

*2018 Continuing Education
Course Catalogue Hackensack
University Medical Center
Department of Clinical*

Table of Contents

Basic Education 5

Basic Life Support Renewal

Orientation

Critical Care Education 10

Critical Care Curriculum

1 . Stepdown Unit Module

2 . Intensive Care Module

3 . Trauma

Triage: Meeting the Challenge

Intra---aortic Balloon Pump Course (Basic)

CEN Review Course

CCRN/PCCN Review Course

12 Lead EKG –Mini Sessions

Advanced EKG Course: The Beat Goes On

Annual Trauma Update

Therapeutic Hypothermia

Medical Surgical Continuing Education17

Advanced Med/Surg Nursing: Patient In Crisis

Medical Surgical Nursing Review

General Continuing Education18

ABC’s of Diagnostic Tests

ABC’s of Laboratory Analysis

Charge Nurse Program

Preventing & Managing Code Blue

Code Blue Documentation

DSCs, Core Measures, Quality Indicators. Oh My!!!

Preceptor Development Workshop

Ancillary Stroke Education

Stroke: Annual Update

OB Education Programs 24

- AWHONN Intermediate Fetal Heart
- AWHONN Advanced Fetal Monitoring
- AWHONN FHRMPP Instructor Course
- Adaptation to Pregnancy & Risk Management
- Labor Management
- Newborn Assessment & Breastfeeding
- Newborn Complications & Initial NRP
- OB Critical Care – Day 1
- OB Critical Care – Day 2
- Operative Management
- Perinatal Complications
- Postpartum Assessment
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) (Renewal)

Oncology Education Programs 34

- Adult Oncology Nursing Program Day I
- Adult Oncology Nursing Program Day II
- Adult Oncology Nursing Program Day III
- Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program: Day I
- Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program: Day II

Pediatric Education Programs 37

- Pediatric Diabetes: Teaching the Survival Skills
- Pediatric Oncology /Hematology Program
- Introduction to Pediatric Critical care
- Pediatric Trauma
- Pediatric Nursing Assessment
- APHON Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Course for Pediatric Nurses
- Pediatric Blood & Marrow Transplant Course
- Pediatric Renal Transplant
- Pediatric Dysrhythmia
- Pediatric Stroke
- Pediatric Chemotherapy for Non-Oncology Patients

FEES:

All courses are provided without fee to Hackensack UMC employees. The fees noted in the catalog are for attendees from other facilities.

EMPLOYEE ENROLLMENT PROCESS:

- 1 ALL employees must register in HOLA for each course they plan to attend.
- 2 Students and faculty of affiliated schools of nursing may attend courses as per seat availability. Conference request forms must be completed. Conference request forms may be obtained from the Department of Clinical Education.

OUTSIDE REGISTRANTS:

Complete the registration form and send check payable to Hackensack University Medical Center to:

Department of Clinical Education, Hackensack University Medical Center, 30 Prospect Avenue, Hackensack, NJ 07601. A faxed copy of your registration form will hold a space until two weeks before the course. Two weeks before the course the space will be released to a paid registrant if we have not received the check.

For Critical Care Course please call 551-996-2173 & request a brochure.

Hospitals may fax copies of completed registration forms for each participant. Note: only three participants per hospital are placed on the attendance list. Additional names are kept on a waiting list until two weeks before the course. A memo with a contact person's name and the date the check is expected is required with the registrations. We cannot accept faxed registrations from hospitals less than one week before the course unless called first. Hackensack University Medical Center reserves the right to cancel courses due to insufficient enrollment, in which case, registrants will receive a full refund.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellations postmarked less than two weeks before the course: registration fee will be refunded subject to a \$25.00 processing fee.

CERTIFICATION MAINTENANCE INFORMATION:

Participants enrolled in courses, which offer CEUs or contact hours will receive their certificates upon completion of the course, which may include successful passing of a written and/or practical examination.

FACULTY:

All courses are taught by an education specialist, clinical educator, clinical nurse specialist/advanced practice nurse, medical staff, hospital staff, and/or outside consultants.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Course dates are subject to change based on attendance and service/hospital needs.

FLYERS/ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Flyers will be distributed in-house as reminders prior to all courses.

2018 BLS Renewal Days

The 4 hour blocks of time listed below are for BLS renewal.

Date	Time	Location
January 18	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
January 25	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
February 15	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
February 22	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
March 15	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
March 29	3-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
March 29	7p-11p	Hekemian Auditorium
April 12	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
April 26	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
May 17	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
May 21	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
June 14	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
June 18	3p--7p	Hekemian Auditorium
June 18	7p-11p	Hekemian Auditorium
July 19	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
July 26	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
August 16	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
August 23	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
September 20	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium

Date	Time	Location
September 24	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
September 24	7p-11p	Hekemian Auditorium
October 11	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium
October 29	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
November 13	3p-7p	Hekemian Auditorium
November 15	8a-12p	Hekemian Auditorium

Coordinator: Department of Clinical Education

Audience: Hackensack University Medical Center Registered Nurses, Patient Care Technicians, Nursing Assistants, and Clinicians currently certified in Healthcare Provider from the American Heart Association. Any employee at Hackensack University Medical Center whose job description requires BLS Certification.



Orientation

This program familiarizes the new employee with the philosophy, mission, organizational chart and mandatory education requirements. Orientations are individualized as appropriate to service/unit.

