**Education Directory**

**CALIFORNIA**

San Jose

**Act With Intention: The Art of Nursing and Safe Patient Care**

**Date:** November 3, 2009. **Place:** Santa Clara Valley Medical Center, Valley Specialty Center. **Address:** 751 South Bascom Ave, San Jose, CA. **Sponsor:** South Bay Chapter of AACN. **Keynote speakers:** Rita K. Restrepo, RN, BS, CPCA, David Liang, MD, PhD; Julie Rossie, RN, MS, CNS, CCRN; J.J. Baumann, RN, MS, CNS; Martina Seight, RN, BSN. **Contact:** Elizabeth Scruth-Chavez. **E-mail:** elizabeth.scruth@kp.org. Fee: $110, members; $120, nonmembers; $85, students. **Credits:** 5.75 CEUs.

**FLORIDA**

Tampa

**Critical Trends - Tides of Tampa Bay**

**Date:** November 9, 2009. **Place:** The Dr Blaise F. Alfano Conference Center. **Address:** 11606 McKinley Dr, Tampa, FL 33612. **Sponsor:** Greater Tampa Bay Chapter of AACN. **Keynote speaker:** Marrian Altman, RN, MS, CCRN, ANP. **Contact:** Diane Morgan, RN. **Phone:** (813) 503-6206. **E-mail:** D11712@aol.com. Fee: member, $100; nonmember, $125. **Credits:** 6.5 CEUs.

**ILLINOIS**

Hoffman Estates

**Mastering Hemodynamic Monitoring and 12-Lead EKG Interpretation**

**Date:** November 13, 2009. **Place:** NIU Hoffman Estates. **Address:** 5555 Trillium Blvd, Hoffman Estates, IL 60192. **Sponsor:** Northeast Chicago Area Chapter of AACN. **Keynote speakers:** Dr Laura Gasparis Vonforolio, RN, BSN. **Contact:** Phyllis Cerone. **Phone:** (847) 618-7350. **E-mail:** pcerone@nch.org. Fee: member, $100; nonmember, $120, student, $80 (must include copy of student ID). **Credits:** 7.0 CEUs.

**MARYLAND**

Towson

**Adult CCRN and PCCN Combination Review Course**

**Date:** November 9-11, 2009. **Place:** The Sheppard Pratt Conference Center. **Address:** 6501 N Charles St, Towson, MD 21285. **Sponsor:** Chesapeake Bay Chapter of AACN. **Keynote Speaker:** Carol A. Rauen, RN, MS, CCNS, CCRN, PCCN. **Contact:** Karen Droter. **Phone:** (410) 248-9353. **E-mail:** MDROTER@aol.com. Fee: $300. **Credits:** 21 CEUs.

**MASSACHUSETTS**

Randolph

**Combined PCCN/CCRN Review Course**

**Date:** November 11-13, 2009. **Place:** Lantana’s in Randolph. **Address:** 43 Scanlon Dr, Randolph, MA. **Sponsor:** Greater Boston Chapter of AACN. **Keynote speaker:** Mary Ann “Cammy” House-Francher, MSN, ARNP, CCRN. **Contact:** Patricia Aylward. **E-mail:** gbe.aacn@gmail.com. **Credit:** Yes.

**PENNSYLVANIA**

Pittsburgh

**Current Concepts in Critical Care**

**Date:** November 20, 2009. **Place:** UPMC Shadyside Hospital. **Address:** 5230 Centre Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15232. **Sponsor:** Three Rivers Chapter of AACN. **Keynote Speaker:** Dr Stiller. **Contact:** June Elizabeth Connolly. **Phone:** (412) 983-3600. **E-mail:** connoje@comcast.net. **Credits:** 7 CEUs.

**TEXAS**

Houston

**Region 15 Annual Convention - Gala Night**

**Date:** November 6, 2009. **Place:** Marriott at the Texas Medical Center. **Address:** 6580 Fannin St, Houston, TX 77030. **Sponsor:** Houston Gulf Coast Chapter of AACN. **Keynote speaker:** Selinza Mitchell. **Contact:** Riza Mauricio. **Phone:** (281) 277-2552. **E-mail:** riza.mauricio@gmail.com. Fee: $50.

Houston

**Region 15 Annual Convention - Education Meeting**

**Date:** November 7, 2009. **Place:** Onstead Auditorium, Basic Science Research Bldg. **Address:** 6767 Bertner Ave, Houston, TX 77030. **Sponsor:** Houston Gulf Coast Chapter of AACN. **Keynote speaker:** Dave Hanson, MSN, RN, CCNS, CNS. **Contact:** Riza Mauricio. **Phone:** (281) 277-2552. **E-mail:** riza.mauricio@gmail.com. Fee: Education only, $120; gala night and education, $150. **Credits:** 6.0 CEUs.

**WASHINGTON**

Vancouver

**36th Annual Critical Care Symposium**

**Date:** November 19-20, 2009. **Place:** Hilton Vancouver Washington. **Sponsor:** Greater Portland Chapter of AACN. **Keynote Speakers:** Honorable John Kitzhaber, Connie Barden, Kathleen Vollman, Damon Cantrell. **Contact:** Donna Hunter. **Phone:** (503) 590-5788. **Fax:** (503) 336-1297. **E-mail:** ggcsupport@comcast.net. Fee: $175, early bird ends October 15, 2009. **Credits:** Applying.

**NATIONWIDE**

**Certification in Legal Nurse Consulting (6-day course or home study)**

**Date:** Varies. **Place:** Nationwide. **Sponsor:** Vickie Milazzo Institute. **Contact:** Vickie L. Milazzo, RN, MSN, 3D. **Address:** 5615 Kirby Dr, Suite 425, Houston, TX 77005-2448. **Phone:** (800) 880-0944. **Fax:** (713) 942-8075. **E-mail:** mail@LegalNurse.com. **Web site:** LegalNurse.com. Fee: Varies. **Credits:** 35.1 CEUs.

**ABSTRACTS**

**HORIZONS 2010 - CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

**Sponsor:** Region 1. **Description:** Abstracts for poster presentation for Horizons (April 7-10, 2010) due December 1, 2009. **Contact:** Pat Rosier for information. **Phone:** (413) 499-0743. **E-mail:** prosier@bhs1.org.

**ITALY**

Rome

**6th International PCRRT Conference**

**Date:** April 8-10, 2010. **Place:** Anglicum Congress Center, Rome, Italy. **Sponsor:** UG Iowa Carver College and Med; PCRRT Foundation; Helen DeVos Childrens Hospital; Bambino Gesu Children’s Hospital. **Contact:** Carol Malone. **Address:** 1403 Hayden St, Athens, AL 35611. **Phone:** (256) 232-2865. **Fax:** (256) 233-6212. **E-mail:** cmalone@pclnet.net. Fee: Physicians, $350; nurses, $300. **Credits:** certified for physician and nursing credits. Call for abstracts – deadline January 15, 2010.

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