



Together For Exceptional Care  
 April 11, 2025  
 UAB St. Vincents Birmingham Bruno  
 Conference Center  
 Birmingham, AL  
**CONFERENCE AGENDA**

<b>0715-0800</b>	<b>Registration &amp; Exhibitor Booths</b>	
<b>0800-0815</b>	<b>Breakfast Sponsor Presentation</b>	<b>Stryker-Taylor Riggs</b>
<b>0815-0845</b>	<b>Introduction to ALENA</b>	<b>Amber Payne Gregory ALENA President</b>
<b>0845-0935</b>	<b>Thyroid Storm: Subtle &amp; Deadly</b>	<b>Chris McGowan RN, CEN, CFRN, TCRN</b>
<b>0935-1025</b>	<b>Pediatric Disaster Prep - Triage and Decontamination of Children</b>	<b>Dr. Shea Duerring</b>
<b>1025-1045</b>	<b>Break and Exhibitor Booths</b>	
<b>1045-1135</b>	<b>"GLP-1 Medications and Emergency Implications: What ED Nurses Need to Know"</b>	<b>Aimee Rothe BSN, RN, CEN, TCRN, CBN, NHDP-BC ALENA President-Elect</b>
<b>1135-1200</b>	<b>Government Affairs 101 For the ED Nurse</b>	<b>Tammy Mathews BSN, RN ALENA Government Affairs Chair</b>
<b>1200-1300</b> <b>1220-1235</b> <b>1240-1300</b>	<b>Lunch</b> <b>Exhibitor Lunch Presentation</b> <b>VitAL Presentation</b>	<b>Aerogen-Randy Bowling Ellen Robertson</b>
<b>1300-1350</b>	<b>Identifying Child Abuse in the ED: What to Do Next</b>	<b>Jillian Brodeur DNP-FNP</b>
<b>1350-1440</b>	<b>Human Trafficking: Just The Facts for Healthcare Professionals</b>	<b>Vikki Vodosia BSN, RN, SANE-A, SANE-P</b>
<b>1440-1500</b>	<b>Break &amp; Exhibitor Booths</b> <b>Fundraiser Drawing and Prizes</b>	
<b>1500-1550</b>	<b>Precipitous Deliveries and Maternal Mortality in the Emergency Department</b>	<b>Lora Ham MSN, RN and Caitlin Ballard, MSN, RN, CNL</b>
<b>1550-1640</b>	<b>Social Justice and Why Everyone is Running to The Emergency Department</b>	<b>Sheila Ray Montgomery, MSN, EdD, RN</b>
<b>1640-1700</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b>	<b>ALENA President Amber Payne Gregory</b>