Network Onboarding Day		
Date		Location
January	8	Hekemian Auditorium
February	5	Hekemian Auditorium
March	5	Hekemian Auditorium
April	2	Hekemian Auditorium
May	7	Hekemian Auditorium
June	4	Hekemian Auditorium
July	9	Hekemian Auditorium
August	6	Hekemian Auditorium
September	10	Hekemian Auditorium
October	1	Hekemian Auditorium
November	5	Hekemian Auditorium
December	3	Hekemian Auditorium

RN Orientation (Experienced) Orientation		
Date		Location
January	9-17	Computer Laboratory
February	6-14	Computer Laboratory
March	6-14	Computer Laboratory
April	3-13	Computer Laboratory
May	8-16	Computer Laboratory
June	5-13	Computer Laboratory
July	10-18	Computer Laboratory
August	7-15	Computer Laboratory
September	11-19	Computer Laboratory
October	2-10	Computer Laboratory
November	6-14	Computer Laboratory
December	4-12	Computer Laboratory



RN Orientation (Inexperienced) Orientation	
Date	Location
January 9-19	Computer Laboratory
February 6-16	Computer Laboratory
March 6-16	Computer Laboratory
April 3-15	Computer Laboratory
May 8-18	Computer Laboratory
June 5-15	Computer Laboratory
July 10-20	Computer Laboratory
August 7-17	Computer Laboratory
September 11-21	Computer Laboratory
October 2-12	Computer Laboratory
November 6-16	Computer Laboratory
December 4-14	Computer Laboratory

Nursing Assistant, Patient Care Technician, Patient Care Associate Orientation	
Date	Location
January 9-12	315 Atlantic Street
February 6-9	315 Atlantic Street
March 6-9	315 Atlantic Street
April 3-6	315 Atlantic Street
May 8-11	315 Atlantic Street
June 5-8	315 Atlantic Street
July 10-13	315 Atlantic Street
August 7-10	315 Atlantic Street
September 11-14	315 Atlantic Street
October 2-5	315 Atlantic Street
November 6-9	315 Atlantic Street
December 4-7	315 Atlantic Street



Unit Service Representative/Clerical Associate Orientation	
Date	Location
January 9 & 11	Skills Lab Room 5943
February 6 & 8	Skills Lab Room 5943
March 6 & 8	Skills Lab Room 5943
April 3 & 5	Skills Lab Room 5943
May 8 & 10	Skills Lab Room 5943
June 5 & 7	Skills Lab Room 5943
July 10 & 12	Skills Lab Room 5943
August 7 & 9	Skills Lab Room 5943
September 11 & 13	Skills Lab Room 5943
October 2 & 4	Skills Lab Room 5943
November 6 & 8	Skills Lab Room 5943
December 4 & 6	Skills Lab Room 5943

Time: 8:00 - 4:30

Fee: N/A

Coordinator: Linda Parry-Carney, MA, RN- BC (Registered Nurse)
 Patrice Pulford, MSN, RN-BC (Nursing Assistant, PCT, PCA, Unit Service Representatives, ETC Clerical Associates)

Contact Hours: NA

Audience: New hires



Critical Care Curriculum

This Critical Care course is an introduction to the theoretical and practical skills of critical care nursing. The course is divided into 3 modules: Stepdown Unit (SDU), Intensive Care Module (ICU) and Trauma. The methodology of the course progression is designed to meet the needs of staff entering specialized areas requiring different levels of knowledge and skills. The format of the entire course includes theoretical content in a lecture / discussion format supported by skill labs to allow for assimilation of new knowledge through psychomotor skills and / or interactive case studies.

Critical Care Course: Stepdown Unit Module

The Stepdown Unit Module is a 6 day course which prepares nurses in basic and life threatening dysrhythmia identification and treatment. The program also covers multisystem assessment and management on selected cardiovascular, and renal disorders. The Stepdown Unit Module serves as a foundation for progression into the ICU course. Day 6 of the Stepdown Unit Module: Pulmonary Considerations covers arterial blood gases, non-invasive oxygen delivery, and selected pulmonary disorders. *** Non-employees please call Clinical Education at 551-996-2173 for a critical care course brochure which details content covered, fees and contact hours.**

Dates: January 23, 24, 30, 31 February 6, 7
March 27, 28, April 3, 4, 10, 11
May 22, 23, 29, 30, June 5, 6
August 21, 22, 28, 29, September 4, 5
October 16, 17, 23, 24, 30, 31

Time: 8-4:30

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: External applicants please contact the Department of Clinical Education for information.

Coordinators: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: RN's required to interpret cardiac rhythms.

Critical Care Course: Intensive Care Module

The Intensive Care Unit Component incorporates theoretical and practical skills of mechanical ventilation, basic hemodynamics, shock management, sepsis, multi organ dysfunction selected neurological topics including ICP monitoring, brain and spinal cord injuries and special populations in critical care. The intensive care module content builds upon knowledge acquired in stepdown and/or its equivalent. The full module occurs over 6 days. Due to diverse and specialized staff needs some of the days of the Intensive Care Module can stand independently.

Dates: February 20, 21, 27, 28, March 6, 7
April 17, 18, 24, 25, May 1, 2
June 19, 20, 22, 26, 27, 29
September 25, 26, October 2, 3, 9, 10
November 19, 20, 27, 28, December 4, 5

Critical Care Course: Mechanical Ventilation

Day 1 covers invasive mechanical ventilation and selected pulmonary topics.

Critical Care Course: Hemodynamic Day 1

Day 2 covers care of the patient requiring hemodynamic monitoring with a focus on central venous pressure and arterial line monitoring.

Critical Care Course: Hemodynamic Day 2

Day 3 expands on the theoretical and practical skills from Hemodynamic of Day 1 with a focus on pulmonary artery catheters and shock states.

Critical Care Course: Advanced Neurological Day

Day 4 covers care of the patient with neurological alterations and intracranial pressure monitoring.

Critical Care Course: Multi-organ dysfunction

Day 5 covers selected topics on organ dysfunction.

Critical Care Course: Exam & Care Consideration

Day 6 covers the critical care exam and care considerations for the critically ill patient.

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM (Day 6, Time: 8am-12pm)

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: External applicants please contact the Department of Clinical Education for information.

