory Care Setting: From**

**C**

**Conception to Operationalization**

*Bryan W. Castle, MBA, BSN, RN; Linda Delaney, MSN, RN;*

*Candice Washington, MSN, BA, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to summarize how to build a team-based care model from concept to implementation.

**Catalysts for Growth: Pathways to Becoming a Person of Influence**

*Kimberly Regis, DNP, RN, PNP-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will leave feeling equipped with practical steps to rejuvenate and inspire their daily practice and beyond.

**A Team Approach: Improving Quality Outcomes through the Engagement and Empowerment of Frontline Staff**

*Janet Porritt, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will learn a new way to facilitate meeting quality measures.

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## **Improving Documentation in the EMR Utilizing Electronic Chart Auditing in the Ambulatory Care Setting**

*Mary-Ellen Gregory, RN; Sibil J. Blee, MSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to recognize the benefit of an electronic audit vs. a paper audit.

## **Making the Glass Slipper Fit for Our Patients: Identifying Key Roles in Primary Care to Enhance a Team-Based Model and Increase Patient Care**

*Kimberly Thacker Ennis, MSM, MSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify training methods to support patient care by enhancing the care delivery model in primary care.

**11:45 am – 1:15 pm**

### **Lunch on Your Own**

*Lunch options will be available in the Dolphin, the Swan, and within walking distance on the Boardwalk.*

**1:15 pm – 2:00 pm**

### **President's Address**

*Kathy Mertens, DNP, MPH, RN, 2018-2019 AACN President*

**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**

### **Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

#### **321 Developing an Ambulatory Care Model**

**L** *Mary Ann Duvanich, MSN, MMHC, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to describe the steps needed to develop an ambulatory care staffing model that assures top of license practice and the most effective utilization of different roles.

#### **322 A Care Management Strategy to Reduce Emergency Department**

#### **C Utilization in the Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH)**

**L** *Alverta Robinson, MSA, BSN, RN-BC, LNHA*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to outline emergency department utilization using care management strategies to reduce non-emergent ED visits.

#### **323 Mission Possible: Journey to RN Advisor Line**

**T** *Dawn Fletcher, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to discuss the effect that implementing a telehealth call center has on patient satisfaction, nurses' job satisfaction, and the volume of calls.



# Conference Schedule

**FRIDAY, MAY 11, 2018**

**324 RN-Led Medicare Wellness Visits – Nurses Providing Value in Meeting**

**C Your Organization’s Important Medicare Quality Metrics**

*Lois Marie Stauffer, MSN, RN, CNL*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify the significance of the RN-led Medicare wellness visit to the patient and organization.

**3:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)**

**331 Care Transition Hand-Off Toolkit**

**C** *Gregory S. Kopp, MN, MHA, RN, CENP*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to utilize the toolkit resources to execute care transition.

**332 Care Management Teams: An Amazon Prime Approach to Care Delivery**

**C** *Paige C. Kearns, MSN, RN, CMSRN; Shanee M. Courtney, MSN, RN*

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- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to identify the benefits of an interdisciplinary team approach to case management and improve efficiency and productivity of a team.

**333 Clinical Informatics’ Role in Implementing an After-Hours Telehealth Program for Primary Care**

**T** *Deborah Ann Picchione, MS, BSN, RN; Susanne T. Fehr, PhD, RN-BC, NE-BC*

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- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to describe the role of the clinical informatics nurse in implementing an after-hours telehealth program and expand telehealth use in ambulatory care.

**334 To Leadership and Beyond: Professional Development and Onboarding for Ambulatory Care Nurse Leaders**

**L** *Jamie Kaye Stucky, MS, RN, CJCP; Sara J. Miller, BSN, RN*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to describe the components of a successful orientation and ongoing development program for ambulatory care nurse leaders.

# Conference Schedule

**SATURDAY, MAY 12, 2018**

**7:00 am – 8:00 am**

**Certification Review Course Registration/Continental Breakfast**

**8:00 am – 5:00 pm**

**Post-Conference Workshop (7.9 contact hours)**

**901 Ambulatory Care Nursing Certification Review Course**

**T** *E. Mary Johnson, BSN, RN-BC, NE-BC; Susan M. Paschke, MSN, RN-BC,*  
**L** *NEA-BC*

- After completing this learning activity, the participant will be able to use the presentation to reinforce knowledge of ambulatory care nursing, self-assess the content areas where they need further review, and use the content presented as preparation for taking the certification exam.

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## Roundtable Focused Topics

The Networking Lunch with roundtable focused topics session is a continuing nursing education (CNE) activity. The purpose is to examine an identified professional or clinical problem and document the approaches discussed. Choose a table with a category of interest, appoint a facilitator and recorder for each table, and document the group's activity on the card provided at each table. Members of the Planning Committee will be available to provide activity guidance.

