Nursing Colleagues —

WELCOME TO THE 2019 PEDIATRIC NURSING CONFERENCE, “Pediatric Nursing: What’s Now...and What’s Next” at UPMC Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh. We are delighted to be hosting this continuing education opportunity to share best practices and network with colleagues from across the country.

As the healthcare landscape continues to undergo significant change, pediatric nurses are positioned to lead initiatives that directly affect patient outcomes. Healthcare providers are constantly being challenged to implement best practices to deliver the highest quality of patient care while assuring the best patient/family experience in the most cost-effective manner. This conference serves as an avenue that allows pediatric nurses to share creative initiatives and collaborations, which I am confident will help lead to improvements in both patient outcomes and experience.

I again welcome you and hope you enjoy the conference!

Sincerely,

Diane S. Hupp, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, FAAN
Chief Nursing Officer
Vice President, Operations and Patient Care Services
UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh
CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the conference, the participant will:

- Advance nursing care through expanding an understanding of the holistic patient and family experience.
- Characterize societal and cultural differences as they impact pediatric patient care.
- Apply the latest innovations nursing care of the pediatric population.

CONFERENCE FACULTY

Joann Bagay MSN, RN, CPN

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UPMC Provider Unit is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation. To receive 6 Contact Hours, the learner must attend the entire activity and complete the activity evaluation within 2 weeks of the event.
Keynote Speaker

Donna Cardillo RN, MA, CSP, FAAN

Keynote Bio

Donna Cardillo, RN, MA, CSP, FAAN is The Inspiration Nurse. She is the original “Dear Donna” columnist at Nurse.com and an Expert Blogger at DoctorOz.com. Author, humorist, and master motivator, Donna has been referred to as a force of nature who lights a path for others to follow. Her enthusiasm and engaging style will get you pumped up and ready for action!
Conference Agenda
7:30 am – 4:00 pm

Registration

Continental Breakfast

Welcome Address
  Diane Hupp, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, FAAN
  UPMC Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh

Keynote Address: “Nursing - The Future is Ours!”
  Donna Cardillo, RN, MA, CSP, FAAN

Poster Session

Vendor Sessions

“Moving Beyond the Pain Score”
  Kathy Ann Sheehy, MSN, RN-BC, PCNS-BC

“Innovations in Pediatric Care”
  UPMC Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh

“Development of a Multidisciplinary Communication Bundle to Enhance Patient & Family Care and Experience”
  Ashleigh Couturie, BSN, RN & Elena Vidrine, MSN, RN-BC
  Children's Hospital New Orleans

EBP Showcase
  UPMC Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh

“What’s Next? Future Innovations in Pediatric Care”
  UPMC Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh
CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

Cancellations made in writing on or before 5 p.m. (EST) August 30, 2019 will receive a full refund. Children’s Hospital is not able to process cancellations received or postmarked after August 13, 2019 however, the hospital will transfer your registration to a colleague if the request is made in writing to Jessica.Spencer@chp.edu

SUGGESTED HOTELS
(We do not offer a block/discounted rate. Please plan to make your reservations in advance)

- Omni William Penn Hotel (3.5 miles)
  - [https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/pittsburgh-william-penn](https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/pittsburgh-william-penn)
  - Phone: (412) 281-7100

- Springhill Suites Pittsburgh Bakery Square (2 miles)
  - Phone: (412) 362-8600

- Springhill Suites Pittsburgh North Shore (4 miles)
  - Phone: (412) 323-9005

TRANSPORTATION

Pittsburgh International Airport supports more than 300 flights per day to 118 destinations. Reservations for shuttle service to and from the airport can be reserved through Super Shuttle at [www.supershuttle.com](http://www.supershuttle.com). You will be responsible for all travel arrangements including transportation to and from the conference.
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CONFERENC E COSTS AND REGISTRATION

Online registration can be made with credit card payment at the following website:

Register Here

Directions for registration:
1. Click “register now”
2. Click “checkout”
3. Follow prompts to “create” an account
4. After account created; complete registration

Registration Fees

UPMC Employee $150 (discount code “UPMC for CHP”)
Primary Presenter - $150 (discount code “UPMC for CHP”)
Regular - $175
BIG CITY AMENITIES, SMALL-TOWN FRIENDLY.

That’s Pittsburgh. With a breathtaking skyline, sparkling clean rivers, magnificent architecture, and a LEED-certified children’s hospital, Pittsburgh is a city where it all comes together.

Named one of the country’s best arts cities, conference attendees can see a wide variety of art from the Andy Warhol Museum to the offerings at the Carnegie Museums of Art and Natural History.

Seven downtown theaters present performances by the world-class Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, Pittsburgh Ballet Theater, Broadway Series and Pittsburgh Opera, while the city’s jazz legacy is preserved at the August Wilson Center for African American Culture.

Downtown restaurants, shops, ballparks, and casino are easily accessible on foot or on the “T,” a free underground rail system that is within the central business district. Shopping is convenient and a bargain, as there is no tax on clothing in Pennsylvania.

Conference attendees can jog along paved, tree-lined paths along the rivers; or, cross the Monongahela River to Station Square, a short walk over one of Pittsburgh’s many bridges, a riverfront site featuring a collection of over 60 shops and restaurants.

Visitors can experience the city’s beautiful skyline on board a riverboat tour or ride the Duquesne Incline to one of the many restaurants overlooking the city at the top of Mount Washington to experience firsthand what USA Today Weekend magazine named as one of the most beautiful views in America.

Through a strong commitment to finding the best approaches to quality patient care, Children’s Hospital is positioned to support the health and well-being of children now and for generations to come.