Neonatal Advanced Practice Nursing Forum
Omni Shoreham Hotel
WASHINGTON, D.C. • JUNE 2-4, 2010

Think Globally… Act Locally

TOPICS:
• Tragic Errors: Heparin in the NICU
• New: Ventilation Workshop
• New: Human Milk Research Consortium
• Pharmacology Workshop: New Horizons in the Pharmacological Management of Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia

PRESENTED BY:

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Option A: 8th Annual Faculty Forum
Producing Competent NNP Graduates: Education and Evaluation Strategies

7:30 am REGISTRATION OPENS

8:00 Welcome, Introductions, State of the Science of NNP Education
Regina M. Cusson PhD, NNP-BC, APRN, FAAN

8:30 Update on NANN’s Revised Education Standards & Core Competencies for NNP Practice
Debra A. Sansoucie EdD, RN, NNP-BC

9:30 Preparing Students to Succeed on the NCC Certification Exam: What’s In It for Students, Faculty & Institutions?
Jacqui Hoffman MS, ARNP, NNP-BC

10:30 BREAK

11:00 The DNP End-of-Program/Capstone Project: What’s in a Name?
Mary Whalen DNP, NNP-BC, APRN

12:00 NETWORKING AND LUNCH (PROVIDED)

Option B: Pharmacology Workshop
New Horizons in the Pharmacological Management of Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia

11:00 am REGISTRATION OPENS

1:00 pm Welcome & Introductions

1:15 The Perfect Storm: BPD – From Evolving Pathogenesis to Potential Prevention & Treatment
Richard A. Ehrenkranz MD, FAAP

1:45 Surfactant Wars!
Discerning Differences or Marketing Hype?
Roger F. Soll MD & David J. Hutchinson Pharm D, BCPS

2:45 Do Postnatal Corticosteroids Work for BPD?
A Rational Risk-Benefit Analysis of Drug, Dose, Duration & Delivery Method
Richard A. Ehrenkranz MD, FAAP

3:15 BREAK

3:30 Inhaled Nitric Oxide and BPD -- State-of-the-Science
Roberta A. Ballard MD

4:30 Yes, Oxygen is a Drug! The Who, What, Where, When, Why, & How-To of Oxygen Targeting
Ellen Mack RNC, MN, CNS

5:00 BPD Prevention & Management: Where Do We Go From Here? Faculty Panel

5:30 pm CLOSING REMARKS AND EVALUATIONS
Main Conference

6:30 am Run, Walk or Crawl with Dorothy

7:30 MAIN CONFERENCE REGISTRATION, EXHIBITS OPEN, BREAKFAST

8:15 Welcome And Opening Remarks: Think Globally... Act Locally Madge E. Buus-Frank RNC, MS, APRN-BC

8:30 When Tragic Errors Occur: Reflections on the Hazards of Heparin: How To Help Caregivers Recover, Reintegrate & Heal Mary A. Short RN, MSN


10:30 BREAK, EXHIBITS AND POSTER VIEWING

11:00 Just Say No to Ventilation! Bubble CPAP, IMV CPAP and Other Strategies to Avoid Mechanical Ventilation Anna Marie Cosgrove RNC, MS, NNP

12:00 LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)

1:30 pm Concurrent Sessions

TRACK A. Intelligent Ventilation Intensives

TRACK B. Case-Based Learning

TRACK C. Clinical Care Intensives

TRACK D. Nutrition, Nutrition, Nutrition

TRACK E. Leadership Intensive for NNP Directors & Upcoming Leaders

3:45 BREAK, EXHIBITS AND POSTER VIEWING

4:00 Hot Topics in Neonatal Research

- Transfusions & NEC -- Is There a Connection?
- NaHCO₃ -- Useless Therapy?
- PDA Management -- Indomethacin vs. Surgery Roger F. Soll MD

5:00 Wine & Cheese Reception (cash bar available)

5:30 Research & Innovations in Clinical Practice Symposium

Facilitator: Marsha Campbell-Yeo RN, MN, NNP-BC, PhD

6:30 pm ADJOURN FOR EVENING

Accreditation

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center’s Nursing Continuing Education Council is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

Pre-Conference A Faculty Forum carries 3.5 contact hours. Pre-Conference B Pharmacology Workshop carries 4.25 contact hours.