### Networking Session Topics and Approximate Table Locations

Nursing Excellence

Care Coordination and  
Transition Management

Electronic Health  
Records

Clinical Topics

Advanced Care  
Models/PCMH

Telehealth

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- Selfies with your Board of Directors.
- Post-session relaxation with new friends.

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*2.0 contact hours to be awarded for poster viewing.*

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## Poster Group A

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*Available for viewing on:*

Wednesday, May 9, 2018, from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Thursday, May 10, 2018, from 7:00 am to 4:15 pm

- Poster #1A:** Implementing Evidence-Based Strategies to Empower Nurses towards Nursing Professional Certification in a Magnet®-Designated Healthcare Facility
- Poster #2A:** Emergency Response Readiness in a Magnet®-Designated Pediatric Ambulatory Care Setting
- Poster #3A:** Is an Ambulatory Train-the-Trainer Program Effective for Validating Competency of Hands-On Skills?
- Poster #4A:** Continuous Improvement of Ambulatory Orientation Curriculum Improves Caregiver Confidence
- Poster #5A:** The Impact of In-Situ Mock Codes on Ambulatory Care Clinical Staff
- Poster #6A:** Improving Patient Safety in Ambulatory Clinics through a Dynamic Vaccine Administration Competency
- Poster #7A:** Have You Heard? Measuring the Effectiveness of Educational Communication across Multi-Site Ambulatory Clinics
- Poster #8A:** Mission Possible: Creating Standardized Orientation Length in Ambulatory
- Poster #9A:** Made from Scratch: Creating an Ambulatory Resource Team Orientation
- Poster #10A:** Creating a Safe and Efficient Process for Allergy Skin Prick Testing
- Poster #11A:** Creating a Safe Practice Environment in Subcutaneous Immunotherapy Administration

# Poster Presentations

- Poster #12A:** Don't Be a Rule Breaker: Define Scope of Practice and Redefine Ambulatory Skill Mix
- Poster #13A:** The Incredible Journey to Patient-Centered Medical Home
- Poster #14A:** Revolutionizing Inpatient To Community Care by Coordinating to Create a Collaborative Interdisciplinary Team
- Poster #15A:** The Essential Role of the Ambulatory Care Nurse in Primary Care
- Poster #16A:** Practice Enhancement to Drive Patient and Care Team Engagement
- Poster #17A:** Beyond the Face: A Tribute to Craniofacial Team Patients at Connecticut Children's Medical Center
- Poster #18A:** Impact of Formalized Medication Reconciliation Process on Medication Self-Management and Major Drug Interaction Detection in Home Health
- Poster #19A:** 30-Day Unplanned Readmission Reduction Program in the Gastrointestinal Oncology Surgical Patient Population
- Poster #20A:** Transitional Care Management: What's Next?
- Poster #21A:** Team-Based Care/Incorporation of Integrated Health Therapist in Primary Care Setting
- Poster #22A:** The Whole Health Connection, Behavior Health and Primary Care Integration
- Poster #23A:** Grand "Centralized" Station: Creating Centralized Ambulatory Services for Continuum of Care
- Poster #24A:** Nurse-Led Project to Redesign Initial Visit Flow Led to Substantially Reduced No-Show Rate
- Poster #25A:** Nurse's Guide to a Standardized Intake Document

# Poster Presentations

- Poster #26A:** Tackling Telephone Consults: Utilizing Continuous Process Improvement to Enhance Patient Care
- Poster #27A:** The Patient Access Nursing Role in Discharge Scheduling and Care Coordination: A Partnership with Inpatient Surgical Services
- Poster #28A:** Successful Transitions: Care Coordination and Management of the Adolescent with Congenital Heart Disease
- Poster #29A:** Increasing Compliance with Advanced Directives in an Ambulatory Care Setting
- Poster #30A:** Reducing Length of Pre-Admission Testing Clinic Appointment through Workflow Redesign
- Poster #31A:** Transformation of a Care Coordination Program: A Nurse-Managed Team for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs
- Poster #32A:** Building a Rainbow Bridge
- Poster #33A:** Care Coordination and Transitions from the Hospital to the Community: A TEAM APPROACH
- Poster #34A:** Ten Years Later: Are We Still Facilitating a Safe Transition Home for Our ED Patients?
- Poster #35A:** Insurance and the Ambulatory Nurse: What You Need to Know but Didn't Know What to Ask
- Poster #36A:** No Ifs, Ands, or Butts About It
- Poster #37A:** An Integrative, Patient-Centered Model of Care Using Meditation and Care Coordination Improves Quality of Life and Coping Strategies in Cyclic Vomiting Syndrome: A Prospective Randomized Controlled Trial
- Poster #38A:** Patient Risk Score Registry
- Poster #39A:** A Case for Advanced Practice in Care Coordination and Transition Management
- Poster #40A:** Making a Difference: Pre-Operative Education Works!
- Poster #41A:** Integrating BSN Students into an Interprofessional Primary Care Setting - A VA Initiative
- Poster #42A:** Putting Your Best Foot Forward: Diabetic Foot Exams and Patient Education

