Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Happy New Year! During 2013 Eastern Kentucky University’s College of Health Sciences, the Division of Continuing Education and Development is going GREEN in support of the University’s initiative to implement environmentally friendly practices. This change serves a twofold purpose: 1) to provide quality, cost effective training for professionals in practice, and 2) to reduce paper and save trees. By posting handout materials for each individual program to our website: www.ced.eku.edu, this information will continue to be available for the learner.

Academic year 2012 in review showed that 1,748 nurses were awarded 10,320.5 American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) contact hours (60 minutes = 1.0 ANCC Contact Hour) by participating in continuing education (CE) activities. Methods of CE delivery included face to face, on-line and self-study. Between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 a total of 32 programs were offered with 82% of those co-sponsored with a health care partner or professional organization to enhance enrollments. Lead time required to produce these programs is from 12 months (first time) to 6 months for repeating programs demonstrating strong organizational support: it truly takes a village for successful programming. A collaborative effort including EKU, Southern KY Area Health Education Center, and Baptist Regional Medical Center (Corbin) provided a podium presentation on: “Cardiovascular Update: Raising the Bar for Program Evaluation Beyond Learner Satisfaction” at the 38th Annual National Conference on Professional Nursing Education and Development in Baltimore, MD.

A special thanks to our wonderful Nursing Continuing Education Advisory Committee. This group, consisting of nurses in a variety of practice settings across the state, reviews our programs to assure we are in compliance with ANCC Standards. We could not achieve successful results without each member. If you are in the role of planning/providing continuing nursing education for your organization and would like to serve on this committee, please contact me—we would love to have you join us.

Warmest regards,

Kathy Hall, MSN, RN-BC, Director of Continuing Education and Development

ANCC: Eastern Kentucky University, the Division of Continuing Education and Development, is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

American Nurses Credentialing Center approval of an individual continuing nursing education provider does not constitute endorsement of program content. Accredited status as a provider does not imply ANCC endorsement of any commercial product.

KBN Approval: Eastern Kentucky University, the Division of Continuing Education and Development, has been approved as a provider of continuing education by the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN). Provider #3-0007. Expiration date December 31, 2017. Kentucky Board of Nursing approval of an individual nursing education provider does not constitute endorsement of program content.

Nursing Home Administrators: ALL programs approved by the Kentucky Board of Nursing are considered pre-approved by the Kentucky Board of Licensure for Nursing Home Administrators (KBLNHA).

Requirements for Nursing Continuing Education Credit: You must attend the entire offering in order to receive contact hours. Please provide your home address, professional (nursing) license number or social security number (last 4 digits) in order to complete the registration process.

Cancellation Policy: A participant who wishes to cancel registration must notify the Division of Continuing Education and Development office at least three working days prior to the workshop date in order to receive a refund, minus a $10 processing fee. After that date a substitute may be sent, but no refund. If an offering is cancelled by EKU, the registration fee will be refunded in full.

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Live Programs

Pedi atric Abusive Head Trauma: “Shaken Baby Syndrome”
In Collaboration with EKU’s Associate Degree Nursing Department
Contact Hours: 7.5 ANCC, Contact Hours dedicated to pharmacology
Date & Time: Friday, February 8, 2013, 9:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Location: EKU Campus, Perkins Building, Room 410, Richmond, KY 40475
Speaker: Vicki Grubbs, MSN, RN; Becky Gaffney, MSN, RN
Focus: This workshop will cover the recognition, preventive treatment and issues for Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma. Meets KBN requirements for prevention of Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma or Shaken Baby Syndrome.
Cost: $40.00

Meeting the Challenges to Improve Cardiovascular Outcomes
In Collaboration with Baptist Regional Medical Center & Southern KY Area Health Education Center
Contact Hours: 7.2 ANCC, 2.4 KBN Contact Hours dedicated to pharmacology
Date & Time: Friday, February 22, 2013, 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Location: Corbin Nursing Community & Technology Community Center 222 Corbin Center Drive, Corbin, KY 40701
Speakers: John Johnston, MD, Mohammed Imam, MD, FACCC, FACCS, Louise Long, RN, Ph.D.; Curtis A Given II, MD; Ava Eaves, CDE, RD; Glen Farr, PharmD; Shirley Balman, CLC
Focus: Provide latest information on prevention, treatment and recommended guidelines for cardiovascular disease and its complications.
Advance Cost: $20.00; On Site Cost: $25.00

