PEDIATRIC CRITICAL CARE NURSING

Nashville, TN • November 8-11, 2009

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Dear Colleagues:

As pediatric nurses, we experience both the joys and challenges of caring for our very vulnerable patients. Not only must we keep our clinical skills fresh and sharp, but we must also be counselors, case managers and advocates for both our patients and their families. New research data, therapeutic interventions, safety initiatives and JCAHO-mandated policies must be translated into clinical practice. In addition, we must strive to ensure that we are creating a workplace environment that encourages learning, teamwork, flexibility and professional development.

We invite you to join us at the 25th Annual Pediatric Critical Care Nursing Conference to discover how your fellow practitioners are working towards solutions to these challenges. The conference is designed to provide a forum for interactive collaboration and problem solving with both colleagues and experts in the field. Presented by a diverse faculty with broad expertise and hands-on experience, this conference has something for everyone!

Highlights of the 2009 conference include:

- The return of the ever-popular “Critical Care Overview” Preconference, which serves as an excellent update of major aspects of pediatric critical care, as well as outstanding preparation for those taking the AACN CCRN exam.
- A dynamic “Pediatric Cardiology” Preconference featuring cutting-edge information on topics ranging from pathophysiology to interventional catheterization to mechanical assist devices.
- Main Conference topics offering evidence-based updates and practical strategies to improve your clinical practice.
- 20 Concurrent Session choices, allowing you to tailor your conference experience to meet your individual educational needs and interests.
- A chance to share ideas and build professional relationships with colleagues while enjoying all that Nashville, “Music City USA”, has to offer!

Return to work feeling informed, revitalized and ready to meet any challenge! See you there!

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Who Should Attend?

Anyone involved in the care of critically ill children.

If you are a:
- Staff Nurse
- Nurse Practitioner
- Clinical Nurse Specialist
- Nurse Manager
- Educator or Instructor
- Transport Nurse
- Trauma Nurse
- Case Manager

If you work in a:
- Pediatric ICU
- General Pediatric Unit
- Adult/Mixed ICU
- Emergency/Trauma Unit
- Cardiovascular/Cardiology Unit
- Surgery/Surgical Unit
- Neonatal ICU

… this conference is for you!

Conference Objectives

This educational offering will enable the experienced clinician to:

- Integrate pathophysiologic concepts into the care and management of various pediatric diseases, injuries and congenital anomalies.
- Analyze recent research and literature to better understand and appropriately utilize current evidence-based recommendations for care.
- Refine clinical judgment and critical thinking skills through case study discussions.
- Improve interpersonal communication skills and apply them in conflict management, boundary setting and working with challenging patients and families.
- Evaluate and utilize the latest information on VAP prevention, informatics, resuscitation and the impact of MRSA on hospitalized children.

Call for Abstracts

Have you developed a new clinical practice guideline or program, or completed a research project that has made a difference in the care of your critically ill or injured patients?

Have you worked in a collaborative partnership with other clinicians to make a positive impact on your work environment?

If you answered “Yes” to either of these questions, your colleagues would love to hear more about it! Share your triumphs and achievements in a poster presentation at the Pediatric Critical Care Nursing conference in Nashville.

Presenters will have their peer-reviewed abstracts printed in the Conference Guide and will have the opportunity to share their innovations with colleagues at the meeting. All poster presenters must register for the Main Conference and will receive a $50 refund on the Main Conference full tuition fee. Refunds will be issued after the conference.

Poster applications from teams and individuals are welcome. The deadline for application is September 15.

To submit an abstract for a poster presentation, please visit: www.contemporaryforums.com/abstracts/414209 or call Stacy Stuart: (800) 377-7707 Ext. 5105

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Preconference A: 6.5 ANCC/7.8 CA BRN contact hours
Preconference B: 6.5 ANCC/7.8 CA BRN contact hours
Main Conference: 16.25 ANCC/19.5 CA BRN contact hours

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Pharmacology Credit for Prescriptive Authority

Preconference A: 2.25 hours
Main Conference: 3.0 hours available

Rx indicates pharmacology content. States’ requirements vary. Contact your Board of Nursing for more information.