Coordinators: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Critical Care Unit, ETD nurses (full course), Intermediate Care Units

Prerequisite: Stepdown Unit Course or its equivalent.

*Any individual desiring to attend selected portions of the Intensive Care Module, registration for individual days is available in HOLA, for any direction/assistance please call Clinical Education 551-996-2173.

Critical Course: Trauma Day 1 and Day 2

The Trauma Module of the Critical Care course is a two day program designed to prepare the nurse to perform initial multisystem assessment, provide immediate interventions for life threatening injuries and to problem solve for on---going shock/trauma/burn scenarios utilizing trauma life support protocols. The content is presented in lecture/discussion format and rotating teaching/skills stations.

- Dates:** March 13 & 14
July 24 & 25
December 11 & 12
- Time:** 8:00 - 4:30 PM
- Place:** 5 Link Classroom
- Fee:** External applicants please contact the Department of Clinical Education for information.
- Coordinators:** Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux MSN, RN-BC, CEN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN
- Contact Hours:** Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.
- Pre---Requisite:** Stepdown Unit and Intensive Care Module or its equivalent
- Audience:** Emergency/trauma, critical or intermediate care nurses who care for trauma patient
-

Triage: Meeting the Challenge

Triage program is designed as an introduction to the role and responsibilities of the triage nurse in the emergency trauma center (ETC). Enhance the development of critical thinking skills to information obtained in triage assessment with ac of patient and treatment

- Dates:** March 21
July 10
December 18
- Time:** 8:00 - 4:30 PM
- Place:** 5 Link Classroom
- Fee:** Not open to the Public
- Coordinators:** Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN
- Contact Hours:** Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.
- Audience:** ETD Nurses

Intra-aortic Balloon Pump Course- Technical (Basic)

This four hour course is designed for health care professionals involved with the care of the patient on IABP Therapy. The program begins with a brief overview of Cardiac A&P followed by a review of Theory of intra---aortic balloon pumping and a discussion of percutaneous IAB catheter. The technical aspects of the IABP will be discussed in detail highlighting troubleshooting in the clinical setting.

Dates: April 12
June 13
November 13

Place: 5 Link

Fee: Not open to public

Coordinators: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Provided through Maquet (Datascope)

Audience: Nurse working with patients on IABP

CEN Review Course: Day 1, Day 2, and Day 3

This 3 day course is designed as a review of the care of the emergency / trauma patient and as preparation to take the CEN exam offered through the Board of Certification for emergency nursing. (BCEN). Areas covered are those outlined in the content listing. Review of the following topics will be covered: toxicological, environmental, orthopedic, maxillofacial, shock, neurological, genitourinary, OB/GYN, respiratory, gastrointestinal, medical, ocular, wound, ENT, and trauma emergencies.

Dates: May 11 & 18
October 19 & 26

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinators: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses preparing to take the CEN exam.

CCRN & PCCN Review Course

This 4day course is designed as a review of the care of the adult acutely ill and critically ill patient and as preparation to take the adult CCRN & PCCN examination offered through the AACN certification corporation. Areas covered are those determined by the exam blueprint. Review of the following clinical topics will be covered: cardiovascular, pulmonary, endocrine, hematology/immunology, neurology, gastrointestinal, renal and multisystem. Professional caring, ethical practice and synergy model will also be addressed.

Dates: May 2 & 3
September 11 & 18
Time: 8:00-4:30
Place: 5 Link Classroom
Fee: Not open to the Public
Coordinators: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses preparing to take the adult CCRN or PCCN examination.

12 Lead EKG – Mini Sessions

The 12 Lead EKG Mini series is a course designed to provide introductory knowledge and skill in the interpretation of 12 Lead EKGs.

Mini Session I: Content includes foundations of 12 Lead EKG and axis determination

Mini Session II: Content includes acute coronary syndromes

Mini Session III: Content includes right ventricular and posterior wall MI and bundle branch blocks

Dates: To Be Determined
Time: To Be Determined
Coordinators: Maureen Daniello, MSN, RN, CCRN
Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Fee & Contact hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: RNs who have had a minimum of 6 months experience reading basic cardiac rhythms

Pre---requisite: Dysrhythmia interpretation course

Advanced EKG Course: The Beat Goes On

Content includes a review of advanced cardiac dysrhythmia concepts

Date: To Be Determined

Time: To Be Determined

Fee: Not open to outside

Coordinators: Maureen Daniello, DNP, RN, CCRN
Pamela Pascarelli, MSN, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: RNs who have a minimum of 6 months experience reading basic cardiac rhythms

Pre---requisite: Dysrhythmia interpretation course

Annual Trauma Update

This one day program is designed as an annual review of the care and management of trauma patients. It is designed for experienced RNs requiring a biannual trauma update. The focus of the course is on skills review and related assessment and documentation.

Dates: April 27
September 13
Time: 8:00am-4:30pm
Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: Not open to the Public
Coordinator: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN
Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN
Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: ETD nurses requiring biannual trauma update

Prerequisites: Trauma Course

Therapeutic Hypothermia

This course is designed for the ICU or ETD RN. Content include management of the cardiac arrest patient who is a candidate for therapeutic hypothermia treatment according to HackensackUMC protocol. This course reviews patient management using the Artic Sun machine.

Dates: March 7

June 29

December 5

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinator: Pamela Pascarelli, DNP, RN-BC, APN-C, CCRN

Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CCRN

Bridget Wertz, MSN, RN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information

Audience: ETD and ICU

Medical – Surgical Curriculum

Advanced Med/Surg Nursing: Patients In Crisis

The acuity of patients in the acute care setting has increased dramatically in recent years. It is not uncommon for nurses in med---surg to be caring for patients with complex, multisystem health issues. These patients can go into crisis easily and strong assessment skills coupled with knowledge of appropriate intervention can mean the difference between successful outcomes and an emergency. This comprehensive two---day class addresses all aspects of the management of this patient population. The experienced non---critical care nurse will develop the information base and skills necessary to handle impending crisis with confidence. The faculty will focus on early detection of impending emergencies and complications as well as quick and effective management. Students will solidify their learning through the use of case studies.

