

January 22 - 23, 2010

Tentative Agenda

29th Annual School Nurse Conference

Friday, January 22, 2010

- 2:30p - 5:00p Early Bird Registration
- 3:30p - 5:30p Best Practices (Facilitated Discussion)

There is no additional charge for the Friday Best Practices session for registered conference participants. **However, you must register!!!** Be sure to check the correct box on the registration form.

Saturday, January 23, 2010

- 8:00a Registration / Exhibits Open / Breakfast
- 8:30a Call To Order / Awards Program
- 9:30a Break / Exhibits / Basket Mania Open
- 9:45a – 11:00a **General Session**
Evidenced-Based Practice: New Challenge for the School Nurse
- 11:00a Break / Exhibits / Basket Mania Open
- 11:15a – 12:25p **Concurrent Sessions**
 1. What Every School Nurse Needs to Know About Documentation
 2. Pharmacology Update
 3. Top Ten Keys to Infection Control in Your School Setting
 4. Nursing Practice Update
- 12:25p – 1:15p **Boxed Lunch / Exhibits Open / Last Chance for Basket Mania**
- 1:15p – 2:25p **Concurrent Sessions**
 5. Triageing Health Office Visits
 6. Physical Assessment & Evaluation in a School Setting
 7. Top Ten Keys to Infection Control in Your School Setting
 8. Nursing Practice Update
- 2:25p Break / Exhibits Open / Basket Pick-up
- 2:35p - 3:45p **Concurrent Sessions**
 9. Physical Assessment & Evaluation in a School Setting
 10. Pharmacology Update
 11. Triageing Health Office Visits
 12. What Every School Nurse Needs to Know About Documentation
- 3:45p Break / Basket Pick-up
- 4:00p General Session / Door Prizes
- 5:00p Adjourn

Awards & Nominations:

Awards recognizing outstanding school health efforts and leadership will be presented at the breakfast on January 23, 2010. Nomination forms for the School Nurse of the Year Awards and the School Health Services Award can be found at www.scasn.com/awards.html. The School Nurse of the Year Awards nomination forms are also available at www.scdhec.gov/health/mch/wcs/school/nyaward.htm.

Basket Mania is Back!!

Tickets: \$1 each, 6 for \$5, 12 for \$10
or
30 Tickets for \$20



Conference Information

Purpose: The educational and networking opportunities provided through the 29th Annual School Nurse Conference have been designed to improve each participant's ability to protect and promote the health, safety, and well-being of South Carolina's school children. Healthy children learn better. Well-educated children are the foundation for a strong state and nation.

Target Audience: School Nurses and other healthcare professionals with an interest in the topics to be covered.

Conference Location: The conference will be held at The Brookland Banquet and Conference Center, 1066 Sunset Boulevard, West Columbia, SC. General Directions: Take I-26 to Sunset Boulevard, Exit 110 (Highway 378). Go towards West Columbia (away from the hospital). Brookland will be on the left approximately 2.4 miles from I-26.

Fees & Accommodations: All registration fees include materials, breakfast, breaks, lunch, concurrent and general sessions. Payment may be made to Lowcountry AHEC in the form of check, money order or purchase order. See registration form for costs.

Register by
December 15,
2009 to receive
the early
registration
rate!

While there is not a conference hotel, there are several hotels in The Vista area of downtown Columbia that have agreed to offer the government rate. The Vista location will provide easy access to restaurants and night life as well as The Brookland Banquet and Conference Center. When making your reservation, ask for the government rate.

The following hotels have agreed to offer the government rate as long as rooms are available. When contacting them, please ask for the Sales Department & tell them you are with the School Nurse Conference. There may be other hotels that will also offer the government rate.

Staybridge Suites
1913 Huger Street
Columbia, SC 29201
(803) 451-5900

Hilton Hotel Columbia
924 Senate Street
Columbia, SC 29201
(803) 758-6051

Springhill Suites
511 Lady Street
Columbia, SC 29201
(803) 978-2333

Refunds, Substitutions & Cancellations: In order to receive a refund (less a \$30.00 processing fee), a written refund request must be received by January 1, 2010. No refunds will be given after January 1st, nor will refunds be given to participants who register but do not attend. Substitutions will be permitted thru January 15th by written notification to Lowcountry Area Health Education Center (AHEC). Conference offerings may be changed or cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. If this occurs, every effort will be made to provide a similar educational experience. We reserve the right to cancel this program if necessary. In that event, a full refund will be made. The conference planners are not responsible for reimbursement of transportation fares, parking fees or hotel charges.

Continuing Education: Lowcountry AHEC is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the South Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This continuing education activity, approval #0612-026PR, is approved for 2.0 contact hours (January 22nd) and 5.75 contact hours (January 23rd). Participants must attend 90% of the educational offering (session) to receive a certificate of attendance.

Neither Lowcountry AHEC, the South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control, the South Carolina Department of Education, nor the American Nurses Credentialing Center endorses or approves any products that may be associated with this continuing education activity.

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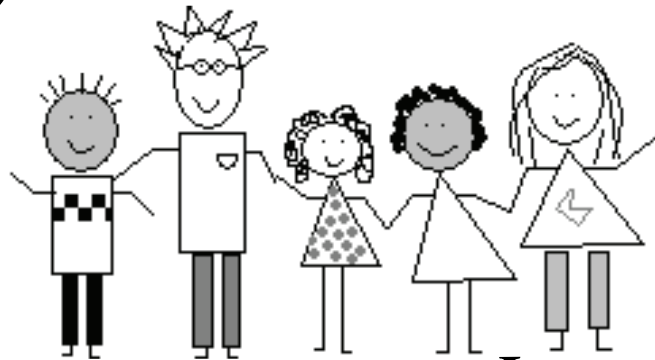
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