



**Kansas
Organization
of Nurse
Leaders**

Annual Spring Seminar for Nursing Leadership

Nursing: Today, Tomorrow and Beyond

Current Policy Implications Affecting Nurses

Ways Hospitals in Our State are Working to Ease Staffing Shortages: Now and Into the Future

How Educators are Adapting to Meet the Needs of our Next Generation of Caregivers

Kansas Board of Nursing Regulation and Licensure Update

The Science of Happiness

**April 29, 2022
Drury Plaza Hotel Broadview Wichita
400 West Douglas Avenue
Wichita, Kansas**

Agenda

Objectives

Friday, April 29, 2022

8:00-8:30 a.m. **Registration**

8:30-8:45 a.m. **Welcome/Introductions**

8:45-9:45 a.m. **Current Policy Implications Affecting Nurses**

Jennifer Findley, Vice President, Education and Special Projects, Kansas Hospital Association

9:45-10:00 a.m. **Break**

10:00-12:00p.m. **Ways Hospitals in our State are Working to Ease Staffing Shortages: Now and Into the Future**

Jennifer Findley, Vice President, Education and Special Projects, Kansas Hospital Association

Terry J. Siek, MSN, RN, NEA-BC, Vice President of Patient Care/Chief Nursing Officer, HaysMed

Krista Eylar, MBA, BSN, RN, Chief Nursing Officer, Holton Community Hospital

Mindy Olberding, RN, MSN

Chief Nursing Officer, Community

HealthCare System

Justin Moulin, MHS, RN, Manager Float Pool, The University of Kansas Health Center

12:00-1:00 p.m. **Lunch - Provided**

1:00- 1:30 p.m. **Annual Meeting**

1:30-2:30 p.m. **How Educators are Adapting to Meet the Needs of Our Next Generation of Caregivers**

Bernadette Fetterhoff, PhD, APRN, CNS
Nursing Education Consultant

Dr. Libby Rosen, PhD, RN, IBCLC, Baker University School of Nursing

Patsy Zeller, RN, BSN, APRN, Garden City Community College School of Nursing

Dr. Dee Bohnenblust, EdD, MSN, APRN,

Labette Community College

Teresa Vetter, MSN, APRN-CNS, Newman University School of Nursing

2:30-3:00 p.m. **Break**

3:00-4:00 p.m. **Kansas State Board of Nursing Regulation and Licensure Update**

Carol Moreland, MSN, RN

Executive Administrator, Kansas State Board of Nursing

4:00-5:00 p.m. **The Power of Happiness**

Michelle Lane, RN, MSN, CMSRN

Sr. Director Community Wellness and Corporate Health, North Kansas City Hospital

- Identify bills being discussed by the Kansas Legislature that will impact Kansas nurses
- Discuss the requirements of a Rural Emergency Hospital
- List three reasons Kansas is experiencing a workforce shortage
- Identify four strategies the Kansas Hospital Association and Healthworks are employing to help with current workforce challenges
- Assess different strategies used to recruit staff
- Identify different strategies use to retain staff
- Contrast ways staffing shortages have been addressed
- Analyze strategies implemented to reduce staffing shortages in the future
- Describe the impact of the pandemic on nursing education
- Discuss new education strategies resulting from the pandemic
- List lessons learned-positive or negative-in academia from the pandemic
- Illustrate how new initiatives will prepare graduates for future practice
- Provide an update about any changes in nursing regulation
- Discuss the Nurse Licensure Compact and multistate licensure
- Discuss the role of employers in nursing
- Apply principles of evidence-based happiness strategies
- Identify their personal views of where their happiness comes from according to the Harvard Study of Adult Development
- List the four primary neurotransmitters associated with happiness

Hotel Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved for participants at the Drury Plaza Hotel Broadview Wichita. Reservations can be made online: [New Reservation - Drury Hotels](#)

Reservations can also be made by calling (800) 325-0720 and refer to the group number 240843. Group rates are valid until April 13.

Cancellation Policy

Registrations must be received at KHA by Thursday, April 21, 2022. Refunds will be given only for those cancellations received before 5 p.m. on Thursday, April 21, 2022.

Vendors

Vendors Include: Critical Care Marketing, ICU Medical, Grand Canyon University, Pittsburg State University and more!

Sponsorship

Thanks to Hill-Rom for sponsoring lunch!

Directions

Traveling North on I-135 Take the Washington Ave. Exit Turn Right onto S. Washington St. Turn Left onto E. Douglas

Traveling South on I-135 Take the 2nd St. Exit (Exit 6C) Turn Right onto E. 2nd St. N. Turn Left onto N. Hydraulic St. Turn Right onto E. Douglas Ave.

Traveling East on US-400 / US 54 Take the Central Business District Exit Turn Left onto S. Main St. Turn Left onto W. Douglas Ave.

Traveling West on US-400 / US 54 Take the Central Business District Exit Turn Right onto S. Main St. Turn Left onto W. Douglas Ave.

Continuing Education

The Kansas Hospital Association is approved as a provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for 7.0 contact hours applicable for RN and LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing Approved Provider No. LT0031-0116.

Special Services

KONL wishes to take those steps that are required to ensure that no individual with a disability is excluded, denied services or segregated due to the absence of auxiliary aids or services. If you need any of the auxiliary aids or services identified in the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact Lorri Dean at (785) 233-7436.

Who Should Attend

This program is designed for the advancement of education for nurse leaders and aspiring nurse leaders, such as supervisors, charge nurses, and nurses in specialty roles



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Please print your name and license number exactly as they appear on your nursing license.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Title: _____ Organization: _____

Organization Address: _____ Town: _____ State/Zip: _____

Telephone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

E-mail: _____

Nursing Continuing Education (information required (RN/LPN): _____

Nursing License Number: _____

Please note: Nursing CNE certificates will be issued to participants only after the registration fee has been paid in full.

Registration Fee:

KONL Members
\$95.00

Non-Members
\$160.00*

*Non-member registration includes a 1 year membership to KONL

Please check method of payment:

☐ Check Enclosed. (Make check payable to KONL).

☐ To register online:

<https://ksnurseleaders.nursingnetwork.com/nursing-events/137128-konl-spring-conference#!info>

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