HOT OFF THE PRESS!
Friday, July 31
12:30 PM - 2:30 PM
Special Luncheon Session
Sponsored by the ALLIANCE OF NURSES FOR HEALTH ENVIRONMENTS
Critical care for climate crises: What nurses can do

As the climate changes, nurses are on the front lines seeing how these changes are having a negative impact on the health of our patients and communities. Unfortunately, we are already seeing urban, low-income, and communities of color bearing the brunt of these impacts. Luckily, there are still many opportunities for nurses to take action on climate that will have a positive impact on the health of their patients and improve the climate outlook for future generations. During this panel presentation, you will learn about the science of climate change, the deleterious impacts of climate change on human health with a focus on environmental justice communities, how the President’s Clean Power Plan takes positive steps to reduce carbon pollution and address climate change, and provide concrete, implementable examples of how nurses and other healthcare providers can credibly and successfully advocate for health-protective climate action.

You must be registered for the conference and be a nurse to attend.
LIMITED SEATING, PLEASE RSVP BY EMAIL TO: gbelizaire@nbna.org

Friday, July 31, 2015
5:30 pm to 7:30 pm
A Focus Group will review a module entitled "Co-morbidity of Arthritis and Depression in African American and Latina Women: Increasing Awareness, Improving Care". Review of the "Depression" module before the focus group is required.
Sponsored by: Movement is Life Caucus
You must be registered for the conference and be a nurse to attend.
Dinner is provided.
RSVP with your name and email address.
The module will be emailed to you by the Movement is Life Caucus.
SEATING IS LIMITED TO 35 ATTENDEES. PLEASE RSVP BY EMAIL TO: info@nbna.org by noon, Friday, July 17, 2015.

Capella University  REGISTER TODAY!
Forty and Under Meet and Greet
Mingle with your 40 and Under cohorts and start building your support system. PLUS learn about important NBNA and employer benefits as well as current scholarships available.

NBNA Forty and Under Forum  REGISTER TODAY!
"Speed Up Your Success Track!"
Back by popular demand!!! Ask 16 successful NBNA and VITAS Nurse Leaders How They Did It!
Sign up today! Sponsored by: VITAS HEALTHCARE

Scooters  DEADLINE: JULY 20
The Atlanta Marriott Marquis is providing 20 complimentary motorized scooters for use by NBNA attendees. Please email Gessie Belizaire at gbelizaire@nbna.org the following information: Your Full Name, Arrival and Departure Dates and the Hotel you are staying in. We will provide the Marriott with the list of individuals who have reserved the scooter. Scooter may be claimed at the Bell Stand at the Marriott Marquis. This is a first come, first served basis.
Calling all Military Nurses
There will be a profession of our military and public health service members during the opening ceremony. Please dress in your military uniform (preferred), or wear navy blue or black adorned with a patriotic scarf around the neck. All participants should assemble at 5:30 pm in the lobby of the grand ballroom at the Hilton Atlanta Hotel. RSVP to Captain Romeatrius Moss: romeatrius@gmail.com. Please cc: to COL (RET) Cooper: irmacooper@charter.net and COL (RET) Sandra Webb Booker: stethes@yahoo.com

Summer Youth Leadership Institute
"Keeping Americans Healthy"
We are pleased to announce that Emory University, Nell Woodruff School of Nursing & Centers for Disease Control and Prevention will sponsor the youth program. Sign up below. Your children will have an opportunity to visit the CDC Museum and the School of Nursing. Transportation, breakfast and lunch will be provided. Please register on page 3.

The NBNA Program Research Team Has Completed Their Research Project and Ready to Develop an NBNA Mentoring Model for NBNA Chapters/Students
What: Meet & Greet
When: Wednesday, July 29, 2015/ time: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Who: Students who plan to sit for the State Board of Nursing by December 2015
Students who passed State Board of Nursing during the last 6 months (January 2015 thru present)
Purpose: Dialogue with students that have passed Boards and help better prepare students that will sit the Boards in the near future. Please register on page 2.