Case Managers

Application has been made for continuing education credit from the Commission for Case Manager Certification.
**Pediatric Critical Care Overview**

**Sunday, November 8**

This Preconference provides information on the pathophysiology, assessment and management of problems encountered in pediatric critical care. The program is especially designed to address preparatory information outlined by the American Association of Critical-Care Nurses’ Pediatric CCRN Certification Test Plan/Exam Blueprint. Enhance your knowledge in a learning environment conducive to interaction with the expert faculty and your colleagues.

This Preconference will enable the experienced clinician to:

- Describe the pathophysiology of selected disease states.
- Recognize potential complications of traumatic injuries.
- Accurately assess patients who present with signs of cardiac or respiratory disease.
- Explain alterations in the immune and endocrine systems.

7:00 a.m. Preconference A Registration • Check-In

8:00 Congestive Heart Failure: Cardiomyopathy versus CHD (0.25 hr.)
Marisa G. Mize, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPNP, PC, AC

8:45 Pediatric Head Trauma: Minimizing Secondary Brain Injury (0.25 hr.)
Leanna R. Miller, MN, RN, CCRN, PCCN, CEN, CPNP

9:30 Refreshment Break

9:45 More Than Wheezing: Life-Threatening Asthma (0.25 hr.)
Marisa G. Mize, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPNP, PC, AC

10:30 Blasts, Cytes & Phils: Critical Care Immunology (0.25 hr.)
Leanna R. Miller, MN, RN, CCRN, PCCN, CEN, CPNP

11:15 Questions and Discussion (0.25 hr.)
Faculty Panel

12:00 p.m. Lunch Break

1:15 Toxic Ingestions: When to Worry (0.25 hr.)
Marisa G. Mize, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPNP, PC, AC

2:00 Picking Up the Pieces After Pediatric Trauma: Managing the Complications (0.25 hr.)
Leanna R. Miller, MN, RN, CCRN, PCCN, CEN, CPNP

2:45 Refreshment Break

3:00 Glands and Hormones: DKA and Other Endocrine Disorders (0.25 hr.)
Marisa G. Mize, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPNP, PC, AC

3:45 Questions and Discussion (0.25 hr.)
Faculty Panel

4:15 Adjourn

**Pediatric Cardiology**

**Sunday, November 8**

This exciting Preconference is designed for experienced pediatric and critical care nurses who would like to reinforce their current knowledge as well as explore concepts beyond the basic anatomy and physiology of the pediatric heart. Investigate the most up-to-date cardiac information, procedures and interventions as they relate to your pediatric patients. Don’t miss this opportunity to advance your knowledge to the next level!

This Preconference will enable the experienced clinician to:

- Describe the pathophysiology of selected cardiac defects.
- Identify advances in VAD technology and interventional cardiology.
- Fine-tune assessment skills and recognition of potential complications with post-op cardiac patients.

7:00 a.m. Preconference B Registration • Check-In

8:00 Congenital Heart Defects: The Big Picture
Suwanne M. Daves, MD

8:45 Post-Op Management for Patients with Cyanotic versus Acyanotic Defects
Aimee Jennings, MSN, RN, CPNP

9:45 Refreshment Break

10:00 Interstage Management of Children with Palliated Congenital Heart Defects
Nancy Rudd, MS, RN, CPNP-AC

10:45 Adult Congenital Heart Disease: Successful Care
Larry W. Markham, MD, MS

11:30 Questions and Discussion
Faculty Panel

12:00 p.m. Lunch Break

1:15 Ventricular Assist Devices: Possibilities and Limitations
Aimee Jennings, MSN, RN, CPNP

