Nursing Professional Development Certification Preparation Course

July 17 – 18, 2017
Hyatt Regency New Orleans
601 Loyola Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70113

Target Audience
- Registered nurses preparing for certification in Nursing Professional Development
- RNs new to the NPD role
- RNs desiring additional education in the NPD processes

Program Outcome
This program is intended to enable the learner to successfully complete the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) generalist examination in nursing professional development. This course also enables novice NPD practitioners to develop foundational knowledge for the specialty practice.

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Greg Durkin is a Sr. Professional Development Specialist & Program Manager for Nursing Education at Boston Children’s Hospital. He has been in the field of Professional Development since 1990, working in a variety of settings. He received his Master’s degree in Education from Wayne State University in 1996. Greg is on the editorial board for the Journal for Nurses in Professional Development and has published articles on development of web-based courses and orientation evaluation. An accomplished speaker, Greg has presented at the Society of Pediatric Nurses (SPN), ANPD, and countless regional and local associations and organizations. Greg was the recipient of the 2011 Excellence in Professional Development Educator/Facilitator Practice Award, is a contributing author to the Certification Preparation Study Guide, and is a section editor for the Core Curriculum for Nursing Professional Development, 5th edition.

Agenda
Day 1 – (8:00 AM – 5:00 pm)
- Education
- Leadership

Day 2 - (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)
- Communication
- Ethical/Legal
- Practice and Process Improvement
- Technology
- Program and Project Management

Coffee & water provided each day

Continuing Nursing Education – 16 Contact Hours
Association for Nursing Professional Development is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

Course Completion
Attendance at each full day required to receive contact hours. Partial credit may be awarded for each day. Notify the instructor if partial credit is needed.

Completion of the online course evaluation is required.

Conflict of Interest
No faculty or planners have a conflict of interest with the development or implementation of this course.

Registration Fee and Forms
ANPD members: $325
Nonmembers: $500

Registration includes:
- Course materials
- Contact hours

This Certification Preparation Course is held in conjunction with ANPD’s Annual Convention in New Orleans. Register for the course here: www.anpd.org/register2017

*Seating is limited