

Save the Date



27th Annual

Nursing Research *and* Evidence-Based Practice Conference

Thursday, October 19, 2023

5 pm to 8 pm

Poster Session, Hartford Hospital

Friday, October 20, 2023

8 am to 1 pm

Virtual Conference

Evidence-Based Practice: Investing in the Scholarly Work of Nursing: What's in it for Us?

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Registration

The conference is limited to 250 registrants
Registration Deadline: October 16, 2023

Please register online at www.ctnursingresearchalliance.org or by calling 1.855.HHC.HERE

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Investing in the Scholarly Work of Nursing: What's in it for Us?

8:00am – 8:10am

Welcome & Opening Remarks

The Connecticut Nursing Research Alliance Planning Committee

8:10am – 9:25am

Opening Session

Narrowing the Academic-Practice Gap: Approaches for Establishing and Sustaining Clinical Academic Partnerships

Diana Baptiste, DNP, RN, CNE, FAAN, Associate Professor, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing

Moderator: Lisa Corbett

9:30am – 10:30am

Oral Abstracts A (15 minute Presentations & 5 minute Q&A): Moderator: Connie Hotchkiss

1. **For 'Victims,' Bullies' Stories Define Personal Reality: Furthering Findings of Prior Metasynthesis;**
Laura Dzurec, PhD, PMHCNS-BC, ANEF, FAAN; Jennifer Embree, DNP, RN, NE-BC, CCNS, FAAN;
Matthew S. Howard, DNP, RN, GEN, TCRN, CPEN, CPN, & Monica Kennison, EdD, MSN, RN; Hartford Healthcare
2. **Transition to Practice Challenges of New Graduate Nurses and Prevalence of Missed Nursing Care;**
Edith Ouellet EdD, RN, CNE; University of Hartford
3. **Evaluating Appointment Adherence Using Reminder Phone Calls in the Outpatient Psychiatric Setting;**
Keisha Stephens, DNP, MSN, RN, PMH-BC; Fairfield University

Oral Abstracts B (15 minute Presentations & 5 minute Q&A): Moderator: Dawn Blake-Holmes

1. **Nursing Perspectives Regarding Management of Extra-Ventricular and Lumbar Drainage Drains;**
Millie Hepburn, Ph.D, RN, ACNS-BC, SCRNI; Sacred Heart University
2. **Reducing Hospital Acquired Conditions: All Hands on Deck;**
Allison Wall, MSN, RN, CMSRN, GERO-BC, CNL; Justine Moore, MSN, RN, VA-BC, CPHQ;
Ashly Vorio, MSN, RN, CCRN; Teresa Meyer, MSN, RN, CMSRN; Yale New Haven Health
3. **A Multidisciplinary Initiative for CLABSI and Infection Prevention in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit;**
Laura Lissner MSN APRN NNP-BC RNC-NIC, Jennifer Long MSN APRN NNP-BC, Amy Ciarlo RN BSN RNC-NIC,
Abigail Giuliano RN BSN RNC-NIC, David Sink MD, & Annmarie Golioto MD IBCLC; Connecticut Children's

10:40am – 11:40am

Oral Abstracts C (15 minute Presentations & 5 minute Q&A): Moderator: Kelly Nicholson

1. **Increasing Scholarly Capacity: Outcomes of a Pediatric Nursing Fellowship Program;**
Beth A. Wentland, MBA, BSN, RN, NPD-BC, Katherine A. Hinderer, PhD., RN, CNE, NEA-BC,
& Carrie-Ellen Briere, PhD, RN; Connecticut Children's
2. **The Feasibility of Implementing a Digital Remote Monitoring Program to Assess Symptoms in High-Risk Oncology Patients After Hospital Discharge;**
Hayley Dunnack Yackel, PhD, RN, CMSRN, OCN; Ann Marie Mazzella-Ebstein, PhD, RN;
Mary Kate Eanniello, DNP, RN, OCN; Sara Fontaine, MSN, RN, OCN; Andrew Salner, MD, FACR, FASTRO;
Bobby Daly, MD, MBA; Margaret Barton-Burke, PhD, RN, FAAN; Hartford Healthcare Cancer Center
3. **Improving Wound Care Transitions from Clinic to Home;**
Jennifer Daviau BSN RN CWON CHRN; Hartford Hospital Wound Center & Amy Linker BSN RN CWCN;
Hartford Health Care at Home

Oral Abstracts D (15 minute Presentations & 5 minute Q&A): Moderator: Catherine Thresher

1. **Zoning In: An Initiative to Enhance Patient Safety and Patient Experience;**
Amber Fusco, BSN, RN; Chelsea Hogan, BSN, RN; Olivia Purdy, MSN, RN; Yale New Haven Health
2. **The Lived Experience of Expectant First-time Fathers During Their Partner's Pregnancy;**
Gladys Vallespir Ellett, PhD, RN, IBCLC, LCCE; Quinnipiac University
3. **Intimate Partner Violence & Healthcare Professionals - Closing the Educational Gap;**
Sofia S. Christakos, DNP(c), RN; Stamford Hospital & Fairfield University

11:40am – 11:50am

Break

11:50am – 12:50pm

Nuts & Bolts: Moderator: Leigh Bak

1. **Strategies for Effective Nurse Engagement in Research;**
Morie Cebert, PhD, MSHP, FNP-C; Program Manager for Magnet Integration; Bridgeport Hospital
2. **Creating and Participating on a Nursing Research Team: Having the Right People & Resources;**
Cynthia Bautista, PhD, APRN, FNCS, FCNS, Associate Professor Egan School Fairfield University, Fairfield CT,
and Cynthia K. O'Sullivan, PhD, APRN, FNP-BC; Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and Global Nursing
Programs; Davis and Henley College of Nursing; Sacred Heart University

1:10pm

Closing Remarks