TO SIGN UP FOR THESE AND OTHER SESSIONS PLEASE SCROLL DOWN

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29
7:15 am - 6:00 pm
_____ ELNEC Pediatric Palliative Care (PPC) 2 Day Train-the-Trainer Program
ELNEC IS CELEBRATING THEIR 15th YEAR ANNIVERSARY IN 2015!
NBNA and VITAS Healthcare is joining in this celebration by holding a special ELNEC Training
ELNEC Pediatric Palliative Care (PPC) 2 Day Train-the-Trainer Program
Renowned International Pediatric Specialists will serve as this year's faculty! 16 CEs will be provided for those who stay the entire course and an ELNEC Pediatric Palliative Train-the-Trainer Certificate. No pre-requisites are required; open to all nurses and student nurses. (ONLY 5 MORE SPACES)

8:00 am – 12:00 pm
_____ NBNA Professional Writing Workshop
CEU Presentation
This workshop is designed to help novice and advanced writers who wish to learn and refine the skills of writing and increase the likelihood of publishing in the Journal of the National Black Nurses Association, the acceptance of abstracts for presentation and enhance the opportunities for grantsmanship. Bring a working document with you, abstract, research paper or article. This is a must for all those planning to submit an abstract for presentation.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
_____ American Red Cross Workshop; Updates from the American Red Cross & Nurses Educating to Help Save Lives

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
_____ The NBNA Program Research Team Has Completed Their Research Project and Ready to Develop an NBNA Mentoring Model For NBNA Chapters/Students
Meet & Greet Reception
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
___ Capella University 40 and Under Mixer
Take this unique opportunity to earn .5 CE credits, mingle with your 40 and Under cohorts and start building your support system. PLUS learn about important NBNA and employer benefits as well as current available scholarships.

THURSDAY, JULY 30
7:30 am - 4:30 pm
___ ELNEC Pediatric Palliative Care (PPC) Train-the-Trainer Program, Part 2

FRIDAY, JULY 31, RED DRESS DAY!

6:30 am - 7:45 am
___ Breakfast Session
Sponsored by: Gilead Sciences
Seating for 125 attendees
Transforming the HCV Care Continuum: The Role of Nurses
April Long, NP
Nurse Practitioner
Liver Institute of Virginia

6:30 am - 7:45 am
___ Breakfast Session
Sponsored by: Zimmer
Seating for 125 attendees

8:00 am – 5:00 pm
___ NBNA Youth Leadership Institute
Sponsored by: Emory University and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention
(Please register your child on the form below. Upon receipt of your registration form, additional information will be sent to you by email.) All attendees and chapters may help support the Youth Service Project by donating $20.00 which will purchase a fully loaded "Ready for School" pack back for an elementary school child for the Nicholas House Shelter for Women and Children.

8:00 am – 12:00 pm
___ Emerging Student Forum (Non-licensed nurse)
"Test Taking Strategies" Breakfast will be provided.

10:00 am – 3:00 pm
___ NBNA Career Fair
Sponsored by: Northside Hospital
A free career fair for Atlanta area nurses and student nurses.

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11:00 am - 12:00 noon
_____Career Fair Innovation Theater
Sponsored by: Northside Hospital
CEU Presentation - Seating for 125 attendees

Preparing for Emerging Infectious Diseases
During this presentation participants will review the CDC plan for healthcare facilities preparation, followed by a demonstration of how to don and doff PPE. This will include the use of a Purifying Air Powered Respirator. (PAPR) Pamela Falk, BSMT, MPH, F-SHEA- CIC, High Risk Infection Prevention Specialist, Northside Hospitals and Clinics.

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm
_____NBNA Nursing Innovation Theater
Sponsored by: Pfizer - Seating for 125 attendees

"Vaccination is Vital: It’s Worth It"
The presentation will examine the clinical and economic burden of adult vaccine-preventable diseases in the U.S. It will look at the burden of all-cause pneumococcal pneumonia, as well as explore some of the barriers to achieving high adult vaccinations rates, including misconceptions about vaccine safety and lack of awareness of recommended adult vaccines among both patients and doctors.
Melissa Bishop Murphy, JD, MBA, Senior Director, Government Relations and Multicultural Affairs, Pfizer and Antonio Iglesias, Regional Medical Director, Health Economics and Outcomes Research, Pfizer Vaccines.

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
_____LPN/LVN Forum
"Hunger in America:..........Addressing the Needs of the Homebound and the Homeless"
Lunch is provided.

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
_____NBNA Nursing Innovation Theater
Sponsored by: Georgia Regents University
CEU Presentation - Seating for 125 attendees

"Targeting Hemodialysis Adequacy: Quality Improvement Strategies to Improve Vascular Access Management-Pilot Study"
Stephanie Wright, DNP, RN, MSN, MBA, Director of Clinical Nurse Leader Program, Georgia Regents University, College of Nursing
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4:30 pm - 6:30 pm
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5:30 pm - 7:30 pm
___A Focus Group on Arthritis and Depression in African American and Latina Women
RSVP by Noon, Friday, July 17, 2015 to info@nbna.org.

