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Hello!

Hello, I would like to introduce myself. My name is Carol Moreland and I am the new Executive Administrator of the Kansas State Board of Nursing. My dream to be a nurse started early. I completed my PN certificate from North Central Kansas Technical College and then graduated from the Associate Degree Nursing program at Cloud County Community College. After graduation I started in psychiatric/mental health nursing and realized within a short time that was not the area of nursing for me. I moved across the state and started on a medical unit, which was a good area to expand the knowledge and skills I learned in my nursing programs. While I was working I attended the RN to BSN program at Wichita State University and obtained my BSN in 1988. I transferred to critical care nursing and found this was the area I enjoyed the most. As many nurses do, I decided I should get a graduate degree in nursing to prepare for my future in nursing. I obtained my MSN from Wichita State University in 1995. While obtaining my MSN as a Clinical Nurse Specialist I had the opportunity to also take some nursing education courses. I found I loved nursing education, so in time I transitioned into a staff education role in Critical Care and Telemetry and eventually organization-wide working with all staff in addition to nurses. I enjoyed this role for several years until my position got eliminated in an organization-wide downsizing. It was time to re-evaluate my nursing career



Carol Moreland

and see what the future held. I started at the Kansas State Board of Nursing as a Nursing Education Specialist in September 2010 and have thoroughly enjoyed that role. I was able to continue with my passion for nursing education by working as the KSBN liaison with all the nursing programs throughout the state. I have learned so much in that role and had the opportunity to visit almost all the nursing programs in Kansas during that time. I believe nursing is a profession in which learning should continue throughout the entire nursing career. This need to continue to learn led me to the Executive Administrator position.

Daily I remind myself of the mission of the Kansas State Board of Nursing, which is to assure the Citizens of Kansas safe and competent practice by nurses and mental health technicians. I believe the basis for safe and competent practice starts with the education programs. I am a firm believer in all levels of nursing education, as each have a place in the nursing profession. As I progressed through the different nursing education levels, I expanded my nursing knowledge.

I believe whatever role we have in nursing, we need to provide the best service possible. I always strive to treat others with respect and as I want to be treated. We need to be caring and try to understand the other person's situation and perceptions. My goal for the agency is to make it as efficient as possible to better serve our customers.

I am excited for the future of nursing in Kansas and honored to be part of it. I look forward to meeting you. My contact information is available in our newsletters and website, so please contact me with any feedback you wish to share.

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Miriah Kidwell

Miriah Kidwell, MBA, RN, with the Kansas State Board of Nursing, has been promoted to the position of Nursing Education Compliance Officer. Miriah started at the Kansas State Board of Nursing in 2013 as an Investigator; most recently in the role as the Education Specialist, working with CNE and IV Therapy providers. Miriah has received her BSN and MBA and will complete her MSN in Oct 2017.

KSBN COMMITTEE REPORTS

Investigative Committee

The Investigative Committee meeting for Monday March 27, 2017 was called to order at 8:30 am. Minutes for the Dec 2016 meeting were read and approved. The KNAP quarterly statistical summary was reviewed. Alan Murray, Executive Director for KNAP gave a presentation on KNAP updates and introduced Sondra Johnson the new Program Director. Two statutes KSA 65-1114 and KSA 65-1120 were reviewed as part of the 5 year legislative review process. A total of 643 cases were reviewed and disposed of by the Chairperson and Committee members in this past quarter.

BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

2017 & 2018 Board Meetings

- December 11, 12, & 13
- March 26, 27, & 28 (2018)
- June 11, 12, & 13 (2018)



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March 2017 Education Committee

The Education Committee met March 28, 2017 and was called to order by Patxy Zeller, MSN, APRN, NP-C, Chair at 8:30 a.m. in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building. The minutes from December 13, 2016 were approved. Carol Moreland, MSN, RN presented her Education Specialist report.

The site visit report from Barton Community College's PN Program was reviewed. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Barton Community College's PN program with recommendations and to reapprove the PN program for a period of five years.

The site visit report from Barton Community College's ADN Program was reviewed. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Barton Community College's ADN program with recommendations and to reapprove the program for a time period consistent with national accreditation with close monitoring of inconsistent NCLEX pass rates.

The focused site visit report from Pratt Community College's ADN Program was reviewed. It was moved to accept the focused site visit report for Pratt Community College's ADN program with recommendations.

The following schools presented major curriculum changes:

- Hesston College BSN Program
- University of St. Mary BSN Program
- University of Kansas BSN Program
- Fort Hays State University DNP Program
- Pittsburg State University BSN Program
- Brown Mackie College – Salina ADN Program

Pratt Community College requests to voluntarily cease admissions to their ADN program for one year to allow faculty the opportunity to conduct a complete transformative restructuring of the ADN program. It was moved to accept this request.