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- Poster #43A:** The Use of Continuous Positive Airway Pressure with Moderate Sedation among Patients Undergoing Transesophageal Echocardiograms and Transesophageal Echocardiograms with Elective Cardioversions
- Poster #44A:** Group Medical Visits for Improving Self-Management in Diabetic Patients
- Poster #45A:** Innovative Solutions and Interprofessional Collaboration to Enhance Care Coordination for Normal Lab Results Notification
- Poster #46A:** Utilizing a Modified Care Coordination Measurement Tool to Capture Value of Nurse Practitioners in an Ambulatory Infusion Setting
- Poster #47A:** Walk-In Contraception Clinics to Improve Access to Effective Contraceptives
- Poster #48A:** Benefits of Forming a Standardized General Orientation Plan for New Clinical Staff within Ambulatory Services
- Poster #49A:** Compassion Fatigue: The Impact on Nursing Practice
- Poster #50A:** Improving Primary Care Nurse Education on Advance Care Planning
- Poster #51A:** RN-Led Ambulatory Fall Prevention Program Using Technology to Drive Design and Outcomes
- Poster #52A:** Decreasing No-Show Rates in a Busy Pediatric Clinic
- Poster #53A:** Incorporating Addiction Services into Primary Care
- Poster #54A:** No Surgical Items Left Behind: A Multidisciplinary Approach to the Surgical Count Process
- Poster #55A:** Implementation of a Nurse-Managed Heart Failure Standard Operating Procedure
- Poster #56A:** Standardizing Standing Orders to Improve Patient Flow across a Large Organization
- Poster #57A:** Improving Operational Efficiency through the Development of a Multidisciplinary Cross Training Program
- Poster #58A:** Instilling the Principles of a High-Reliability Organization (HRO) into the Culture of Frontline Safety Champions in the Ambulatory Care Setting

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# Program-At-A-Glance

Note: Any changes to published room assignments will be communicated via the conference app and signage onsite.

## Tuesday, May 8, 2018

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2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Registration Open

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

## Wednesday, May 9, 2018

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7:30 am – 6:00 pm

Registration Open

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

8:30 am – 11:45 am

Pre-Conference Workshop

010: **Creating an RN Workforce for Ambulatory Care Settings**

Location: Southern 4

1:00 pm – 3:15 pm

Welcome and President's Address/Keynote Address

101: **Transforming Future of Healthcare**

Location: Southern 4

3:15 pm – 3:35 pm

Refreshment Break

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

3:35 pm – 4:35 pm

Concurrent Sessions

111: **Strength in Numbers to Meet Cultural Change**

Location: Southern 4

112: **Collaborative Approach to Build Care Coordination & Transition Management Toolkit**

Location: Northern CDE

113: **Connect 2 Care**

Location: Americas Seminar

114: **Medical Assistant Externship Program**

Location: Asia 5

4:45 pm – 5:45 pm

Concurrent Sessions (1.0 contact hour)

121: **Pre-Licensure Training of Primary Care Nurses**

Location: Asia 5

122: **Building & Supporting RN Care Coordinator Program in Primary Care**

Location: Southern 4

123: **Avoiding Litigation in Telehealth Nursing Practice**

Location: Northern CDE

124: **Clinical Rapid Fire Presentations**

Location: Americas Seminar

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

130: **AAACN 101: Getting Excited About AAACN and the Conference**

Location: Northern CDE

6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Poster Viewing

Location: Northern AB

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

140: **Opening Reception/Silent Auction**

Location: Pacific A

## Thursday, May 10, 2018

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7:00 am – 5:30 pm

Registration Open

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

7:00 am – 8:00 am

Continental Breakfast

Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer

7:00 am – 4:15 pm

Poster Viewing

Location: Northern AB

8:00 am – 9:15 am

201: **Journey to Develop Nurse-Sensitive Indicators**

Location: Northern CDE

9:15 am – 10:30 am

Exhibit Hall Grand Opening/Meet the Board/ Refreshment Break

Location: Northern AB

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Special Interest Group (SIG) Sessions

