

# Education Directory

## ARIZONA

Tucson

### Critical Care Spring Conference

Date: March 19, 2008. Place: Sheraton Tucson Hotel. Address: 5151 East Grand Rd, Tucson, AZ 85712. Sponsor: Southern Arizona Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speakers: TBD. Contact: Janice Allen. Phone: (520) 574-8203. E-mail: janleea@earthlink.net. Fee: \$100. Credit: 6 CEUs.

## CONNECTICUT

Hartford

### Horizons 2008

Date: April 9-11, 2008. Place: Hartford, CT. Sponsor: Region 1. Contact: Pat Rosier. Phone: (413) 447-2593. E-mail: prosier@bhs.org.

Uncasville

### Nursing Symposium With a CCRN Review

Date: April 7-8, 2008. Place: Mohegan Sun. Address: 1 Mohegan Sun Blvd, Uncasville, CT 06382. Sponsor: Education Enterprises. Contact: Laura Gasparis Vonfrolio, RN, PhD. Address: 608 Huguenot Ave, Staten Island, NY 10312. Phone: (800) 331-6534. Fax: (718) 317-0858. E-mail: afeduprn@aol.com. Web site: www.greatnurses.com. Fee: \$150 per day, includes breakfast and lunch. Credit: 14 CEUs.

## FLORIDA

Hollywood

### Reclaiming Our Priorities

Date: April 12, 2008. Place: Hard Rock Hotel and Casino, Hollywood, FL. Sponsor: Broward County Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Marian Altman; Jan Headley; Mary McKinley; Harriet Diamond. Contact: Patty Kelly. Phone: (954) 722-8020. E-mail: pattykelly7@comcast.net. Fee: \$110 member; \$125 nonmember By March 15th 2008. Credit: 7 CEUs.

Orlando

### CCRN/PCCN Review

Date: March 27-29, 2008. Place: Orlando Regional Medical Center. Sponsor: Metro Orlando Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Mary Ann "Cammie" House-Francher. Address: 1414 Kuhl Avenue, Orlando, FL 32806. Contact: Ann Dougherty. Phone: (407) 876-6421. E-mail: ADoughe345@aol.com. Fee: MOC chapter members, \$175; nonmembers, \$245. Credit: 14 CEUs.

Orlando

### CCRN Review Course

Date: March 27-28, 2008. Place: Orlando Regional Medical Center. Sponsor: Metropolitan Orlando Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Cammie House-Francher. Phone: (800) 763-3332. Web site: www.mededseminars.net. Fee: \$175, members; \$245, nonmembers. Credit: 14 CEUs.

Orlando

### PCCN Review Course

Date: March 28-29, 2008. Place: Orlando Regional Medical Center. Sponsor: Metropolitan Orlando Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Cammie House-Francher. Phone: (800) 763-3332. Web site: www.mededseminars.net. Fee: \$175, members; \$245, nonmembers. Credit: 14 CEUs.

## MARYLAND

Towson

### Critical Care Nursing: The Future Is Now!

Date: March 12-13, 2008. Place: The Conference Center-Sheppard Pratt; Address: 6501 N Charles St, Towson, MD. Sponsor: Chesapeake Bay Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Caryl Goodyear-Bruch, RN, PhD, CCRN, president-elect of AACN. Contact: Karen Droter. Phone: (410) 248-9353. E-mail: MDROTER@aol.com. Credit: 11 contact hours.

Towson

### Adult CCRN & PCCN Combination Review Course

Date: April 15-17, 2008. Place: The Conference Center-Sheppard Pratt. Address: 6501 N Charles St, Towson, MD. Sponsor: Chesapeake Bay Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Carol Rauen, RN, MS. Contact: Karen Droter. Phone: (410) 248-9353. E-mail: MDROTER@aol.com. Fee: \$225, CBC member. Credit: 21 contact hours.

## MISSOURI

St Charles

### Emerging Trends in Critical Care Spring Symposium

Date: March 19-20, 2008. Place: St Charles Convention Center, St Charles, MO. Sponsor: Greater St Louis Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speakers: Dave Hansen, president of AACN; Mary Case, MD; Nader Moazami, MD. Contact: Jean Greco, RN, BSN, CCRN. Phone: (314) 406-3930. E-mail: jcg1954@hotmail.com. Fee: \$100/day.

## NEVADA

Las Vegas

### 2008 Nursing Symposium With a CCRN Review

Date: July 28-29, 2008. Place: Rivera Hotel & Casino. Address: 2801 Las Vegas Blvd South, Las Vegas, NV. Sponsor: Education Enterprises. Contact: Laura Gasparis Vonfrolio, RN, PhD. Address: 608 Huguenot Ave, Staten Island, NY 10312. Phone: (800) 331-6534. Fax: (718) 317-0858. E-mail: afeduprn@aol.com. Web site: www.greatnurses.com. Fee: \$150 per day, includes breakfast and lunch. Credit: 14 CEUs.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

Whitefield

### Cabin Fever Critical Care Conference 2008

Date: March 13, 2008. Place: Week's Medical Center Physician Offices, Whitefield, NH. Sponsor: White Mountains Chapter of AACN. Contact: Peggy Piette. Phone: (603) 444-7579. E-mail: peg@browsenh.com. Fee: \$50, members; \$75, nonmembers. Credits: 6.5 CEUs.

## NEW JERSEY

Eatontown

### CCRN Review Course

Date: March 5-6, 2008. Place: Sheraton Eatontown. Address: 1 Industrial Way, Eatontown, NJ 07724. Sponsor: Jersey Shoreline Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: David W. Woodruff, RN, MSN, CNS. Contact: Sharon Jones. Phone: (732) 206-8326. Fax: (732) 840-2120. E-mail: sjones@meridianhealth.com. Fee: \$225, nonmembers; \$195, members. Credits: 14 CEUs.