Carol Moreland discussed the 2016 RN & PN first time pass rates. The PN Kanss pass rate was 87.66% and the PN national pass rate was 83.73%. The RN Kansas pass rate (both ADN/BSN combined) was 78.49% and the national pass rate is 84.57%.

Eleven petitions for permission to test/retest was reviewed.

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Practice Committee

The Practice Committee met on Tuesday March 28, 2017. The committee reviewed regulation KAR 60-7-105 and the updated language speaking to standards of practice at the request of the Assistant Attorney General reviewing the regulations for consideration of repealing the same. The committee decided that it was best not to repeal but to leave it in place and made that recommendation to the Board. They reviewed KSA 74-1106, KSA 65-1122 and KSA 65-1124 as part of the regular 5 year legislative process review. No changes were suggested for those statutes. The committee reviewed draft changes made by the IV Therapy Taskforce to K.A.R. 60-2-104, K.A.R. 60-16-101, K.A.R. 60-16-103, and K.A.R. 60-16-104. The committee then moved to approve the new verbiage as drafted for K.A.R. 60-2-104, 60-16-101, 60-16-103, & 60-16-104.

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March 2017 CNE Committee

The March 2017 CNE Committee was called to order March 28, 2017 at 8:35 a.m. in room 560 of the Landon State Office Building in Topeka by S. Brown, Chair.

M. Kidwell reported that the total number of IOA's submitted December 2016 – February 2017 was 379, with a total number denied of 36. The number one reason for denial was offerings submitted, which were completed outside of the licensee's renewal time period, and the 2nd top reason was failure to submit agenda's with specified times of learning. The summary of all denied IOA's was reviewed without further discussion.

A motion was made to withdraw the Wichita Black Nurses Association Long-term CNE Providership for failure to meet regulatory requirements.

The committee discussed K.A.R. 60-9-107, the consensus of the committee was for KSBN staff to draft changes to be reviewed in June 2017.

The following Long-term Provider 5 year renewal applications were approved as submitted:

- Wesley Medical Center
- American Academy of Family Physicians
- Larned State Hospital
- Southwest Medical Center

The following Long-term Provider 5 year renewal applications were approved pending submission of deficient items:

- Wichita State University

The following new applications were approved as Long-term Providers as submitted:

- Kansas Department of Health & Environment (KDHE)
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March 2017 APRN Committee

The APRN Committee met March 28, 2017 and was called to order by Carol Bragdon, PhD, APRN, Chair at 1:30 pm in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building. Minutes from December 13, 2016 were approved.

Cara Busenhart discussed the updates for the Certified Nurse Midwife Council. Bobbe Mansfield discussed the Prescription Monitoring Program commonly known as K-TRACS.

It was moved to approve the following out of state schools and their courses:

- Arizona State University – Family NP
- Brandman University – Adult Gero NP
- Duke University – Women's Health NP
- Millikin University – RNA
- Oregon Health & Science University – RNA
- Rutgers University – RNA
- South University – Family NP
- The University of North Carolina at Wilmington – Family NP
- University of Florida – Adult NP
- University of South Carolina – Family NP
- University of Tennessee – Family NP

Michelle Knowles discussed the federal rule that went through the end of 2016 for the VA facilities that brought

Full Practice Authority for three out of the four APRN roles. The CRNA's will be included at a later date. The focus was on primary care, specialty care and psych.

Michelle Knowles brought to the APRN Committee a request from members of the Kansas Advanced Practice Nurses (KAPN) to update the Kansas APRN Rules/Regulations to reflect the NCSBN consensus model language. They presented four major areas of concern: a definition of APRN that reflects current practice, requirement of national certification, changing authorization for prescribing drugs, and removing the medical plan of care language that was added. Discussion about this request occurred with the APRN Committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:29 p.m.

M. Kidwell reported findings on what other State Boards of Nursing require for meeting continued competency in their states. Committee instructed staff to compile more data on the topics and volume of offerings being required by KSBN through the investigative and discipline processes, then gather data on the quantity and quality of offerings currently available.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 a.m.

