

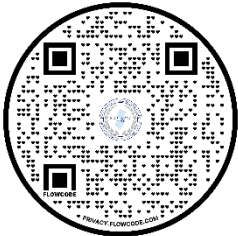


New Jersey Palliative Care APN Consortium General Meeting
 Saturday June 4, 2022, 11:30 a.m.
 Watchung State Park, NJ

Attendees: Yusimi Sobrino-bonilla, Katie DeMarco, Kristin Preziosi, Rosa Boccia, Tina Basenese, Adrian Allotey, Susan Gray, Kristin Benson, Nancy Reyes

Topic	Discussion	Results
Welcome-Yusimi	Intention	<i>Life is for Living</i> <i>Open the windows</i> <i>Dance in the kitchen as you cook</i> <i>Play the music loud</i> <i>Turn off the news</i> <i>Check in with someone you love</i> <i>Get some fresh air</i> <i>Watch the beautiful show nature is putting on for us right now</i> <i>Leave the negative online discussion behind us</i> <i>Unfollow the chaos</i> <i>Feel alive again</i> @butterflies and pebbles
Old news	Education conference with Rutgers yielded \$1740.00 profit. Registration link will be set up on the ENP website and a notification will be sent to members once it is available	Initial recording shows only speakers. We've contracted with a media company, AMP Fx, who is almost finished adding the power points. Once complete the recordings will be available.
Election year and bylaws New positions for 2023	All board positions are up for re-election. Positions that are open: Education (2) Technology (1) Community legislation and policy (1) Katie will mentor	Email and survey will be sent for interest and feedback. Attached is a list of responsibilities for each position. If interested, you can reach out to any of the Board Members. This is a great opportunity for growth and mentorship Committee Chair Responsibilities



<p>Annual Report- Katie</p>	<p>Infographic created with QR code</p> 	<p>Includes highlights work from 2021. Education, COYL, Conference for caregivers, ACP.</p> <p>A special thank you to Katie for the comprehensive and professional look of the report.</p>
<p>Secretary-Nancy</p>	<p>Emails to focus groups encouraging membership. Goal is for NJ Palliative APNs to be aware of our organization and all those with interest in PC, we have tier memberships. NJAPNPC to provide place to support those practicing PC. Currently 55 active members, 92% are APNs</p>	<p>Janine will continue to send and monitor response Nancy will be available to help with communication .</p>
<p>Education- Yusimi Conference</p>	<p>The 5th Annual NJ PC APN Consortium conference will be held on Saturday October 8, 2022, 7:30am-3:30pm, hybrid, in-person at the Valley Hospital</p> <p>CE/CME/Pharm hours TBD</p> <p>We are very excited to have Connie Dahlin as the keynote speaker. She will discuss the <i>Past, Present and Future of Palliative Care</i>. There is a multidisciplinary panel of speakers that will cover the following topics Communication Medical Decision-Making Capacity Integrative Pain Management Homeopathy Pain Management</p>	<p>AMPFX is the media vendor who will provide livestreaming support and record the event.</p> <p>There will be a raffle for a care care basket -Katie Bender, \$100 budget.</p> <p>Due to Covid restrictions there is a 50-person limit for in-person. Need to be vaccinated and boosted. Profits will go to ongoing education and consortium initiatives . Breakfast and lunch will be provided.</p> <p>***In the event of a COVID surge, the conference will be virtual****</p>



<p>Continuing Education</p>	<p>Integrative Healing Palliative Care in the Emergency Room</p> <p>We will also have a Poster session for the first time</p> <p>Additional education opportunities discussed: Virtual Hours Concept Continued education at the general meetings</p>	<p>Sept considering GOCC education.</p>
<p>Legislation-Katie</p>	<p>APN joint agreement in NJ still in place. Now in lobbying phase. Now more momentum as pandemic proved APNs practice safely with increased “buy in” by politicians and other leaders.</p> <p>Legislation in NJ considering including home palliative care within programs to meet PC needs. State medicaid in other states have included home palliative care within programs with noted benefits.</p> <p>PCHETA- in legislation for about 15 years. absorbed into Build back better program.</p> <p>Hackensack Meridian seeking money from PCHETA for PRESS (palliative care research education supportive services stewardship) program will have money for PC research. Katie working on this.</p>	<p>May pass soon?? Katie recommends communicating to political leaders but will share her ideas with board members prior to public suggestions.</p> <p>Legislation has not been formally drafted as yet.</p> <p>Would include high risk patients, may be designed as a bundle, different reimbursement programs in states.</p> <p>Budget mostly going toward education provided through organizations.</p> <p>Seeking institutions to provide money for educational programs.</p>



		<p>Tina brainstorming about NJAPNPC doing a fellowship or some type of education.</p> <p>RWJ has APP fellowship through ANCC training multiple levels of providers. Dartmouth program gold standard. Many members already precept APNs. Tina is interested in larger role of NJPC APN for education. She will continue to discuss with Katie.</p>
Treasurer Report-Tina	<p>Balance-January 2022 \$6637.79. Balance- May 2022 \$8858.17 Includes NJ annual report filing.(\$30.50)</p>	<p>Outstanding items are for the picnic and infographic.</p>
Technology- Janine Yusimi reported	<p>FB page -49 followers, over 900 views, FB private group- 33 members ENP-55 members</p>	
Marketing-Tina	<p>Ideas for marketing: Participate in more events: Currently we provide continuing education, annual conference, partner with GOCC, COYL, NJHA.</p> <p>We can increase our visibility in community events such as a walk (ACS, ALS, NJ Sharing Network, etc...)</p> <p>Add our presence to healthcare related events: full day event with NJHA or GOCC, can co-sponsor.</p> <p>Connect with NH, ALFs, get a booth at a fair.</p>	<p>Identify ourselves with tee shirts. or other items. Get info for our own banner. Yusimi will explore opportunities</p> <p>Social media presence to maintain profile. Will talk more offline regarding other platforms (Twitter, Instagram)</p>



	<p>ENP website or FB, do small, short video clips. 1-2 minutes. FAQs</p> <p>“Office Hours” need someone in education to lead discussion for specific topics.</p> <p>The term “Palliative” still has negative association. There are efforts to change name to “supportive care”.</p>	Members indicate importance of continuing to use “palliative care”.
Open positions	<p>Valley Hospital- 1 FTE. APN</p> <p>Astera Cancer 1- FTE APN</p> <p>MST- 1 FT APN- cancer center</p>	
Next meeting	Saturday, Sept 17, 2022, at 11:30am-1pm	<p>Tina Basenese’s home in Long Valley, NJ</p> <p>**Covid conditions pending** details to follow.</p>

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Reyes