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# It Takes A Village



*North Alabama Nurse  
Practitioner Association's  
28th Annual Symposium*

*September  
20-21, 2024*



*The  
Jackson  
Center*

*Huntsville, Alabama*

## General Purpose

### **Nurse Practitioner Symposium Objectives:**

The purpose of this program is to:

- Enhance and update the assessment, diagnostic, and clinical skills of the nurse practitioner.
- Highlight the current trends affecting the evolving role of the nurse practitioner in today's changing health care environment.

### **Intended Audience:**

Nurse practitioners, nurse midwives, clinical nurse specialists, registered nurses, physician assistants, physicians, students and other health care providers.

### **Cancellation Policy:**

NANPA reserves the right to cancel any activity. Registration fees will be refunded in the event the symposium is canceled. Registration fees of applicants who wish to cancel will be refunded minus a 20% processing fee upon written request. To receive a refund, your cancellation notice must be received by **September 5, 2023**.

### **Directions:**

The Jackson Center is located in Huntsville, Alabama at 6001 Moquin Drive, Huntsville, AL 35806 (Best for GPS)

**From Huntsville via I 565:** Take I 565 west towards Decatur. Take the Research Blvd./AL-255 exit (Exit 14B) and stay in right lane. Take the Madison Pike Ramp. At the end of the ramp, turn right (West) onto Old Madison Pike. Go about .5 mi and turn right onto Voyager Way. Turn left onto Explorer Blvd. and go about .3 mi. Turn right onto Discovery Dr. Take the 1st left onto Moquin Dr. Turn right onto Hudson Dr. and take a left into the Jackson Center parking lot.

**From Madison/Decatur via I 565:** Take I 565 towards Huntsville. Take Exit 14 towards AL-255 N/Research Blvd. Merge onto AL-255/Research Blvd. North. Take the Madison Pike Ramp. At the end of the ramp, turn right (West) onto Old Madison Pike. Go about .5 mi and turn right onto Voyager Way. Turn left onto Explorer Blvd. and go about .3 mi. Turn right onto Discovery Dr. Take the 1st left onto Moquin Dr. Turn right onto Hudson Dr. and take a left into the Jackson Center parking lot.



## Friday, September 20th

7:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:30 Welcome

**Lisa Rhodes, MSN, CRNP, MA - Counseling**  
NANPA President

**Beverly Johnson, MSN, CRNP**  
NANPA Symposium Coordinator

**Karen H. Frith, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, CNE**  
Dean, UAH College of Nursing

7:45 ***A Dose of Prevention: A Pharmacist's Perspective on the Abusive Side of Opioids***  
Bethany Gallahair, PharmD, BCACP

8:45 BREAK/EXHIBITS

9:15 ***Navigating the Dementia Journey: Pharmacological and Non-Pharmacological Therapies***  
Lenora Smith, PhD, CRNP, FGSA, CDP

10:15 ***Drug Use in Pregnancy***  
Laura Graham, MSN, CRNP, PMHNP-BC

11:15 ***Community Lunch Panel - Fran: Manna House***  
***Update on NPAA*** - Lisa Pair, APRN, DNP, WHNP-BC, CRNP, FAUNA  
***Update on AANP*** - Brittany Sanders, DNP, ANP-C, GNP-C

1:00 ***Comprehensive Approaches to Obesity Medicine: Addressing Bias, Recognizing Disease, & Optimizing Care***  
Lynda Masco, MSN, CRNP, FNP-C

2:00 ***Love Your Lungs: Early Detection Saves Lives***  
Amy McIntosh, DNP, CRNP

3:00 BREAK/EXHIBITS

3:30 ***Palliative Care: It Takes the WHOLE Village***  
Maranda Lentz, MSN, FNP-C

4:30 ***Family and Community Violence: Updates & Issues***  
Marlena Primeau, DNP, FNP-BC, NHDP-BC, BSHECS

5:30 EVALUATIONS

## Saturday, September 21st

### ***\*Pharmacology Workshop\****

7:30 Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00 ***New Drug Update***

Wendy Wright, DNP, ANP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN, FNAP  
Wright and Associates Family Healthcare

9:30 BREAK

9:45 ***Immunization Update Across the Lifespan***

Wendy Wright, DNP, ANP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN, FNAP  
Wright and Associates Family Healthcare

10:45 ***Clinical Pearls of Practice: What I Wished Someone Had Told Me.***  
Wendy Wright, DNP, ANP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN, FNAP  
Wright and Associates Family Healthcare

12:15 EVALUATIONS

***Symposium presentations will be available online to view or download.***

### **Professional Credit**

The University of Alabama in Huntsville College of Nursing is a Board approved provider of Continuing Education in Alabama by the Alabama Board of Nursing. Approval status is valid through 12/04/2025. Provider number: ABNP0176/1582

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3.5 Pharmacology hours applied for***

***Saturday: 4.0 CE hours applied for  
2.0 Pharmacology hours applied for***

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### **Exhibitors**

All interested in participating as an exhibitor are urged to go to the website: [www.northalabamanpa.com](http://www.northalabamanpa.com). There you will find all the information about the Symposium and the opportunity to register online with use of your credit card. Please add a \$5.00 charge to your total for processing.