2:00 Interventional Cardiac Catheterization
Thomas P. Doyle, MD

2:45 Refreshment Break

3:00 Low Cardiac Output Syndrome
Gil Wernovsky, MD, FCCC, FAAP

3:45 Questions and Discussion
Faculty Panel

4:15 Adjourn
Monday, November 9

7:00 a.m. Registration • Check-In • Exhibits
8:00 Recent Developments in Pediatric Resuscitation and PALS
Mary Fran Hazinski, MSN, RN, FAAN, FAHA
8:45 The Products of Our Success: Challenges Facing Survivors of Congenital Heart Surgery
Gil Wernovsky, MD, FACC, FAAP
9:30 Refreshment Break • Exhibits
10:00 Informatics in the PICU: Can These Computers Really Help Me or My Patients?
Neal R. Patel, MD, MPH
10:45 Please Don’t Assign Me That Patient! Techniques for Working with Emotionally Difficult Patients and Families
Michael B. Grossman, DM, MSN, RN, NEA-BC
11:30 Questions & Discussion • Faculty Panel
12:00 p.m. Lunch Break
1:30 Near Infrared Spectroscopy (NIRS) Monitoring: Expanding Applications
Nancy Rudd, MS, RN, CPNP-AC
2:15 Evidence-Based Nursing Practice: Is the PICU a GOOD Place to Die?
Becky C. Milan, MSN, CNS, CPNP-AC/PC
3:00 Refreshment Break • Exhibits
3:30 Ventilator Associated Pneumonia: Will Adult Measures Help?
Marisa G. Mize, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPNP, PC, AC
4:15 Questions & Discussion • Faculty Panel
4:45 Adjourn

Tuesday, November 10

Indicate your Concurrent Sessions selections on the Registration Form. Choices are assigned in the order received.

7:00 a.m. Exhibits
8:00 CONCURRENT SESSIONS #1

#11 Early Recognition of Sepsis: Can It be Done? (1 hr.)
Carol A. Botwinski, EdD, ARNP, NNP-BC

#12 Children with Special Health Care Needs in the PICU
Jo Ellen Rust, MSN, RN, CNS

#13 Complex Case Studies in Critical Care
Marisa G. Mize, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPNP, PC, AC

#14 Advanced Hemodynamic Monitoring and Oxygen Transport
Mary Fran Hazinski, MSN, RN, FAAN, FAHA
9:15 Room Change
9:30 CONCURRENT SESSIONS #2

#21 Fluid & Electrolyte Balance and Dehydration in Children (1.5 hr.)
Mary Fran Hazinski, MSN, RN, FAAN, FAHA

#22 Pediatric Palliative Care in the ICU: Case Discussions
Becky C. Milan, MSN, CNS, CPNP-AC/PC

Tuesday, November 10 - continued

#23 Understanding Mechanical Ventilation in the 21st Century
Chris Lynn, BA, RRT, NPS

#24 Vasooactive Drugs: What Works & Why (1 hr.)
Mary B. Taylor, MD

10:45 Refreshment Break • Exhibits

11:15 CONCURRENT SESSIONS #3

#31 Coagulopathies and Common Bleeding Disorders (3 hr.)
Carol A. Botwinski, EdD, ARNP, NNP-BC

#32 Recognition and Treatment of Pulmonary Hypertension (1.5 hr.)
Rick E. Barr, MD, MSC1

#33 Dealing with Conflict in Emotionally Stressful Environments
Michael B. Grossman, DM, MSN, RN, NEA-BC

#34 Assessing Delirium in the PICU
Heidi A. Beverley Smith, MD, MSC1

12:30 p.m. Lunch Break

2:00 CONCURRENT SESSIONS #4

#41 Using Simulator Mannequins to Improve CPR and Emergency Skills: Hands-On Session (Limited to 15 participants. Caution: SimBaby contains small amount of latex)
Rebecca Arndt, BS, RN, CNOR
Tanya Boswell, MSN, RN, CCRN
Jackie Smith, MSN, RN, CCRN
Karen Wolfram, BS, RN, CCRN