211: **Pediatric SIG**

Location: Americas Seminar

212: **Telehealth SIG**

Location: Southern 4

213: **Patient/Staff Education SIG**

Location: Northern CDE

11:30 am – 12:45 pm

220: **Networking Lunch with Roundtable Focused Topics**

Location: Atlantic B

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Concurrent Sessions

231: **A Beat Above**

Location: Southern 4

232: **Magic Wand Needed to Meet Requirements for Nurses in Primary Care Setting**

Location: Northern CDE

233: **Traversing the Headwinds**

Location: Asia 5

234: **Transition to Practice Rapid Fire Sessions**

Location: Americas Seminar

# Program-At-A-Glance

**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions**

**241: Journey of Establishing Magnet®  
Nursing Culture**

*Location: Northern CDE*

**242: Advanced Illness Care**

*Location: Americas Seminar*

**243: A Veteran's Home Telehealth  
Experience**

*Location: Asia 5*

**244: Ready or Not, Here They Come**

*Location: Southern 4*

**3:15 pm – 4:15 pm**

**Exhibit Hall Open/Meet the Board/Dessert  
Break**

*Location: Northern AB*

**4:15 pm – 5:15 pm**

**Special Interest Group (SIG) Sessions**

**251: Veterans Affairs SIG**

*Location: Americas Seminar*

**252: Tri-Service Military SIG**

*Location: Asia 5*

**253: Leadership SIG**

*Location: Northern CDE*

**5:00 pm – 10:00 pm**

**Poster Viewing**

*Location: Northern AB*

**5:45 pm – 7:45 pm**

**260: Tri-Service Military Evening Forum**

*Location: Southern 4*

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## Friday, May 11, 2018

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**7:00 am – 4:30 pm**

**Registration Open**

*Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer*

**7:00 am – 8:00 am**

**Continental Breakfast/Exhibit Hall Open/Meet  
the Board**

*Location: Northern AB*

**7:00 am – 10:45 am**

**Poster Viewing**

*Location: Northern AB*

**8:00 am – 9:30 am**

**301: Town Hall: RN Role in Non Face-to-  
Face, Technology-Enhanced Nursing  