Faith Community Nursing: Empowering Others Through Faith & Wellness “Foundations of Faith Community Nursing”
In Collaboration with Ephram McDowell Regional Health Services
Contact Hours: Up to 3.0 ANCC, Up to 4.4 KBN Contact Hours
A Certificate Program offered over 2 Weekends in March and April to accommodate the working RN.
Weekend One
Date & Time: March 14-16, 2013 (first session, Thursday evening, Friday & Saturday) overnight accommodations are required contact Audrey Powell at gspowell@emh.org or 859-239-2429. Food, instruction and contact hours provided.
Location: Presbyterian Church, 500 West Main Street, Danville, KY 40422
Speakers: Rosie Allegretti, MSN, APRN; Teresa Perry “Cassy” Casey, MSN, APRN; Audrey Powell, RN; MSN; and others to be announced.
Focus: The purpose of this program is to provide educational preparation for registered nurses who desire to further their knowledge and practice of Faith Community (Parish) Nursing. The participant will be prepared to function in the roles of a Faith Community Nurse which includes: an integrator of faith and health; a health educator, promoting wellness; a personal health counselor, advocating personal responsibility; a referral agent; a teacher and coordinator of volunteers and support groups; and health advocate.
Weekend Two
Date & Time: April 11-13, 2013 (second session, Thursday evening, Friday & Saturday) overnight accommodations, food, instruction and contact hours provided.
Location: Maywood's Lodge, Crab Orchard, KY
Speakers: Rosie Allegretti, MSN, APRN; Teresa Casey, MSN, APRN; Audrey Powell, RN, MSN; and others to be announced.
Cost: $390 includes both weekends March 14-16 and April 11-13, 2013.
Registration Deadline: March 1, 2013
Note: Must attend BOTH weekends. Partial credit will not be given.

18th Annual Evidence-Based Practice Program:
“Transforming Practice Through Evidence”
In Collaboration with Central Baptist Hospital
Contact Hours: 6.0 ANCC, (1.0 ANCC Contact Hours dedicated to pharmacology), 7.2 KBN Contact Hours (1.2 ANCC Contact Hours dedicated to pharmacology) an additional 1.0 KBN Contact Hour provided by CBH for attending the Poster Session.
Date & Time: Friday, March 8, 2013, 7:30 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Location: 1740 Nicholasville Road, Building E, Central Baptist Education Center, Lexington, KY 40504
Speakers: Debra B. Gordon, RN, BC, MS, DNAPCN, BC- FCN, FAAN; Karen Merritt, RN, BSN; Lindsay Bowles, RN, BSN; Karen Hirn, RN, DNP; NEA, BC, FACHE, FAAN, Dorothy Brockopp, PhD, RN, Peggy Wheeler, RN, ONCN, CBPP; Stephanie Mohnay, M.S., CCN, ILP-BRS-5, Terry Altpeter, PhD, ELC, RN, CNP; Denise McCowen, RN, BSN; Pattie Hardin, RN, BSN
Focus: This program will examine evidence-based practice as an “integration of the best available evidence, nursing expertise and the values and preferences of the individuals, families and communities who are served” – Sigma Theta Tau International 2005.
Cost: $50.00 for EUKU participants & BHSI employees. $65.00 for all other attendees; $45.00 for students. Registration fee waived for CBH employees. To register; CBH employees please visit www.centreubg.org and complete the e-voucher just like you do when scheduling a class. Due to space limitations if you do not cancel by February 22 or are a no call / no show, you will be charged $45.00.
Registration Deadline: Friday, February 22, 2013, early registration recommended.

Basic Wound Repair
In Collaboration with EKU’s Baccalaureate & Graduate Nursing Program
Contact Hours: 4.5 ANCC, 6.6 KBN Contact Hours
Date & Time: Wednesday, March 20, 2013; Morning Session: 8:30 a.m. – 12:00pm or Afternoon Session: 12:30pm – 3:30pm
Location: EKU Campus, Perkins Building, Room 410
Speaker: Kathy Hallcomb, MSN, RN, CCRN, FNP-Ede, Brooke Bentley, MSN, PhD
Focus: This program is designed to provide the background for a hands on experience in the treatment and management of wounds and traumatic injuries.
Cost: $120.00 (includes $60.00 for instruction and $60.00 for special supply fee); Cost for EKU Students Only: $70.00 (includes $35.00 for instruction and $35.00 for special supply fee).
Limited Enrollment: Early registration recommended.
Must specify Morning or Afternoon Session.