Dates: April 18 & 19
November 27 & 28

Time: 8:00 – 4:30pm

Place: 5PE Skills Lab Room 5943

Fee: \$175.00

Coordinator: Linda Parry Carney MA, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses who work with adult medical/surgical patients in a variety of settings.

Medical Surgical Nursing Review

This two---day program is designed to provide the Registered Nurse with a review of the theory and skills necessary to deliver comprehensive care to the adult medical/surgical patient and provide a study guide for the certification exam. Professional, legal and ethical issues, endocrine dysfunctions, cardiac, renal, gastrointestinal and respiratory disorders as well as an overview of oncology hematology and immunology disorders will be presented. In addition, a review of test-taking strategies and a practice test will be provided.

Dates: May 3 & 4
October 2 & 3

Time: 8:00 – 4:30

Place: 315 Atlantic St.

Fee: \$175.00

Coordinator: Sandra Emmanuel, MA, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses who work with adult medical /surgical patients in a variety of settings preparing for the Medical Surgical Nursing certification exam.

ABC's of Diagnostic Tests

This eight hour continuing education offering will provide the professional nurse with the necessary tools to prepare patients for diagnostic tests and care for them afterwards. Tests to be included are diagnostic radiology, ultrasound, nuclear medicine, CT Scan, MRI and selected special procedures. Lectures will address nursing implications and post procedure care. Special emphasis will be placed on patient and caregiver safety.

Dates: October 8

Time: 8:00-4:30 PM

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinators: Patrice Pulford, MSN, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: All registered nurses and clinicians

ABC's of Laboratory Analysis

This is an eight hour continuing education offering which provides the professional nurse with the necessary tools to interpret frequently ordered laboratory tests for adult patients. Topics include chemistry, hematology, cardiac profiles, lipid profiles, and urine studies. Related disorders and nursing implications are described for each category. Participation by the audience in selected case studies will be utilized to promote critical thinking skills.

Dates: March 22

Time: 8:00-4:30 PM

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinators: Linda Parry Carney, MA, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: All registered nurses and clinicians

Charge Nurse Program

This one---day program is designed to introduce charge nurse management skills to beginning charge nurses as well as enhance the management skills of existing charge nurses. Content will include: situational leadership, nursing management and supervision process, chain of command, managing the unit, common staffing issues, patient and family issues, case studies utilizing role playing. Other topics include: length of stay, time management, staff assignments, delegation, and budget, supervising ancillary staff, sick calls, lateness, ethical dilemmas and patient safety.

Dates: January 29
April 25
June 25
October 29

Time: 8:00-4:30

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: \$175

Coordinators: Sandra Emmanuel, MA, RN-BC
Patrice Pulford, MSN, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses in preparation to be in charge.

Preventing and Managing a Code Blue

The acuity of patients in the hospital today requires the nurse to be able to recognize and intervene quickly when a patient's status changes. Today's nurse must have strong assessment skills coupled with the ability to interpret their findings and act on them rapidly. This education offering is designed to assist nurses in achieving that goal. This eight-hour class will cover common causes for patient decompensation and the associated assessment findings. Code and non-code emergencies will be discussed. Speakers will address common emergencies, life threatening dysrhythmias, medication management and more. Emphasis will be on hands on involvement including a mock code experience.

Dates: January 31
April 17
June 26
September 6
November 19

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: 5PE Skills Lab

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinators: Linda Parry Carney MA, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: RN's working on adult in-patient units.

DSCs, Core Measures, Quality Indicators. Oh My!!!

Hackensack University Medical Center is proudly certified in numerous specialties by the Joint Commission. Standards of care must be assured for all patients. This class is designed to assist the nurse in integrating current evidence into practice and meeting the standards in a variety of specialties.

Dates: January 18
February 15
March 15
April 12
May 17
June 14
July 19
August 16
September 29
October 11
November 15
December 13

Time: 12p-4:30p
Place: 5 Link Classroom
Fee: Not open to the public

Coordinator: Linda Parry Carney, MA, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses who work with adult medical /surgical patients in a variety of settings.
Required for new RNs hired into Medical-Surgical areas

Preceptor Development Workshop

This one-day program is designed to prepare the staff nurse to facilitate the learning process for newly hired nurses in the clinical setting. Content will include principles of adult learning, assessing learning needs, clinical teaching strategies and evaluative methods. Examples of specific case scenarios and role playing will be presented in order to simulate real life situations and to elicit dialogue between the attendees. This program will allow the nurse to act as a role model for new nurses and will benefit both the experienced and novice preceptors.

Dates: January 22
March 20
May 31
June 22
October 17
December 19

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: 5PE Skills Lab Room 5943

Fee: \$175

Coordinator: Victoria Correale, DNP, RN-BC

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses newly responsible for orienting nursing personnel, both inpatient and outpatient settings and nurses already functioning as preceptors, who desire to refine and update the skills needed to precept.

Ancillary Stroke Education

This eight-hour program will provide the ancillary staff with the most updated information on Care of the Stroke patient, identifying risk factors, other disease processes and how they increase a person's risk for stroke. Nursing Assistant/ETD Technicians annual competencies are completed during the class.