## NORTH CAROLINA

Charlotte

### CCRN/PCCN Review Class

Date: April 1-2, 2008. Place: Queens University of Charlotte-Withers House. Register at: www.queens.edu/lifelong. Sponsor: Piedmont Carolinas Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Diane Byrum, RN, MSN, CCNS. Contact: Queens University. Phone: (704) 337-2537. Web site: www.queens.edu/lifelong. Fee: \$149. Credit: TBD.

Charlotte

### Cardiac Medicine and Cardiac Surgery Certification Review

Date: April 3-4, 2008. Place: Queens University campus-Withers House. Register at: www.queens.edu/lifelong. Sponsor: Piedmont Carolinas Chapter of AACN. Keynote Speaker: Kim Blount, RN, MSN; Sydney Lange, RN, MSN. Contact: Queens University. Phone: (704) 337-2537. Web site: www.queens.edu/lifelong. Fee: \$149. Credit: TBD.

Charlotte

### End-of-Life Critical Care Nursing

Date: June 5, 2008. Place: Queens University campus-Withers House. Register at: www.queens.edu/lifelong. Sponsor: Piedmont

Carolinas Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speaker:* Beth Martin, RN, MSN, ACNP, ACHPN. *Contact:* Queens University. *Phone:* (704) 337-2537. *Web site:* www.queens.edu/lifelong. *Fee:* \$79. *Credit:* TBD.

## OHIO

Canton

### 6th Annual Celebrating Excellence in Cardiac and Critical Care Symposium

*Date:* April 10-11, 2008. *Place:* Kent State University Stark Campus Conference Center, Canton, OH. *Sponsor:* Greater Akron Chapter of AACN/Canton-Akron Chapter of the Alliance of Cardiovascular Professions. *Contact:* Karen Marzlin, RN. *Phone:* (330) 244-8575. *E-mail:* CAACVP@yahoo.com.

Youngstown

### Venous Thrombo Emboli (VTE)

*Date:* March 20, 2008. *Place:* Finnegan Auditorium St Elizabeth Medical Center. *Address:* 1044 Belmont Ave, Youngstown, OH. *Sponsor:* Northeastern Ohio Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speakers:* Dr Proia. *Contact:* Barbara Erickson. *Phone:* (330) 549-0172. *E-mail:* Berickson@msn.com. *Fee:* Free to chapter members; \$5, nonmembers.

Youngstown

### Heart Sounds in Critical Care Units

*Date:* April 16, 2008. *Place:* Finnegan Auditorium St Elizabeth Medical Center. *Address:* 1044 Belmont Ave, Youngstown, OH. *Sponsor:* Northeastern Ohio Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speakers:* Barbara Erickson, PhD, RN, CCRN-R. *Contact:* Barbara Erickson. *Phone:* (330) 549-0172. *E-mail:* Berickson@msn.com. *Fee:* Free to chapter members; \$5, nonmembers.

## OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City

### CCRN Exam Review Course

*Date:* March 27-28, 2008. *Place:* Integris Baptist Medical Center. *Address:* 3300 NW Expressway, Oklahoma City, OK 73112. *Sponsor:* Oklahoma City Area Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speakers:* Robin Donohoe Dennison. *Contact:* Pamela McNatt. *E-mail:* Pamela.McNatt@integris-health.com. *Fee:* \$150 if registered by March 10th; \$200 thereafter. *Credit:* 14 hours, Category A.

## PENNSYLVANIA

Chambersburg

### Enhancing Your Acute Care Skills

*Date:* April 2, 2008. *Place:* The Orchards, Chambersburg, PA. *Sponsor:* Cumberland Valley Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speaker:* Laura Gasparis Vonfrolio. *Contact:* Robert Rynecki. *Phone:* (717) 267-2006.

## TENNESSEE

Memphis

### Spring Seminar: Reclaiming Our Priorities

*Date:* April 11, 2008. *Place:* Holiday Inn, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN. *Sponsor:* Greater Memphis Area Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speakers:* Caryl Goodyear-Burch, president-elect of AACN. *Contact:* Janet F. Mulroy, RN, MSN, ACNP, CCNS, CCRN. *Phone:* (901)-682-5478. *Fax:* (901) 344-2699. *E-mail:* jfmulroy@comcast.net. *Fee:* \$115, nonmember; \$95, member. *Credit:* 7.5 CEUs.

## VIRGINIA

Richmond

### Odyssey Critical Care

*Date:* March 17-18, 2008. *Place:* Richmond Convention Center, Richmond, VA. *Sponsor:* Greater Richmond Area Chapter of AACN. *Keynote Speaker:* Dave Hanson; John Dixon; Susan Helms. *Contact:* Marian Altman. *Phone:* (804) 828-0024. *E-mail:* maltman@mcvhvcu.edu. *Credit:* 9.3 CEUs.

## CALLS FOR ABSTRACTS

### FLORIDA

Orlando

### 5th International PCRRT Conference

*Date:* June 19-21, 2008. *Place:* Disney's Contemporary Resort, Orlando, FL. *Sponsor:* PCRRT Foundation, Inc; Helen DeVos Children's Hospital, Michigan State University College of Medicine. *Contact:* Carol Malone. *Address:* PO Box 128, Athens, AL 35612. *Phone:* (256) 232-2865. *Fax:* (256) 233-6212. *E-mail:* cmalone@pclnet.net. *Web site:* www.PCRRT.com. *Fee:* physicians, \$325; nurses and others, \$275. *Credit:* 14 category 1.

## SUBMISSION GUIDELINES FOR EDUCATION DIRECTORY

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