Practice:**

*Location: Northern CDE*

**9:30 am – 10:45 am**

**Exhibit Hall Open/Meet the Board/  
Refreshment Break**

*Location: Northern AB*

**10:45 am – 11:45 am**

**Concurrent Sessions**

**311: Measuring Effectiveness of the  
Ambulatory Care Setting**

*Location: Asia 5*

**312: Evolution of Targeted Patient  
Population Care Management**

*Location: Southern 4*

**313: Using Evidence-Based Best Practices  
to Develop Telephone Triage  
Algorithms**

*Location: Americas Seminar*

**314: Leadership Rapid Fire Sessions**

*Location: Northern CDE*

**11:45 am – 1:15 pm**

**Lunch on Your Own**

**1:15 pm – 2:00 pm**

**President's Address**

*Location: Northern CDE*

**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions**

**321: Developing an Ambulatory Care Model**

*Location: Northern CDE*

**322: Care Management Strategy**

*Location: Southern 4*

**323: Effect of Implementing Virtual RN  
Telephone Triage Center**

*Location: Asia 5*

**324: RN-Led Medicare Wellness Visits**

*Location: Americas Seminar*

**3:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

**Concurrent Sessions**

**331: Care Transition Hand-Off Toolkit**

*Location: Southern 4*

**332: Care Management Teams**

*Location: Americas Seminar*

**333: Clinical Informatics' Role in  
Implementing an After-Hours  
Telehealth Program**

*Location: Asia 5*

**334: To Leadership and Beyond**

*Location: Northern CDE*

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## Saturday, May 12, 2018

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**7:00 am – 8:00 am**

**Certification Review Course Registration**

*Location: Northern Hemisphere Foyer*

**7:00 am – 8:00 am**

**Continental Breakfast**

*Location: Northern D*

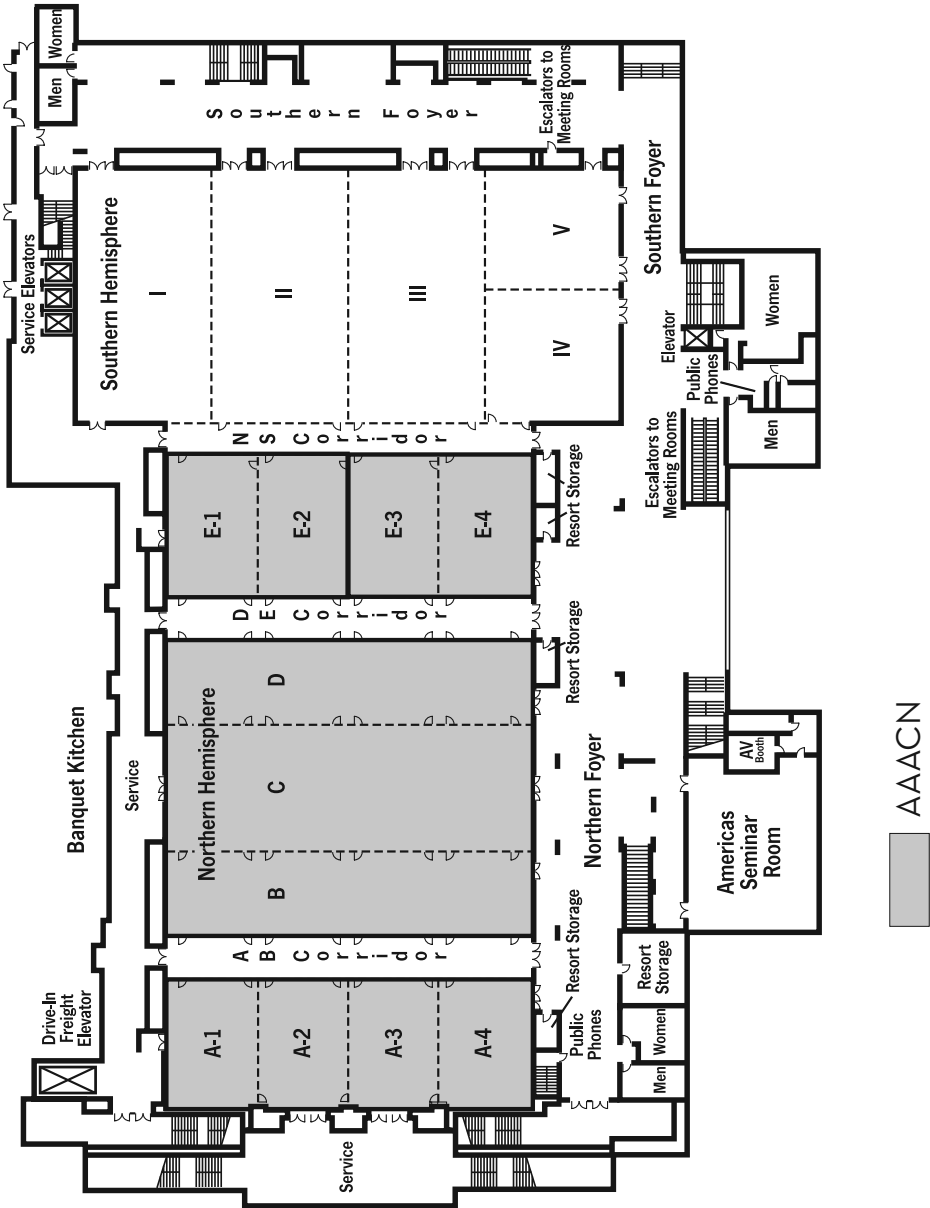
**8:00 am – 5:00 pm**

**Post-Conference Workshop**

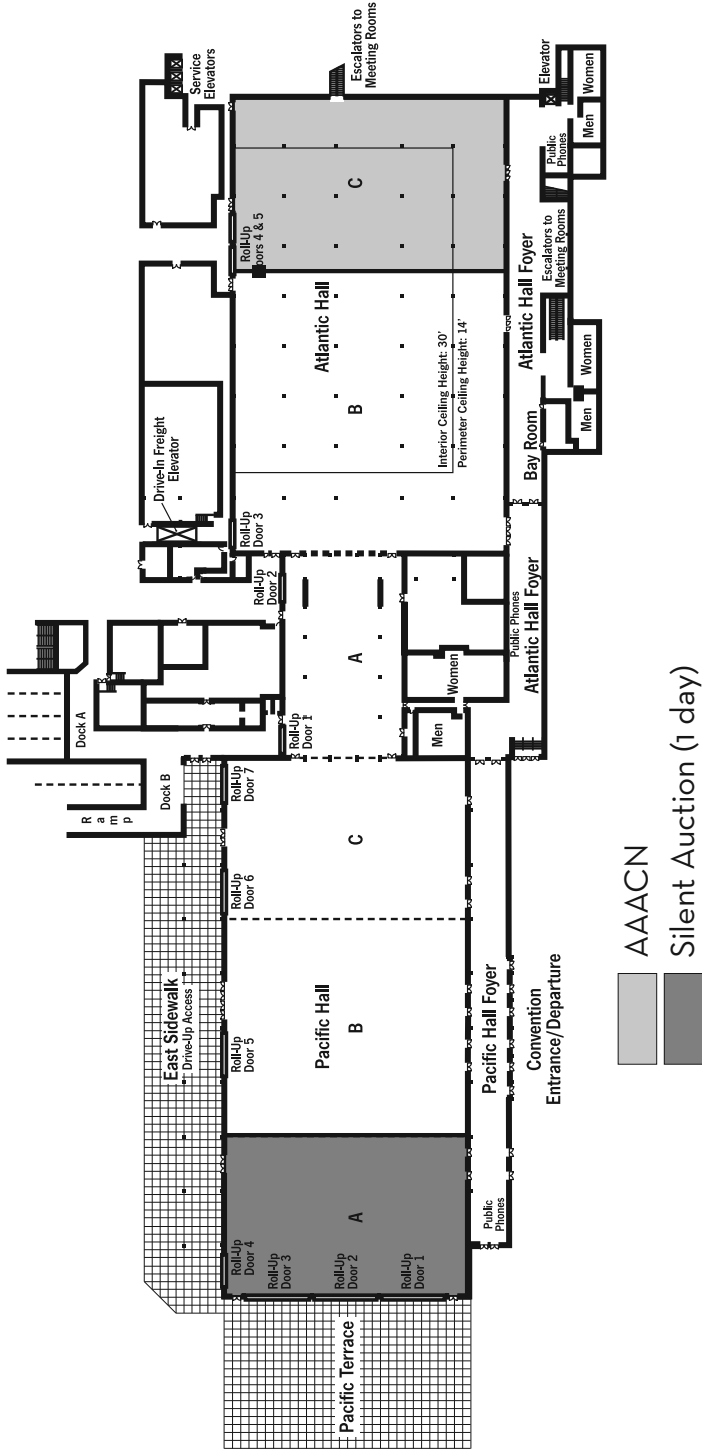
**901: Ambulatory Care Nursing Certification  
Review Course**