#42 Integrating Lab Data into Clinical Decision Making (1 hr.)
Leanna R. Miller, MN, RN, CCRN, PCRN, CEN, CPNP

#43 Caring is Critical: Using Families as Teachers in the PICU
Jo Ellen Rust, MSN, RN, CNS

#44 Oncologic Emergencies: Conditions that Bring Children with Cancer to the Intensive Care Setting (1.5 hr.)
Deborah Salani, MSN, ARNP, RN-CS, CPON

3:15 Refreshment Break • Exhibits

3:45 CONCURRENT SESSIONS #5

#51 Respiratory Distress in the First Month of Life (1.5 hr.)
Carol A. Botwinski, EdD, ARNP, NNP-BC

#52 Seizure Recognition and Management
Max Wizinower, MD (2.5 hr.)

#53 The Challenges of Pediatric Trauma: Mechanisms of Injury and Case Studies
Autumne Bailey Mayfield, MSN, RN

#54 Walking the Line: Discussion of Professional Boundaries
Kristen Denmon, BA, BSN, RN
Mary C. Murray, LCDW

5:00 Adjourn

6:30 - 9:00 p.m. Evening at the Grand Ole Opry!
See the show that put the “music” in “Music City!” This performance will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. at the historic Ryman Auditorium, original home of the Grand Ole Opry. Tickets may be ordered on the Conference Registration Form. Reservations must be received by October 9. (No refunds after that date.)
**Main Conference** - continued from pg. 5

**Wednesday, November 11**

8:00 a.m. **Stressed! The Untold Truth**
Eric Clausen, RN, CCEMT-P

8:45 **MRSA in Critically Ill Children**
C. Buddy Creech, MD, MPH

9:30 Refreshment Break

10:00 **Therapeutic Advances in Sickle Cell Disease in Children**
Deborah Salani, MSN, ARNP, RN-CS, CPON

10:45 **Alterations in Mental Status in the Critically Ill Child**
Max Wiznitzer, MD

11:30 Questions and Discussion • Faculty Panel

12:00 p.m. Conference Summary/Evaluation

12:15 Adjourn

**RAVE REVIEWS**

"This was my first nursing conference and it was a great experience! The speakers were engaging and did an amazing job of presenting the most challenging and complex topics of critical care nursing in an easy to understand and fun way! Thanks Contemporary Forums for providing me and so many others with this awesome experience!"
Rachel Crum, RN, BSN • New Providence, NJ

"This entire conference was phenomenal! All the information was evidence-based and directly relevant to daily bedside practice. The speakers were dynamic, interactive, and obvious experts in their fields of knowledge."
Lauren Van Fleet, BSN, RN • Orlando, FL

"This conference was excellent. I can’t wait to access the Online CE Library and share the conference content with my unit. It will enable us to implement positive changes!"
Rebecca Sam, RN • Houston, TX

"I didn’t really know what to expect at the conference. Now I know that I’ll be coming back again!"
Jonathan Frey, RN, BS • Gardena, CA

"This conference is spectacular with many topics that pertain to everyday practice."
Melissa Veach, RN, BSN • Knoxville, TN

**Hotel Accommodations**

- The conference will be held at the Renaissance Nashville Hotel, 611 Commerce Street, Nashville, TN 37203. A limited block of rooms is being held for you and your guests at special group rates which will be in effect, based on room availability, from November 6 to November 12 for those wishing to extend their stay.

- **Rates**: $189 single, $209 double
  Rates are per room and subject to prevailing state and local taxes.

  - To obtain the special group rates, make your reservation early and before the “hotel room block release date” which is October 13. Rooms may sell out before this date so be sure to make your reservation now. After the release date, rooms and group rates may no longer be available so call the hotel regarding availability.

  - For room reservations, call (800) 266-9432 and inform them that you are attending the Contemporary Forums’ conference Pediatric Critical Care Nursing. Request a confirmation number and written confirmation of your reservation. Reservations must include a first night’s deposit.