Legal Implications for Nurse Leaders: Promoting Quality Outcomes in Health Care
In Collaboration with Baptist Health-Richmond
Contact Hours: 12.5 ANCC, 6.3 KBN Contact Hours
Date & Time: Friday, March 22, 2013; 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Location: Baptist Health Richmond, Conference Room, MOB #1, Richmond, KY 40475
Speakers: Ava Eaves, CDE, RD; Sharon De Mercer, MSN, RN, NEA, BC, Lynn Kolokowsky, JD, CNIMN
Focus: The purpose of this program is to provide the learner with the latest information on nursing scope and standards of practice, focusing on legal implications of health record documentation with “Demonstration of a court experience”
Cost: $35.00. Baptist Health Richmond employee fee waived, other BHSI employees: $25.00.

18th Annual Environmental Health Symposium
Diversity in Environmental Health
Sponsorship for this program is provided by:
Eastern Kentucky University Department of Environmental Health
Contact Hours: 6.0 ANCC, 2.4 KBN Contact Hours, and 6.5 ARMA PRF Category 1 Credit.
Date & Time: Thursday, March 28, 2013; 7:30 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Location: Perkins Building, EKU Richmond Campus, Kit Carson Drive, Richmond, KY 40475
Speakers: Karen Sexton, PhD, RN, CN, AOCN, CGCN; Gary Coleman, RHIS, OMAS, Doug Thoroughgood, PhD, MS; Christopher Sadowske, President Doug Whitlock; Tom Fitzgerald ( keynote speaker); Gary Brown, DPH, CH, TRD; Jonathan Harper; CH
Focus: To highlight the multiple disciplines within the Environmental Health field and to forge connections among the professionals within these fields and the students of Eastern Kentucky University.
Cost: $30.00 for Physicians, Nurses and Non-Students (by March 15th); $15.00 for Students.
$40.00 for Late Registration/Day-Of
EKU Faculty Scholarship and O’Donnell Scholarship can be applied for those pre-registering.

Evidence Based Practice: Identifying Goals, Tools and Technology
Producing Successful Outcomes by Educators
In Collaboration with Central Kentucky Staff Development Group
Contact Hours: 6.75 ANCC, Contact Hours; 8.10 KBN Contact Hours.
Date & Time: Friday, April 26, 2013; 7:45 am to 4:15 pm
Location: Shriners Hospital, Lexington, KY
Speakers: Debra Hall, PHD, RN, CCRN, Lee Ann Quarles, RN, MSN, David Knapps, BA, Dawn Jackson, DPH, MEAG, BS, BHA, Audra Powell, MSN, FCN
Focus: This workshop is designed for those interested in evidence based practice, delivery models for topical/program content and self-care for the educator.
Cost: CKSDG Members: $35.00. All others: $55.00 for full day.
Registration Deadline: April 19th

Please check the complete program descriptions for exact time programs begin, end and directions available on the website at www.ced.eku.edu.

Note: Day of conference, we are not in the office.

Self Studies

HIV/AIDS Update for Health Care Professionals
Contact Hours: 3.0 ANCC Contact Hours; 2.5 ANCC Contact Hours
Preparers: Alice Coulter, MSN, RN
Focus: This program has been developed to meet the mandated AIDS education requirement in the state of Kentucky, including a basic medical and epidemiological information about AIDS and HIV, methods of transmission, prevention, and current medical treatment; and management of HIV in the healthcare workplace and other environments, consistent with OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens Standards.
Cost: $40.

Online Programs

Stress and Management Techniques
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Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma: “Shaken Baby Syndrome”
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In accordance with KRS 184.284 persons 65 or older are entitled to enroll in any Continuing Education class with a $5.00 processing fee, contingent upon space availability. Proof of age is required at time of registration. O’Donnell Scholarships only apply to tuition and do not include textbooks, equipment or supplies. Please ask about additional cost when registering for the class. Eastern Kentucky University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer and educational institution and does not discriminate on the basis of age (60 and over), race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, disability, national origin, veteran status, or on any other basis prohibited by federal, state or local laws. Kentucky Revised Statutes section 367.090, the Age Discrimination Act, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, the Equal Pay Act of 1963, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993. Any complaint arising by reason of alleged discrimination should be directed to the Equal Opportunity Office, Eastern Kentucky University, James Building, Room 105, Campus CFSB, Richmond, Kentucky 40475-3102, 606-228-5020 (TDD), or the Director of the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education, Philadelphia, PA.