*Location: Northern E1*

# Hotel Floor Plan



# Hotel Floor Plan



# Poster Presentations

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- Poster #59A:** Exploring Current Practice Trends and Patient Factors that Affect Quality of Care and Hospital Admissions among Newly Diagnosed Adult Veterans with Diabetes Mellitus Type 2
- Poster #60A:** The Impact of Diabetes Education Groups on HBA1c in Adult Diabetic Patients in the PCMH
- Poster #61A:** The Art of De-Escalation
- Poster #62A:** Intravenous Therapy Practices in a Midwest Non-Hospital Outpatient Department
- Poster #63A:** Nurse Residency Program Expansion to the Ambulatory Setting
- Poster #64A:** Anaphylaxis Recognition and Management: A Nurse-Driven Quality Improvement Initiative
- Poster #65A:** Standardizing Automated Blood Pressure Measurement CentraCare Health Clinics with a Competency Checklist
- Poster #66A:** Bridging Oral Health Care with Research: The Impact of Nursing in the Field of Dentistry

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## Poster Group B

*Available for viewing on:*

Thursday, May 10, 2018, from 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Friday, May 11, 2018, from 7:00 am to 10:45 am

- Poster #1B:** Two Ambulatory Clinic Models Compared: Can the Efficiency of an Ambulatory Clinic Be Improved by Implementing Operating Standards?
- Poster #2B:** Implementing a Hospital/Public Health Partnership Breastfeeding Walk-in Clinic: A Patient-Centered Solution when Patient Needs Are High and Resources Limited
- Poster #3B:** Benefits of the RN in the Patient-Centered Medical Home
- Poster #4B:** Peer Review: Improving Feedback Skills in Ambulatory Nurses
- Poster #5B:** Telephone Triage Simulation Utilizing Standardized Patients

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- Poster #6B:** Quantifying Use of Nursing Skills and Knowledge by Registered Nurses Working in Primary Care
- Poster #7B:** Anticoagulation Therapy: Maximizing the Autonomy of the RN in Targeted Patient Population Management
- Poster #8B:** Transforming Nursing Support Departments to a Comprehensive Patient Care Services Division
- Poster #9B:** Improving Teamwork and Communication: A Trauma Outpatient Center TeamSTEPPS Experience
- Poster #10B:** Hardwiring System Solutions for Continuity of Care, Efficiency, and Regulatory Compliance
- Poster #11B:** System Solution for Access and Continuity of Care for the Vulnerable Inmate Population
- Poster #12B:** Improving Clinical Competence and Knowledge for Medical Assistants, Patient Care Associates and Emergency Department Technicians at Connecticut Children's Medical Center
- Poster #13B:** Optimizing the Team: One Stroke at a Time
- Poster #14B:** Addressing Virginia's Opioid Crisis
- Poster #15B:** Ambulatory Safety Event Reporting – Why Are They Not Being Completed?
- Poster #16B:** A Simulation for Nursing Students or RNs New to Ambulatory Care
- Poster #17B:** Reducing Errors with Pediatric Immunizations in Ambulatory Care
- Poster #18B:** What Can Brown Do For You? (Improving Colorectal Screening Compliance)
- Poster #19B:** Customized Tinted Lenses in Veterans with Headache, Photophobia, and Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI)
- Poster #20B:** Using Quality Education for Nursing to Improve Incidence of Ambulatory Medication Errors
- Poster #21B:** Improving Staff Preparedness and Patient Outcomes with Mock Emergencies at Hospital Satellite Offices
- Poster #22B:** Evaluating Alternatives to Standing Height in the Ambulatory Setting
- Poster #23B:** Hand Hygiene in the Clinic Setting