Dates: January 22 8:00am-4:30pm
 February 16 8:00am-4:30pm
 March 21 8:00am-4:30pm
 April 9 3:00pm-11:00pm
 May 4 8:00am-4:30pm
 June 14 3:00pm-11:00pm
 July 5 8:00am-4:30pm
 September 16 8:00am-4:30pm
 October 10 8:00am-4:30pm
 November 1 8:00am-4:30pm

Time: as listed above

Place: 5 Link Classroom

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinator: Patrice Pulford, MSN, RN-BC

Contact Hours: NA

Audience: Nursing Assistants and PCTs

Monday, April 27	12-4:30 pm	5 Link Classroom
Friday, May 8	8a-12:30pm	5 Link Classroom
Monday, June 22	12-4:30 pm	5 Link Classroom
Wednesday, July 8	8a-12:30p	5 Link Classroom
Thursday, August 6	12-4:30 pm	5 Link Classroom

Dates: March 20
May 16
July 31
August 15
November 27

Time: 8am -12:30pm

Fee: Not open to outside

Coordinators: Kristina Rioux, MSN, RN-BC, CEN, CCRN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: RNs working on nursing units who require 4 or 8 hours of stroke education annually as well as any RN caring for the stroke patient.

OB Curriculum

AWHONN Intermediate Fetal Heart Monitoring

AWHONN Intermediate Fetal Heart Monitoring is a two-day workshop focusing on the application of essential fetal heart monitoring knowledge and skills in intrapartum and antepartum practice. The didactic session is an analysis of case scenarios requiring synthesis of key principles pertinent to the physiologic basis of fetal heart monitoring technology, tracing interpretation, nursing interventions, and verbal and written communication skills. The skill sessions focus on demonstration, practice, testing of skills of auscultation, placement of an intrauterine pressure catheter and spiral electrode, interpretation of tracings, identification of indicated nursing interventions, and communication and documentation. Successful completion of written examinations and performance of skills evaluations are requirements for completing the program and earning continuing education credit. AWHONN offers 18.0 CEN credits for course completion.

Dates: Day I April 17
Day II April 18

Day I October 24
Day II October 25

Time: 8:00am-4:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: \$375.00
* Fee must be received prior to study materials being distributed. Must read "Fetal Heart Rate Monitoring: (5th ed.) Principles & Practices" AWHONN Chapter 1-11 prior to coming to class.

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Contact for application 551-996-8658

Contact Hours: AWHONN offers 18.0 CEN credits for course completion. Call the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: RNs, APNs and midwives working in labor and delivery areas. Pre-requisite participants need a minimum of 6 months labor and delivery or High Risk Antepartum experience.

AWHONN Advanced Fetal Monitoring

This one-day Advanced Fetal Monitoring Course expands on the knowledge and principles that were presented in the Intermediate Course and covers more complex concepts. This course uses a case study approach focusing on the analysis of complicated FHM patterns and characteristics with related care information and includes a written test at the conclusion of the day. Successful completion of a written examination is required for the completion of the course. While attendance at the Intermediate Course is not a pre-requisite, AWHONN strongly recommends this course prior to the Advanced Course. A total of 1 year experience is strongly recommended. AWHONN offers 8.0 Continuing Education Nursing (CEN) credits after course completion

Dates: May 23
November 28

Time: 8:00am - 4:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: \$250.00
* Fee must be received prior to study materials being distributed. Must read "Fetal Heart Rate Monitoring: Principles & Practices" (5th Ed.) AWHONN Chapter 11-13 prior to coming to class

Contact Hours; AWHONN offers 8.0 Continuing Education Nursing (CEN) credits after course completion. Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Contact for application 551-996-8658

Audience: Any individual practicing in OB who has already completed the AWHONN Intermediate Fetal monitoring course.

AWHONN FHRMPP Instructor Course

This class prepares you to teach the intermediate course. Participants will discuss the instructor role and responsibilities, administrative procedures, and consent development. This 1-day course focuses on the principles of adult learning and the application of same to the intermediate course. Each participant is required to present an assigned segment of intermediate course during the day. And will be required to present a portion of the intermediate class with Instructor Trainer (IT) at a later date. Once validation is successfully completed with IT, AWHONN provides 8.0 CEN credits for the course.

Dates: July 24

Time: 8:00am-4:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic Street

Fee: \$250.00

Candidates for this class are required to purchase and bring to class the AWHONN FHRMPP Instructor Manual. This can be purchased through AWHONN on their website: www.AWHONN.org

Contact Hours: AWHONN offers 8.0 Continuing Education Nursing (CEN) credits after course completion.

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Contact for application 551-996-8658 for information.

Audience: Individuals who wish to teach the AWHONN Intermediate Fetal Heart Monitoring Course. Once this class is completed, candidates must maintain AWHONN membership and teach at least 2 courses in 2 years.

Pre-requisite: Completing all AWHONN requirements found on the AWHONN website, in addition to a completed application and submission of continuing education in fetal monitoring

The following classes are part of AWHONN’s Perinatal Orientation and Education Program 4th edition (POEP4). These classes are a combination of didactic, case studies, and group work and discussion. No contact hours will be awarded for these classes.

Adaptation to Pregnancy & Risk Management

This single day class is a combination of two modules. Physiologic and Psychosocial Adaptation to Pregnancy includes maternal physical and psychological adaptation to pregnancy and parenthood, familial adaptation to the newborn, fetal and placental development in utero, and maternal assessment and testing options by trimester. The second portion, Perinatal Safety and Risk Management, includes concepts related to team training, effective communication and provision of safe perinatal care. Content also identifies common malpractice situations and risk management strategies. Medications commonly used in the perinatal setting is also covered.

Dates: February 7
July 26
September 11

Time: 8:00 – 4:30 pm

Place: 315 Atlantic Street

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN, RN-BC
Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses working in Labor & Delivery, Antepartum, and Postpartum settings.

Labor Management

The Labor Management modules cover both the normal process and complications of labor. The Process of Labor and Birth (Normal) Module includes information on the labor process, second stage management and pain management; as well as, evaluation of labor coping and practices that provide personalized labor support. The Process of Labor and Birth (Complications) Module discusses complications such as induction and augmentation, labor dystocia, and postpartum hemorrhage. This content also includes utilizing quantification of blood loss (QBL).

