

November 2023

Thanksgiving and the holiday season are soon approaching. I sincerely hope you have time to spend the holidays with friends and family. This includes your AACN family too!

If you have events coming up or pictures- please send them to me so I can share!

Don't forget to check out the new Region 9 NN page.

Help us grow this page as a way to share within the region – events and questions.

<https://aacnregion9.nursingnetwork.com/>

Southwest Indiana Chapter is hosting an inaugural event – Trivia Night! They tell me that have maxed out at 10 teams- Congrats!



Lake Erie Chapter hosted an Organ Donation symposium. Sounds like it was a success!

Schedule	Topic
5:30pm	Arrival / Registration
6:00pm	Welcome & Introduction
6:05pm	Mission Moment
6:10pm	Organ Donation Clinical Triggers / Consult
6:20pm	Brain Death vs Donation after Circulatory Death
6:35pm	Tests & Procedures by Organ
6:45pm	Post-Case & Research
6:55pm	Q&A

I am sure there are more things happening in our region. Let's share and help each other.

Financials are due Nov 15th

Chapter Advisor Annual Meeting

I visited the AACN home office in Aliso Viejo, California. A few highlights:

- I shared updates from our region to our AACN Board liaison. We discussed member engagement, leader recruitment and succession planning. I shared some of the wins from chapters in our region as well.
- We discussed ideas to support chapters in leader recruitment.
- Other topics were communication, meaningful recognition, and results of the Community Impact Survey.
- We began planning for NTI's Leadership Development Workshop (LDW).
 - There is an amazing speaker planned! (wish I could tell you, but it is a secret!)
 - NTI Registration opens this month!

Happy Turkey day!