

 Albany Medical Center
The Center for Learning and Development
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THE 6TH ANNUAL
*Care of the
Complex Patient
Conference*

October 5 & 6, 2010
8:00 am - 4:30 pm
Italian American Community Center
Albany, NY

Sponsored by Albany Medical Center



CONFERENCE INFORMATION

Purpose

The purpose of this program is to discuss emerging topics and trends in healthcare and provide strategies aimed to enhance nursing care for acutely ill patients.

Target Audience

This conference is aimed to meet the learning needs of Registered Professional Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, and other health care providers who provide care for patients with complex medical needs.

Program Description

Albany Medical Center is pleased to present The Sixth Annual Care of the Complex Patient Conference. This two day conference will include discussion about emerging topics and trends in healthcare and provide evidence based strategies aimed to enhance nursing care for acutely ill patients.

Accreditation

Albany Medical Center Hospital is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This Learning Activity will be awarded a maximum of 12.25 Continuing Nursing Education Contact Hours.

Acknowledgement

Thank you to the companies who have provided unrestricted educational grants in support of this symposium.

Appearance Standards

The Albany Medical Center Professional Image Standards Policy is in effect at Albany Medical Center sponsored educational programs. Employees and attendees must comply with this policy when attending sponsored educational events. The attire for all Albany Medical Center sponsored events is business casual or appropriate clinical attire.



REGISTRATION FORM

The 6th Annual Care of the Complex Patient Conference

Sponsored by Albany Medical Center - Critical Care, Emergency and Neuroscience Service

October 5 and 6, 2010 • Italian American Community Center, Albany, NY

Please type or print clearly and register one person per form.

Name and Degree _____

Job/Title/Specialty _____

Organization _____

Department _____

Office Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Office Phone _____ Office Fax _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Please indicate by checking the boxes below which day(s) you will be attending:

- Tuesday, October 5, 2010 8:00 am - 4:30 pm (Registration begins at 7:45 am)
 Wednesday, October 6, 2010 8:00 am - 4:30 pm (Registration begins at 7:45 am)

Please indicate lunch entrée choice:

- Tues Chicken Francaise w/ Potato Eggplant Parmigiana w/ Penne
Wed Chicken Parmigiana w/ Penne Penne w/ Broccoli, Sun-dried Tomatoes & Garlic
Please indicate accommodations for prescribed diet. _____

Please check method of payment:

- My check for \$_____, payable to Albany Medical Center, The Center for Learning and Development, is enclosed.
 Please charge my credit card for the amount \$_____.
 MasterCard Visa Discover American Express

Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Name as it appears on credit card _____

Signature _____

Fax: Registrations accepted by fax at (518) 262-4276 with credit card payment. Faxed registrations without credit card information will not be processed. Please follow up with a call to (518) 262-3705 to verify that faxed material was received.

Mail: Return this form with payment to: Albany Medical Center, The Center for Learning and Development, MC-149, 43 New Scotland Avenue, Albany, New York 12208. Please mail payment and completed registration form by Friday, September 17, 2010. Unfortunately, we cannot accept state vouchers.

Tuition and Registration

	Oct 5 Only	Oct 6 Only	Both Oct 5 & 6
AMC Employees and Students	\$100	\$100	\$175
Non-AMC Employees	\$175	\$175	\$300
Early Bird (register by September 15th)	\$150	\$150	\$250

* Must present Student ID with registration.

Tuition includes all handouts, conference materials, continuing education certificate, refreshments, breaks, and meals listed on the schedule.

Cancellations:

Please call The Center for Learning and Development at Albany Medical Center at (518) 262-3705, fax, (518) 262-4276, or email LearningandDevelopment@mail.amc.edu. Requests for refunds must be in writing. Those received on or before September 27, 2010 will receive a refund after a \$25.00 processing fee is deducted from their payment. Refunds will not be issued for cancellations received after September 27, 2010 or for "no-shows."

Need Information?

For further information regarding the conference, contact Alicia Williams, MS, RN by phone at (518) 262-4404 or e-mail: WilliaAL@mail.amc.edu. For questions regarding registration, please contact The Center for Learning & Development at (518) 262-3705 or email LearningandDevelopment@mail.amc.edu. For emergency calls during the conference, call The Center for Learning and Development (518) 262-3705.

Directions

From the NYS Thruway: Take Exit 24. Stay on I-90 E (straight after the toll booth). Take Exit 2 (Washington Ave and State University Exit). At light, turn right onto Washington Avenue Extension. Continue straight approximately 1 1/2 miles. The Italian American Community Center will be on your right.

From the North: Take the Northway South to I-90 E (Exit 1 E). Take Exit 2 off of I-90 (Washington Ave and State University Exit). At the light, turn right onto Washington Avenue Extension. Continue straight approximately 1 1/2 miles. The Italian American Community Center will be on your right.

From 787: Take 787 to I-90 W. Get off at the Fuller Road Exit. At light, take a left onto Fuller Road. Take a right at the next light onto Washington Avenue Extension. Continue straight approximately 1 mile. The Italian American Community Center will be on your right.

There is free parking for over 300 cars and handicapped accessibility.



Tim Porter-O'Grady, DM, EdD, ScD(h), FAAN

Tim Porter-O'Grady Associates, Inc.