Dates: March 8
October 9

Time: 8:00am-4:30pm

Place: Women’s & Children Room 4E-52

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN, RN-BC
Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered Nurses, APNs and midwives working in labor and delivery areas.

Newborn Assessment & Breastfeeding

The Newborn Assessment and Nursing Care Module includes the physical assessment of the newborn, reflexes, skin to skin care, breastfeeding and infant nutrition. Skin care, safe sleep, and procedural pain management are also discussed.

Dates: May 22
September 27

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: Women and Children's Building room 4E-52

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN, RN-BC
Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: All nurses who provide care to newly born infants.

Newborn Complications & Initial NRP

The Neonatal Complications Module content includes screening for critical congenital heart disease (CCHD), blood gas interpretation, and management of neonatal abstinence syndrome (NAS) and the impact of maternal substance abuse. The module also covers the late preterm infant. The second part of the class is an introduction to the 7th edition Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP). This will provide the learner who has never cared for a newborn previously the basics of NRP before taking the online exam and being validated on skills.

Dates: June 12
December 18

Time: 8:00 - 12:00 PM Newborn Complications
12:00pm-4:30pm Initial NRP

Place: Women and Children's Building room 4E-52

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinator: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM,
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN, RN-BC
Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: All nurses who provide care to newly born infants. RNs, Respiratory Therapists, Emergency Personnel who care for newly born infants and need an introduction to NRP.

OB Critical Care – Day 1

OB Critical Care – Day 1 is the first component of a two-day course. This day is a combination of two modules, Complications of Pregnancy, Parts 1 and 3. These modules include common pregnancy complications such as rupture of membranes, bleeding disorders, preterm labor, multiple gestation, preterm birth, trauma in pregnancy, and obesity in pregnancy.

Dates: April 25
December 12

Time: 8am-4:30pm

Place: Women and Children’s Building Room 4E-52

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinators: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN, RN-BC

Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses working in the antepartum and Labor & Delivery settings.

OB Critical Care – Day 2

OB Critical Care – Day 2 is the second part of the OB Critical Care course. This module, Complications of Pregnancy, Part 2, includes hypertension in pregnancy, anaphylactoid syndrome of pregnancy (amniotic fluid embolism), cardiopulmonary resuscitation in pregnancy, myocardial infarction, venous thromboembolism, deep vein thrombosis, and pulmonary embolism.

Dates: February 28
May 30
December 4

Time: 8am-4:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic Street

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinators: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN RN-BC

Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses working in the antepartum, Labor & Delivery, and postpartum areas. Must have at least six months to a year experience.

Operative Management

The Cesarean Birth and Post Anesthesia Care Unit (PACU) module includes nursing care provided for a cesarean birth in the preoperative, intraoperative, and postoperative phases. A systematic review of PACU standards and maternal postoperative assessment, potential complications and nursing care recommendations.

Dates: March 27
November 7

Time: 8am-11am

Place: 315 Atlantic Street

Fee: \$45.00

Coordinators: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN RN-BC

Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses who work in the labor and delivery setting.

Perinatal Complications

Perinatal Complications includes a combination of the modules Perinatal Infections and Perinatal Loss. Perinatal Infections will cover sexually transmitted infections, other infections in pregnancy and neonatal implications. Vaccines in pregnancy will also be covered. The content on Perinatal Loss will include responses to perinatal loss – bereavement and grief, normal and complicated parental grief, cultural and spiritual aspects of perinatal loss. It will also discuss caregiver emotional education and preparation.

Dates: March 27
June 5
November 7

Time: 12am – 4pm

Place: 315 Atlantic Street

Fee: \$55.00

Coordinators: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC-MNN RN-BC

Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses who work in the antepartum, labor & delivery, and postpartum settings.

Postpartum Assessment

The Postpartum Assessment and Nursing Care Module includes the normal physiologic and psychological changes that occur after birth. This module also discusses postpartum emotional changes, causes, symptoms, and management of potential postpartum complications including Quantitative Blood Loss (QBL)

Dates: April 19
October 10

Time: 8am-4:30pm

Place: Women and Children's Building Room 4E-52

Fee: \$75.00

Coordinators: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RN-BC

Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses working with women during the postpartum period.

Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP): Renewal

This renewal program will provide the participant with the advanced skills necessary to assist with or manage the care of the compromised neonate post-delivery. The course has been developed by the American Heart Association and American Academy of Pediatrics to assure adequately trained staff will be available to care for infants post-delivery.

Dates:

Jan	8	3p-5p
	17	11a-1p
	30	7p-9p
Feb	12	11a-1p
	22	3p-5p
	28	11a-1p
Mar	6	7p-9p
	7	11a-1p
	12	11a-1p
	20	3p-5p
Apr	9	11a-1p
	10	7p-9p
May	7	11a-1p
	10	7p-9p
	16	3p-5p
June	11	11a-1p
	18	7p-9p
	19	3p-5p
July	10	3p-5p
	16	11a-1p
	26	7p-9p
Aug	7	7p-9p
	13	11a-1p
	14	3p-5p
Sept	12	11a-1p
	18	3p-5p
	19	7p-9p
	24	11a-1p
Oct	1	3p-5p
	9	7p-9p
	16	3p-5p
	29	11a-1p
Nov	13	3p-5p
	14	7p-9p
	27	11a-1p
Dec	11	3p-5p
	19	11a-1p

Fee: \$ 80:00

Coordinators: Margaret Campbell-Lupardo, MSN, CNM, RN-BC, C-EFM
Heather Davies, MSN, RNC

Contact the Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Contact Hours: Contact Hours are awarded through the American Academy of Pediatrics

Audience: Antepartum , Labor & Delivery, NICU, and Postpartum nurses. The course is also appropriate for ETD nurses, neonatologists, APNs, NICU respiratory therapists, and emergency personnel who care for newly born infants.