The Forum 2010 Main Conference carries 13.4 contact hours.

Rx = Pharmacology Credit for Prescriptive Authority. Because states’ requirements vary, contact your Board of Nursing for more information.
Main Conference

6:30 am	Run, Walk or Crawl with Dorothy

7:00	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST, EXHIBITS AND POSTER VIEWING

7:00	Lessons in Leadership: Breakthrough Bargaining & Reflected Best Self
    Mary A. Short RN, MSN
    OR

7:00	Human Milk Research Consortium
    Paula P. Meier RN, DNSc, FAAN

8:05	Welcome And Opening Remarks

NEW! Premier of Award Winning NICU Care Around the World Videos

8:30	Point-Counterpoint Debate: Nosocomial Infections in the NICU - Is Zero Possible?
    Janet Pettit MSN, NNP-BC, CNS
    Barbara C. Mordue RN, MSN, NNP-BC
    Moderator: Patricia Sorenson RNC, MSN, CNS, NNP

10:00	BREAK, EXHIBITS AND POSTER VIEWING

10:30	Simulation, Virtual Worlds and Serious Gaming for Practicing NNPs
    Judy L. LeFlore RN, PhD, NNP-BC, CPNP-PC&AC

11:30	LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)

1:00 pm	Case of the Year
    Facilitator: Madge E. Buus-Frank RNC, MS, APRN-BC

2:30	Head vs. Body Cooling and Other Hot Topics: Real-World Perspectives & Challenges
    Carolyn Houska Lund RN, MS, FAAN
    Debra Brandon RN, PhD, CCNS, FAAN

3:30 pm	CLOSING REMARKS AND EVALUATIONS
    2011 CONFERENCE REGISTRATION GIVE-AWAY

SPECIAL EVENTS

June 3, 2010

1:30 pm	APN Leadership and Faculty Track
Join this group of NNP leaders, faculty, and visionary facilitator Denise Bryant-Lukosius in interactive sessions focused on developing the advanced practice nurse of the future using the Peppa framework as a guide.
Denise Bryant-Lukosius RN, PhD

5:00 pm	Wine and Cheese Reception followed by Research & Innovations in Clinical Practice Symposium
Learn about the cutting edge research and practice innovations happening in NICUs around the world. This session will showcase the top 4 peer-reviewed submissions in a crisp podium presentation & question/answer period.
Facilitator: Marsha Campbell-Yeo RN, MN, NNP-BC, PhD

June 4, 2010

7:00 am	Breakfast Leadership Session
Lessons in Leadership: Breakthrough Bargaining & Reflected Best Self
In the words of John Quincy Adams, “If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader.” Whether you are a formal leader, an informal leader or an aspiring leader, this breakfast session will provide some practical tools for your leadership toolbox, including breakthrough bargaining techniques and strategies to harness the power of influence to lead from within.
Mary A. Short RN, MSN

7:00 am	8:05 am Human Milk Research Consortium
Calling all APNs interested in human milk, lactation, and breastfeeding. Bring your research questions, challenges and ideas to share in the facilitated networking breakfast session.
Facilitator: Paula P. Meier RN, DNSc, FAAN

8:05 am	Premier of Award Winning NICU Care Around the World Videos
Broaden your horizons and learn about newborn care around the world as we immerse ourselves in the award-winning video and powerpoint slide shows that will motivate you to think globally and act locally. The Global Health Council said it best - “When it comes to global health, there is no them, only us.”