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- Poster #24B:** A QI Study on the Patient Family Perspective of the Health Care Provider Interaction with Family Regarding Handwashing when Entering and Exiting the Exam Room
- Poster #25B:** Use of Intranasal Fentanyl for Cast Molding in the Pediatric Orthopedic Outpatient Clinical Setting
- Poster #26B:** Improving Diabetes Control in Adults with Type 2 Diabetes: A Interdisciplinary Approach
- Poster #27B:** Medicare Population Health Promotion Outcomes Research
- Poster #28B:** Across the Street: Borrowing Strategies from Our Inpatient Partners to Enhance the Patient Experience in Ambulatory Practice
- Poster #29B:** Development of a Clinical Ladder Recognition Program for Licensed Practical Nurses
- Poster #30B:** Work Study Groups: Effective in Helping RNs in the Outpatient Clinic Setting in Obtaining Their Ambulatory Care Nurse Certification
- Poster #31B:** Leveraging LEAN Tools for Magnet® Site Visit Preparation within Ambulatory Care Nursing
- Poster #32B:** Medical Assistant Skills Day
- Poster #33B:** Building the Foundations of Practice of the LPN and CMA in Ambulatory Care
- Poster #34B:** Toward Cultural Competency – One Organization’s Transformational Journey
- Poster #35B:** Evaluation of a Medical Home Port’s Use of Nursing Protocols
- Poster #36B:** Using CGCAHPS Scores to Improve a Patient’s Perception of Quality of Care
- Poster #37B:** Clinical Academic Partnership: An Essential Element in Establishing a Ambulatory Care Residency Program
- Poster #38B:** Development of an Ambulatory Nursing Quality Dashboard at Henry Ford Health System
- Poster #39B:** It Takes a Village to Raise a Baby...It Takes a Team to Make One!
- Poster #40B:** Regulatory Readiness in the Ambulatory Setting



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- Poster #41B:** Improving LVN Retention through Transformational Leadership and Orientation Initiatives
- Poster #42B:** Care Coordination across the Continuum: Moving Beyond the Hospital Walls
- Poster #43B:** Reducing Emergency Department Utilization in Infants: A Quality Improvement Study
- Poster #44B:** Envisioning Future Roles and Responsibilities of Nursing in Care Management and Chronic Illness Management: A Qualitative Study
- Poster #45B:** Nursing in Primary Health Care: A Grounded Theory Study
- Poster #46B:** Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) Proposal
- Poster #47B:** Essential Communication: Providers and Triage Nurses Working Together to Reduce ED Visits
- Poster #48B:** Our Nurses Rock! Our Patient Win
- Poster #49B:** “Emergency, Emergency!” Improving Emergency Preparedness in the Pediatric Outpatient Specialty Care Satellite Centers
- Poster #50B:** Closing the Gaps in Ambulatory Healthcare Delivery: Discover the CNS Role
- Poster #51B:** 60-Day Rapid Process Improvement Project
- Poster #52B:** HEDIS I.O.U Program
- Poster #53B:** Revitalization of a Safety Coach Program in the Ambulatory Setting of a Large Integrated Healthcare System to Improve Patient Safety and Effectiveness
- Poster #54B:** Improving Communication through Simulation
- Poster #55B:** The Clash of the Nurses: After-Hours Nurses Sharing Their Expertise to Develop a Daytime Triage Orientation Process
- Poster #56B:** Telemedicine Leverages Expert Nursing and Technology: Delivering Standard of Care Closer to Home
- Poster #57B:** Green-Yellow-Red: Triage Flag List Project
- Poster #58B:** Call Center Excellence: How Shared Governance “Dialed It in”
- Poster #59B:** Telehealth: A Service that Increases Access to Health Care, Reduces Hospitalizations, and Maintains Independent Living

# Poster Presentations

**Poster #60B:** Improving Safety and Quality of Telephone Triage through Standardization of Practice across a Large Pediatric Primary Care Network