Prerequisite: Completion of the 7th Edition NRP exam on line. Certificate of Completion must be brought to the skills session.

Oncology Curriculum

Adult Oncology Nursing Program Day I

This offering is designed to provide the RN with an overview of nursing care for the adult oncology patient. Relevant topics include pathogenesis, oncology treatment modality, chemotherapy, immunotherapy, pharmacologic interventions, psychosocial care and pain and palliative care management.

Dates: January 12
April 6
September 7

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: John Theurer Cancer Center Conference Room

Fee: \$100.00 (Discounted price of \$175.00 if registering for Adult Oncology Nursing Program: Day II)

Coordinator: Brenda Diaz, MSN, RN, APN, AOCN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Both experienced as well as inexperienced RNs who care for adult oncology patients and their families in a variety of settings.

Adult Oncology Nursing Program Day II

Adult Oncology Nursing Program: Day II is a continuing education offering designed to present information which is of benefit to both experienced as well as inexperienced nurses who care for adult patients with cancer. Relevant topics include an overview of clinical cancer research, management of oncologic emergencies, review of disease specific cancers such as lung, gastrointestinal, ovarian, and breast and the related nursing considerations.

Dates: February 2
April 20
September 21

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: John Theurer Cancer Center Conference Room

Fee: \$100.00 (Discounted price of \$175.00 if registering for Adult Oncology Nursing Program: Day I
\$ 250. 00 if registered for all 3 days)

Coordinator: Brenda Diaz, MSN, RN, APN, AOCN

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Both experienced as well as inexperienced RNs who care for adult oncology patients and their families in a variety of settings.

Adult Oncology Nursing Program Day III

Adult Oncology Nursing program: Day III is a continuing education offering designed to present information which is of benefit to both experienced as well as inexperienced nurses who care for adult patients with cancer. Relevant topics include understanding hospice and hematopoiesis, and a review of disease specific cancers such as myelodysplastic syndrome (MDS), leukemia, lymphoma and multiple myeloma and the related nursing considerations.

- Dates:** February 13
May 8
October 9
- Time:** 8:00 - 4:30 PM
- Place:** John Theurer Cancer Center Conference Room
- Fee:** \$100.00 (Discounted price of \$175.00 if registering for Adult Oncology Nursing Program: Day I \$250.00 if registered for all 3 days)
- Coordinator:** Brenda Diaz, MSN, RN, APN, AOCN
- Contact Hours:** Contact Hackensack University Medical Center, Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.
- Audience:** Both experienced as well as inexperienced RNs who care for adult oncology patients and their families in a variety of settings.

Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program: Day I

Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program: Day I is designed to concentrate on the scientific principles of stem cell harvesting and transplantation utilized in the management and care of the adult patient undergoing these procedures. Relevant topics include history of transplantation, criteria for transplant donor procurement and preparation, sources of stem cells, pharmacotherapy used in transplantation and nursing management of patients' pre-transplantation.

- Dates:** March 6
May 22
October 30
- Time:** 8:00 — 4:30 PM
- Fee:** \$100.00 (Discounted price of \$175.00 if also registering for Stem Cell Transplant: Day 2)
- Coordinator:** Brenda Diaz, MSN, RN, APN, AOCN
- Contact Hours:** Contact Hackensack University Medical Center, Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.
- Audience:** Registered professional nurses who care for adult patients undergoing stem cell transplantation.

Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program: Day II

Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program Day II is designed to concentrate on the scientific principles of stem cell harvesting and transplantation utilized in the management and care of the adult oncology patient undergoing these procedures. Relevant issues include blood transfusion, acute and chronic graft versus host disease, and nursing management of acute and chronic post-transplant complications, total body irradiation and psychosocial issues facing adult stem cell transplant patients. **Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program Day I is a prerequisite for this class.**

- Dates:** March 20
June 19
November 13
- Time:** 8:00 - 4:30 PM
- Place:** 5 Link Classroom
- Fee:** \$100.00 (Discounted price of \$175.00 if also registering for Stem Cell Transplant: Day 1)2
- Coordinator:** Brenda Diaz, MSN, RN, APN, AOCN
- Contact Hours:** Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.
- Audience:** Registered professional nurses who care for adult patients undergoing Stem Cell Transplantation, it is suggested that participants take Stem Cell Transplant Nursing Program: Day I as a prerequisite.
-

Pediatric Curriculum

Pediatric Diabetes: Teaching the Survival Skills

This half day course is designed to provide the staff nurse with the tools necessary to teach the newly diagnosed Type 1 diabetic survival skills. The RN will be given an overview of type 1 diabetes, information on medication management and carbohydrate counting. Nursing management to prepare the RN for instructing the families on hyperglycemia, hypoglycemia, sick day management and what to do for diabetic emergencies will be discuss.

Dates: February 13
October 2

Time: 8a-12:30p

Place: Women's Hospital – Montgoris Dining Room

Fee: \$50.00

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses who provide care to children with type-one diabetes in any setting.

Pediatric Oncology/Hematology Program

This two-day program is designed to provide the RN with a basic overview of Pediatric Oncology/Hematology. Relevant topics include nursing assessment in pediatric hematology/oncology patients, treatment modalities, oncology emergencies, treatment side effects and end of life care. A review of the nursing care of children and adolescents with sickle cell anemia, thalassemia, and other pediatric hematologic conditions. Disease specific cancers include Leukemia, Lymphomas, Hodgkin's and Brian Tumors.

Dates: March 6 & 7

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: \$150.00

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered Nurses caring for pediatric oncology patients and their families in a variety of settings.