Dr. Tim Porter-O'Grady has been involved in health care for 40 years and has held roles from staff nurse to senior executive in a variety of health care settings. Tim is currently senior partner of an international healthcare consulting firm in Atlanta specializing in health futures, organizational innovation, conflict and change, as well as complex health service delivery models. He is noted for his work on shared governance models, clinical leadership, conflict, innovation, complex systems, and health futures. As associate professor and leadership scholar at Arizona State University, Program in Health Innovation, he has co-lead the implementation of the new Masters and PhD programs in Health Innovation; He is visiting Professor in the hybrid DNP Program at University of Maryland, and is an adjunct professor at Lakehead University, School of Public Health, Ontario, Canada.



Barb Bancroft, RN, MSN, PNP

CPP Associates, Inc.

Barb Bancroft has provided more than 2200 continuing education seminars on topics pertaining to pathophysiology, physical assessment, nutrition, and pharmacology to health care professionals throughout the United States and Canada. She has been the keynote speaker for the Association of Practitioners for Infection Control, the National Association of Biology Teachers, the National Association of Orthopedic Nurses, the Emergency Nurses' Association, and the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners. She has held faculty positions at the University of Virginia, the University of Arkansas, Loyola University of Chicago, and St. Xavier University of Chicago.



Mary A. Stahl, RN, MSN, ACNS-BC, CCNS-CMC, CCRN

American Association of Critical-Care Nurses

Mary Stahl, has provided thirty years of practice at Saint Luke's Hospital, as a Staff Nurse, Charge Nurse and Clinical Educator. In her current practice as a Clinical Nurse Specialist working in progressive care, medical cardiology, Mary focuses on developing the knowledge and skills of the nursing staff, collaboration within the interdisciplinary team, and developing clinical processes that facilitate the delivery of optimal patient care. Her other professional accomplishments include providing education at local, regional and national levels, several publications, and involvement at both local and national levels with professional nursing associations. Mary's national volunteer work with AACN includes a three-year term as a Director on the Board of Directors and a one-year term as a Director on the Board of Directors for AACN Certification Corporation. Mary is passionate about the unique contributions of nursing to patient care and to the health care system, and how nurses can apply their creativity, thoughtful contributions and interdisciplinary collaboration to not only achieve excellent patient outcomes, but to lead transformation within our work environments.



Kathleen Bartholomew, RN, RC, MN

Innovative Healthcare Speakers

Kathleen Bartholomew, a registered nurse and counselor, has been a national speaker for the nursing profession for the past seven years. As the manager of a 57 bed surgical unit in Seattle, Kathleen quickly recognized that creating a culture where staff felt a sense of belonging was critical to retention. Throughout Swedish Medical Center Kathleen spoke to the numerous factors which propel our society toward isolation and encouraged staff to connect and value one another. During her tenure as manager, staff, physician and patient satisfaction improved significantly as she implemented her down-to earth strategies for creating community. Despite the nursing shortage, Kathleen could always depend on a waiting list of nurses for her unit.

Tuesday, October 5, 2010

- 7:45 - 8:00 **Registration/Continental Breakfast/Networking**
- 8:00 - 8:05 **Welcome/Opening Remarks**
- 8:05 - 9:45 **Creating a Context for Nursing Practice in a Changing World**
Tim Porter - O'Grady, DM, EdD, ScD(h), FAAN
Senior Partner
Tim Porter - O'Grady Associates Inc.
- 9:45 - 10:15 **Coffee/Networking**
- 10:15 - 12:00 **Sustainability Factors for Practice Excellence, Advancing Contemporary Nursing Practice**
Tim Porter - O'Grady, DM, EdD, ScD(h), FAAN
Senior Partner
Tim Porter - O'Grady Associates Inc.
- 12:00 - 1:35 **Lunch/Networking**
- 1:35 - 2:35 **Breakout Session**
 - A. **Women and Stroke**
Dr. Jennifer Yanoschak, MD
Albany Medical Center
 - B. **Dysfunctional Central Venous Catheters**
Cheryl Kelley, RN, BSN
Sr. Vascular Access Clinical Specialist
Teleflex Medical
- 2:35 - 3:10 **Break/Networking**
- 3:15 - 4:30 **Livin', Learnin', and Laughin' Through the Years**
Barbara Baneroff, RN, MSN, PNP
President
CPP Associates, Inc.

Wednesday, October 6, 2010

- 7:45 - 8:00 **Registration/Continental Breakfast/Networking**
- 8:00 - 8:05 **Welcome/Opening Remarks**
- 8:05 - 9:35 **Stand Tall: Making Your Unique Contribution**
Mary Stahl, RN, MSN, ACNS-BC, CCNS-CMC, CCRN
President - Elect
American Association of Critical-Care Nurses
- 9:35 - 9:55 **Coffee/Networking**
- 10:00 - 11:00 **March to Brain - Death**
Dr. Sophie Socaris, MD
Albany Medical Center
- 11:05 - 12:05 **Infection: The Risk is Real Every Choice Matters**
Deborah Richardson, RN, MS, CNS
Independent Consultant in Vascular Access and Education
Deb Richardson and Associates
- 12:05 - 1:15 **Lunch/Networking**
- 1:15 - 2:30 **Breakout Session**
 - A. **What's New with Epilepsy Care**
Dr. Anthony Ritaccio, MD
Albany Medical Center
 - B. **Palliative Care**
Dr. Joanne Porter, MD
Albany Medical Center
- 2:30 - 3:00 **Break/Networking**
- 3:00 - 4:30 **Creating Community: The Key to Retention**
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