6:00 pm	Take Me Out to The Ball Game!
There is nothing more American than an evening at the ballpark. Please RSVP if you would like to join an informal group headed to see the Washington Nationals play the Cincinnati Reds. Spouses and family members welcome to attend! *RSVP on-site and ticket fees apply.
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We invite every NNP & CNS practicing in the NICU, both in the U.S. and abroad, to Call for Case of the Year Submissions also welcome. U.S. participants who have done international work are encouraged to submit. U.S. participants who have done international work are encouraged to submit. International participants are strongly encouraged to submit. Our theme for 2010, “Think Globally... Act Locally,” reflects this very important vision. Now, more than ever, the world of healthcare is a challenging place. We are being asked to do more with less, and in environments with shifting and uncertain resources. The APN Forum provides a unique educational setting where clinicians and educators can unite to think globally, and share solutions and innovations, as they prepare to act locally in their own units wherever they may be. This is your Forum. Please consider sharing your clinical expertise, in the form of a Case of the Year submission or an abstract describing your original research, patient safety solution, or clinical or educational innovations. For the first time, we are asking international APNs, or those who have done international outreach work, to develop a short video, slide show, or poster to teach us about NICU care around the world, to help stretch our global understanding. For details about how to participate, please see the Call for Participation below.

If you have never attended the APN Forum, we trust that 2010 will be your year to represent your unit, region, or country. Please do not hesitate to contact us with questions, comments, and your bright ideas! We look forward to learning with and from you at the 13th Annual Neonatal APN Forum.

NEW -- Call for Video Submissions!
In conjunction with our theme, “Think Globally... Act Locally,” we are calling for submissions of short videos or slide shows, highlighting NICU care around the world. Videos or slide shows should be no longer than 4 minutes in length. The video should tell a story that will teach participants about the infants, providers, families and their culture, physical environment, teamwork, challenges, innovations and/or care processes in your care setting. The goal is to capture something that is special or unique about your setting, how you do your work, and the people who make it all happen. International participants are strongly encouraged to submit. U.S. participants who have done international work are also welcome.

Call for Case of the Year Submissions
We invite every NNP & CNS practicing in the NICU, both in the U.S. and abroad, to attend the APN Forum and represent their practice. Share your clinical expertise by submitting a challenging clinical case in abstract form. The case should be presented in a mystery format and highlight one or more of the following:

• An unusual disease process or diagnostic challenge
• An atypical presentation or outcome of a common disease
• A transport challenge
• A patient safety-related case

The cases selected for podium presentation will be presented in an interactive session designed to challenge the participants’ diagnostic and critical thinking skills. The main conference fee is waived for one case presenter. Pre-conference fees, travel, and all other expenses remain the responsibility of the presenter. Cases not chosen for podium presentation will be evaluated for suitability for poster and/or concurrent session presentations.

Call for Podium & Poster Presentations
Categories include:
• Original Research (designate as completed or work-in-progress)
• Innovations in Practice or Education
• Patient Safety, Quality Improvement or Benchmarking Initiatives

Guidelines for Submission
Submissions must be congruent with conference objectives and will undergo a blinded, peer-reviewed selection process.
• Clearly identify the category of submission (Case of the Year, Original Research, Innovations or Patient Safety).
• Limit abstracts to one page, not including bibliography.
• Electronic Abstract Guidelines can be found online at www.dhmc.org/goto/APNForum2010.
• Submissions that do not follow the guidelines will not be reviewed.

Abstracts should be created in 12 point font and should be no longer than 500 words, with up to 2 additional bibliography pages. Original research should be presented in the form of a structured abstract (purpose, subjects, design, methods, results, limitations, and implications). Four abstracts will be selected for both podium and poster presentation on the basis of overall quality, originality and appropriateness to APNs. Podium presentations are 10 minutes with 3 minutes for questions. All presenters are responsible for registration fees, travel, and all other expenses. Abstracts not chosen for podium presentation will be evaluated for suitability for poster presentation.

DEADLINE: MARCH 2, 2010

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“This is consistently talked about among NNPs as the best ARNP conference out there. I found that to be true on both coasts (I have lived in SC and WA as an NNP) and true as well for the time I attended myself. I definitely plan to attend this conference again and again!”

“This conference was outstanding & far exceeded my expectations.”

“I have seen a wonderful evolution of quality posters in large part due to quality of this conference.”

“Your group effort is exemplary—keep it up!”

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