  - To reserve your room online, please go to: http://www.cfforum.com/414209/hotel.asp
  and click on the “reserve your room” link.

  - Contact the hotel regarding cancellation policy. For arrivals after 3 p.m., call the hotel on the day of travel to reconfirm reservations.

  - For additional hotel information, call the Renaissance Nashville Hotel at (615) 255-8400.

  - For assistance in locating a roommate, please call Contemporary Forums at (800) 377-7707, Ext. 0.

**Travel Discounts**

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  - *Not included in the 50% Special Offer.

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- Out of consideration to registrants, children of any age and spouses may not attend the sessions.
- **Tuition (U.S. Funds)**

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**Students:** To qualify, submit facility verification of status with registration.

Your tuition includes Certificate of Attendance, refreshment breaks and access to the Online CE Library for the Preconference and/or Main Conference for which you registered. Main Conference registrants have access to all Concurrent Sessions that were recorded. See page 6 for Library details.

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- **Tax Deductibility** Expenses of training, tuition, travel, lodging and meals to maintain or improve your professional skills may be TAX DEDUCTIBLE. Consult your tax advisor.

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- **Program Changes** Contemporary Forums reserves the right to make necessary changes in speakers, topics or schedule. The most current program can be found on our website.

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(Please complete all registration information, professional profile, and payment summary.)

REGISTER TO ATTEND:

☐ Preconference A: Critical Care Overview (November 8)
☐ Preconference B: Pediatric Cardiology (November 8)
☐ Main Conference (November 9-11)

REGISTRATION INFORMATION (Please Print Clearly)

First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Social Security # (Last 4 Digits)

License/Degrees

Place of Employment

City

State

Zip

Daytime Phone(s)

Attendee’s E-mail (Confidential. For confirmation and access to Online CE Library)

Home Address

City

State

Zip

CONCURRENT SESSIONS SELECTION (Tues., Nov. 10. See pg. 5)

List the number of your 1st and 2nd choices since sessions are limited in size. Assignments are made in the order received.

Session #1 (8:00 a.m.)

1st choice

2nd choice

Session #2 (9:30 a.m.)

1st choice

2nd choice

Session #3 (11:15 a.m.)

1st choice

2nd choice

Session #4 (2:00 p.m.)

1st choice

2nd choice

Session #5 (3:45 p.m.)

1st choice

2nd choice

California Nurses Only - CA BRN License #:

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Choose ONE category in each section that best applies to you. If your work requires you to assume multiple roles, select the one that occupies the majority of your time. Use "Other" category only if none of the choices applies to you.

1. POSITION/JOB FUNCTION

☐ Case Manager

☐ Clinical Specialist

☐ Educator/Instructional

☐ Nurse Manager

☐ Nurse Practitioner

☐ Staff/Charge Nurse

☐ Transport

☐ Other

2. YEARS IN PEDIATRIC NURSING

☐ 1

☐ 2-3

☐ 4-7

☐ 8-10

☐ 11+

3. CLINICAL SETTING

☐ Adult/Mixed ICU

☐ Cardiac ICU

☐ Cardiology

☐ Emergency/Trauma

☐ General Pediatrics

☐ Hematology/Oncology

☐ Neonatal ICU

☐ Pediatric ICU

☐ Surgery/Surgical Unit

☐ Other

4. HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL LEVEL

☐ Diploma

☐ Associate Degree

☐ Bachelors Degree

☐ Masters Degree

☐ Doctoral Degree

☐ Other

PAYMENT SUMMARY #414209

Early Fee Postmark Deadline: Sept. 29

Conference Content via Library Only $_______

OR

Main Conference Tuition (Attending) + $_______

Group Discount (See page 7 for details.) - $_______

Preconference A Tuition (Nov. 8) + $_______

OR

Preconference B Tuition (Nov. 8) + $_______

Grand Ole Opry (@ $37 each) (Tues., Nov. 10. See pg. 5) + $_______

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOED $_______

☐ Check/Money Order Payable to Contemporary Forums

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