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This special leadership program provides content focusing on leadership, management, and mentoring for Nurse Managers and Nurse Directors working in all perinatal settings. This program also provides the opportunity for networking with fellow nursing leaders. Start with a leadership workshop on Wednesday afternoon. On the second day, join us for morning general sessions at the conference of your choice; reconvene in the afternoon for this special track.

Wednesday, September 13
1:00–3:00 PM
050a Purposeful Change: How to Ignite a Team!
Sherri Lee Simons, MSN, RNC-NIC, CCRN
3:00–5:00 PM
050b The Secret of High-Performing Organizations
Scott Mautz

Thursday, September 14
8:00 AM–12:00 PM
Symposium participants attend morning general sessions of their choice.
1:30–2:30 PM
115 Now That You Got Them, How Do You Keep Them?
Matt McPoiin, DM, MBA
3:30–4:30 PM
125 Changing Times in Nursing
Cathleen Hamel MS, RN, NEA-BC, CNOR

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Early Bird (through 7/17/17) $199
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Preconference Workshops
Wednesday, September 13
Separate fee required. See pricing online.
8:00 AM–5:00 PM
Full Day Program (7.5 contact hours)
010 Replicating the Real World and Discussing the Outcomes of Performance: Writing Effective Scenarios and Debriefing Principles
Kris Karlson, PhD, APRN, NNP-BC
8:00 am–12:00 pm
Half Day Morning Program
(3.75 contact hours)
020 Neonatal Pharmacology, Part I
Christopher McPherson, PharmD
1:00–5:00 pm
Half-Day Afternoon Programs
(3.75 contact hours)
030 Neonatal Pharmacology, Part II
Christopher McPherson, PharmD
1:00–5:00 pm
040 Management and Treatment of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome: A Team Approach
Stacy Akerson, MSN
Antonette Bell, MSN, RN
Kristina McGahan, RN, BNS
Maria Mucay, MSN, LSW
Andria Peterson, PharmD
1:00–5:00 pm
Registration Hours
Tuesday, September 12
4:00–6:00 pm
Wednesday, September 13
7:00 am–5:30 pm
Thursday, September 14
6:45 am–4:45 pm
Friday, September 15
6:45 am–4:30 pm
Saturday, September 16
7:00 am–11:30 am
NCC Certified?
ANN provides NCC competency codes on the conference CNE page online and in your program book.

Main Conference
Thursday, September 14
7:45–8:00 AM Announcements
8:00–9:00 AM
GS 171 Epigenomics: What the Advanced Practice Nurse Needs to Know
Susan R. Drax, DPhPh, MPH, NNP-BC
9:00–10:00 AM Exhibit Hall Opens, Posters Open
10:00–11:00 AM
GS 172 Early Recognition of Sepsis: Use of Biomarkers in Neonatal Sepsis
Carol Botwinski, EdD, APRN, NNP-BC
11:00 AM–12:00 PM
GS 173 State of the Evidence on Hypoglycemia
Kris Karlson, PhD, APRN, NNP-BC
12:00–1:15 PM Lunch—Exhibits Open, Posters Open
1:15–2:15 PM
GS 174 Cardiac Emergencies
Sergio A. Camilo, MD
2:15–3:15 PM
GS 175 Multi-Drug Resistant Organisms
Andria Peterson, PharmD
4:15–5:15 PM
GS 176 Bleeding Disorders in the Newborn
Carol Botwinski, EdD, APRN, NNP-BC
3:15–4:15 PM
Friday, September 15
6:15–7:15 AM Stretch & De-Stress Class
7:45–8:00 AM Announcements
8:00–9:00 AM
GS 271 The "Alphabet Soup" of Synchronized Ventilation
Brian L. Ohning, MD, PhD
9:00–10:15 AM Exhibits Open, Posters Open
10:15–11:15 AM
GS 272 Atrial Rhythms in Neonates
Abraham Rothman, MD
11:15 AM–12:15 PM
GS 273 Differences of Sexual Development: How to Keep up with the Changes in the Gender Revolution
Kathleen van Leeuwen, MD
12:15–1:30 PM Lunch
1:30–2:30 PM
GS 274 Oxidative Stress in Neonates: Just How Much and Why Are They So Stressed?
William Delhi-Jones, PhD, RN
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3:00–4:00 PM Poster Session with Poster Presenters
3:30–4:00 PM
GS 276 Cleaning Up Your NICU: A Case-Based Approach
Kanayo Erenaksie, MD
4:00–5:00 PM
GS 277 At the Edge of Perinatal Viability: Outcomes and Counseling
Bryan L. Ohning, MD, PhD

Saturday, September 16
The general sessions on this day are combined with the concurrent conferences.
8:00–9:00 AM
GS 301 Substance Abuse in Pregnancy
Elynn Brown-Weininger, RN, MSN
9:15–10:15 AM
GS 302 Risky Business: Social Media and Career Mishaps
Sheen Simon, MSN, RNC-NIC, CCRN
10:15–11:15 AM
GS 303 Patient Safety and the Just Culture: How Do We Speak Up Without Getting Shot Down?
Robert Turbow, MD
11:15–11:30 AM Concluding Remarks

Topics and Speakers are Subject to Change

Who should attend?
• Experienced Staff Nurses
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• Clinical Nurse Specialists
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• Neonatal Nurse Managers
• Neonatal Directors
• Neonatal Outreach Educators

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