**Poster #61B:** Preparing for Surgery: When a Phone Call Is All You Need

**Poster #62B:** Large Scale Implementation of a Telephone Nurse Advice and Triage Service for an ACO

**Poster #63B:** Call Us First

**Poster #64B:** Telephone Triage across UCSF Ambulatory Practices

**Poster #65B:** Telehealth Nursing Practice Improvement Project in a Large Regional Health care System

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### Main Conference

Wednesday, 5/9 . . . . . 3.25

Thursday, 5/10 . . . . . 4.25

Friday, 5/11 . . . . . 6.25

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### Post-Conference

Certification review course . . . . . 7.9

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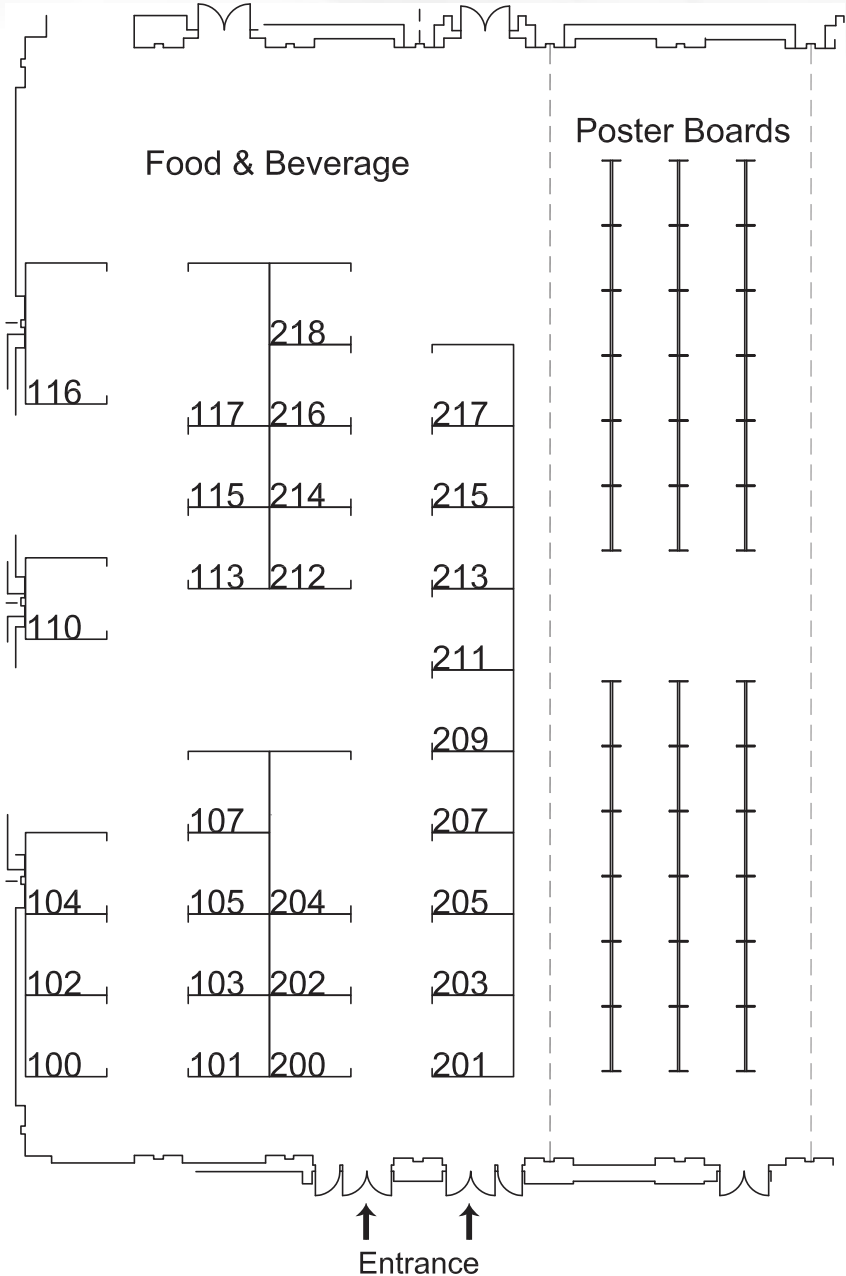
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Nursing staff, nurses performing telephone triage, care coordinators, administrators, educators, clinical nurse specialists, advanced practice nurses, and researchers who are involved in the delivery of nursing care in the ambulatory care arena.

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- *Pre-Conference Session:* Workshop presentation of 3 hours that comprehensively focuses on a core skill important to ambulatory care nursing.
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### Care Transition Hand-Off Toolkit

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#### *Explore your role in care transition*

The **Care Transition Hand-Off Toolkit** encompasses ambulatory, acute, emergency department, and skilled nursing facility settings with applicability to both urban and rural settings.

#### *Use the toolkit to:*

- Learn about the best tools and resources available for patient hand-offs
- Customize a hand-off tool specific to your patient population/setting
- Implement best practices identified in the Evidence Table

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