Introduction to Pediatric Critical Care Course

This three day course is designed as an introduction to the assessment and management of the critically ill pediatric patient.

Dates: February 21, 22 & 23
October 22, 23 & 24

Time: 8:00am: -4:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: \$175.00

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: This dysrhythmia course in conjunction with PALS prepares pediatric RNs working on the general pediatric units for care of patients requiring conscious sedation. The course also serves as an introduction to dysrhythmia interpretation for pediatric nurses in the ICU, recovery room, and emergency room.
to critical care, being cross---trained for PICU, new to the pediatric emergency room or as a review for an experienced nurse.

Pediatric Trauma

This is a one-day course designed to prepare the nurse to identify mechanisms of injury and related developmental factors. The participants will utilize the primary and secondary survey when performing an assessment for the pediatric trauma patient. Topics covered include management of head, spinal cord, chest and abdominal trauma, burns and near drowning.

Dates: May 2
November 6

Time: 800am: -4:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: \$100.00

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses who are new to critical care, being cross-trained for PICU, or new to the pediatric emergency room.

Pediatric Nursing Assessment

This two-day offering is designed to provide/enhance the basic physical assessment skills of registered nurses who care for pediatric patients in a variety of settings. A systematic approach to health assessment will enable the nurse to develop competence in performing a comprehensive nursing assessment, while utilizing practical clinical skills of inspection, palpation, percussion, and auscultation of major body systems. Common diseases affecting each system will be discussed. Growth and development & lab analysis will also be discussed. Instruction includes lecture, demonstrations, skills labs, and case studies. All nurses who care for pediatric patients in the inpatient and outpatient areas will benefit from this program.

Dates: March 19 & 20
September 17 & 18
Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM
Place: 315 Atlantic Street
Fee: \$150.00
Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON
Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses who care for pediatric patients in a variety of clinical settings.

APHON Chemotherapy and Biotherapy Course for Pediatric Nurses

This two-day program provides a standardized chemotherapy and biotherapy course to nurses in order to promote basic education and training for cytotoxic and biotherapeutic agent administration. It concentrates on the science of cancer chemotherapy and policies/procedures for safe IV administration. Application on the nursing process in the management and care of the pediatric patient receiving antineoplastic agents is emphasized. After successfully completing the course and a post-test you will receive a personalized APON Chemotherapy and Biotherapy Provider Card.

Dates: April 24 & 25
Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM
Place: 315 Atlantic St
Fee: \$200
Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON
Contact Hours: Provided through APHON
Audience: Experienced RNs who care for pediatric oncology patients in either the outpatient oncology clinic or in-patient pediatric units.

Pediatric Blood and Marrow Transplant Course

This 2-day course provides an overview of nursing issues involved in caring for children and adolescents undergoing blood and marrow transplantation (BMT). A comprehensive review of the BMT process is presented. Topics to be covered include the fundamental principles of blood and marrow transplantation, HLA typing and patient evaluation. The course covers the treatment needed to prepare the patient for transplantation as well as the process of infusion of hematopoietic progenitor cells. Nursing assessment along with complications is discussed in great detail with emphasis on graft vs. host disease and long term effects of transplantation. Psychosocial issues that are seen with transplantation families are reviewed. Case studies are included to provide clinical scenarios to enhance the learning process.

Dates: October 16 & 17

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: \$175

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Nursing Education 551-996-2173 for information

Audience: Experienced RNs who care for pediatric oncology patients in either the outpatient oncology clinic or in-patient pediatric units.

Pediatric Renal Transplant

This is a 4 hour course offered to Pediatric nurses on the care of patient receiving a kidney transplant. The focus will include pre-transplant preparation, and education of patients and families, surgical procedures that are performed. It will review the immediate post op care and nursing management and will conclude with discharge education and follow-up. Psychosocial considerations will be review as well as medications and long term complications.

DATES: March 14
November 13

TIME: 8- 12:30pm

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: Not open to the Public

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Registered nurses working in Pediatrics

Pediatric Dysrhythmia

This is a two day dysrhythmia course developed with a pediatric focus. The course is divided into theoretical and practical sections to allow for practice of new knowledge. This dysrhythmia course in conjunction with PALS prepares pediatric RNs working on the general pediatric units for care of patients requiring conscious sedation. The course also serves as an introduction to dysrhythmia interpretation for pediatric nurses in the ICU, recovery room, and emergency room.

Dates: April 10 & 12
September 25 & 26

Time: 8:00 - 4:30 PM
Place: 315 Atlantic Street
Fee: \$150.00

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses who care for pediatric patients in a variety of clinical settings.

Pediatric Stroke

This ½ day course will examine first the types of stroke seen in the general population, including guidelines for diagnosis and treatment. There will be a review of indicators required for a state designed stroke center. Then the participants will review causes of strokes seen in the younger pediatric patient and treatment recommendations.

Dates: February 1
June 6
July 10
August 15

Time: 8:00AM - 2:00PM
Place: Women & Children's 4E-52
Fee: This course is not open to the public.

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses who care for pediatric patients in a variety of clinical settings.

Pediatric Chemotherapy for Non-Oncology Patients

This program provides a standardized chemotherapy and biotherapy course to nurses who will be administering chemotherapy and biotherapy to pediatric patients for non-oncology indications. It concentrates on the science of chemotherapy and biotherapy as well as and policies/procedures for safe IV administration. Application on the nursing process in the management and care of the pediatric patient receiving antineoplastic agents is emphasized.

Dates: May 22

Time: 8:00AM - 4:30PM

Place: 315 Atlantic St

Fee: This course is not open to the public.

Coordinator: Gina Dovi, MSN, RN, CPHON

Contact Hours: Contact Hackensack University Medical Center,
Department of Clinical Education 551-996-2173 for information.

Audience: Nurses who care for pediatric patients in non-oncology clinical settings.