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Ticket required. $40.00
___NBNA Fundraiser Reception
8:00 pm - 10:30 pm
___NBNA Fundraiser Fashion Show

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1

7:30 am - 2:00 pm
___Mindfulness Workshop
CEU Presentation - 60 Participants
Sponsored by: Moment Health, a UnitedHealth Group Company, A division of the United Health Group
Mindfulness is a proven strategy that can help nurses to cope with the demands of work and home. Mindfulness improves our well-being: lowering stress, enhancing compassion for self and others, increasing empathy and reducing burnout— all leading to greater job satisfaction. And, of course, what is good for the nurse is also good for the patient. Bringing mindfulness into nursing practice provides the tools to improve patient safety and enhance care. Don’t miss this opportunity to learn techniques and skills to develop or enhance a mindfulness practice.  
*Breakfast and Lunch provided.*
Dawn Bazarko, DNP, MPH, RN, FAAN, Founder and Senior Vice President, Moment Health, Optum

9:00 am - 11:00 am
___Genetics Workshop
CEU Presentation - 30 Participants
Project Genetic Education (ProGENE)
Sponsored by Alcorn State University
This program is designed to facilitate the development of essential nursing competencies for genetics among nurse clinicians, educators, and scientists who are interested in improving genetic literacy within their communities.  
*Breakfast provided.*

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11:00 am - 12:00 pm
____NBNA Nursing Innovation Theater
CEU Presentation - Seating for 125
Sponsored by: Froedtert Hospital

Personal communication can be negatively impacted by a lack of awareness and skills to foster effective communication. The literature is rich in describing the impact of workplace incivility and poor communication. Using technology to enhance learning, this Innovative Theater session is designed to enhance communication style awareness and provide tools that can improve your workplace communication, conflict management style and personal well-being. A snack will be provided.
Sharron Coffie, MSN, RN, CNS-BC, CHFN, Manager, Heart and Vascular Service Line Program, Froedtert Hospital

PLEASE REGISTER THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE FOR THE SESSION OR SESSIONS THAT ARE CHECKED ABOVE

Name/Names:______________________________________________________________

PLEASE REGISTER MY CHILD/CHILDREN FOR THE YOUTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE
Name:_________________________________________Age:__________Gender:__________________________

Name:_________________________________________Age:__________Gender:__________________________

I WISH TO PURCHASE THE FOLLOWING TICKETS:
NBNA Fashion Show and Fundraiser: _______tickets @ $40.00 each _________Total

NBNA Youth Service Project: "READY FOR SCHOOL BACKPACK" _______@ $20.00 each _________Total

YES, I will volunteer to monitor a session. Please refer to the Conference at a Glance Document and select your first and second choice of two sessions and two workshops you would be willing to moderate.

WEDNESDAY SESSIONS: Wound Care:______ Red Cross_______ Professional Writing ______
Caribbean Exploratory Workshop__________(you must already be registered for this session)

THURSDAY SESSIONS: 10:30 am - 12:30 pm: PLENARY SESSION I _______
FRIDAY SESSIONS
6:30 am - 7:45 am
BREAKFAST SESSIONS: Gilead Sciences_________________ Zimmer_____________________

INNOVATIONA THEATERS: 11:00 pm - 12:00 pm: Emerging Infectious Diseases________________ 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm:
Pfizer__________, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: Targeting Hemosialysis Adequacy.....


First Choice:______________________________ Second Choice:______________________________

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm: PLENARY SESSION II_________________

SATURDAY SESSIONS:
7:30 am - 2:00 pm: Mindfulness Workshop_________________

8:00 am - 11:00 am: Breast Cancer Screening Institute and Practicum____ 9:00 am - 11:00 am: Genetics____

11:00 am - 12:00 pm Innovation Theater: Workplace Communications_____


Workshop: First Choice______________________________ Second Choice______________________________

I will volunteer to be a room monitor for Plenary I_______ Plenary II_______ The Closing Session_______

Yes, I will serve as a Hostess for the Gala ________________REGISTRATION:____ TUES_____ WED______ THURS_____

My check is enclosed: ______ Please charge my credit card: CC Number:_____________________________________

Exp. date:__________________ Code:__________________ Name on the Credit card_________________________________

YOUR NAME:__________________________________________ YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS:_______________________

YOUR BILLING ADDRESS:_______________________________ CITY AND STATE:__________________________ ZIPCODE_____

YOUR CHAPTER: ______________________________________ YOUR PHONE #:________________________________

All tickets will be in your registration package at the Conference Registration desk.

PLEASE SEND YOUR REGISTRATION PAGES TO: DIANNE MANCE; DMANCE@NBNA.ORG OR FAX TO: 301-589-3223.

Please include all portions of the form that have been filled out.

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