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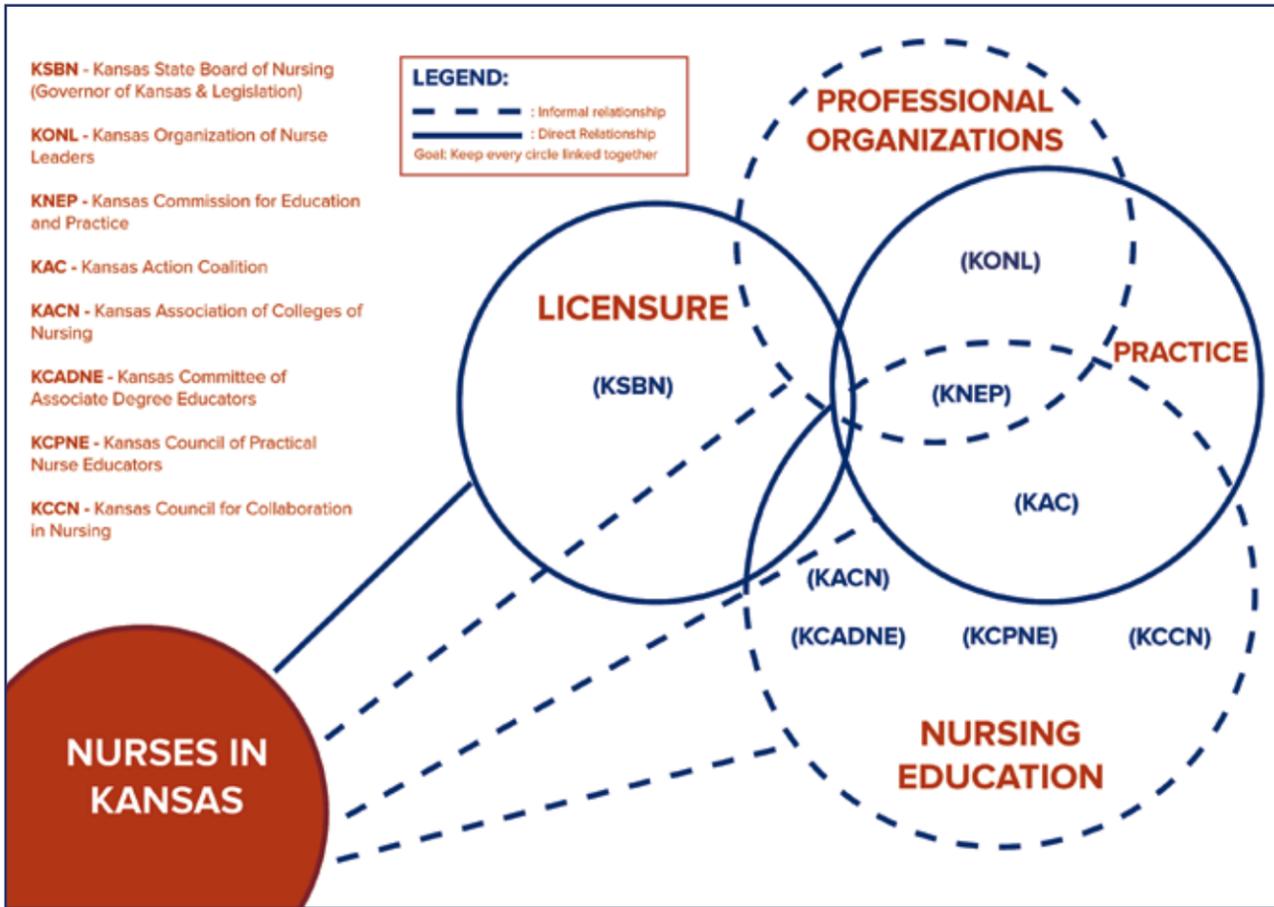
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Organizations in Kansas for Nursing Practice and Education



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The Organizations in Kansas for Nursing visual was developed by Kansas Commission for Nursing Education and Practice (KNEP). The purpose of developing this tool was to provide nurses, student nurses, and other interested parties a clearer understanding of how organizations in Kansas collaborate for improved health care for citizens of Kansas. The members of KNEP are:

- Lisa Alexander MSN, RN
- Dee Bohnenblust MSN, APRN, CNS
- Martha Butler PhD, RN
- Jane Carpenter PhD, MSN, RN
- Shirley Clayton BSN, RN
- Bernadette Fetterolf, PhD, APRN, CNS
- Brenda Moffitt, MSN, APRN, CNS
- Carol Moore, PhD, APRN, CNS
- Chris Schumacher, MS, MSN, RN-BC
- Teresa Vetter, MSN, APRN, CNS
- Susan White MS, RN
- Donna Wilson, DNP, APRN, ACNS-BC
- Patricia Zeller MSN, APRN

Kansas Commission for Nursing Education and Practice (KNEP) developed a schematic to assist nurses, nursing students, and other interested parties understand the acronyms that are utilized for nursing organizations in Kansas. In the June 2016 issue of the Kansas State Board of Nursing Newsletter, this schematic and short description of each organization is listed.

Each organization listed on the schematic has been asked to provide a more detailed description. Below each description is the name of a person involved with the organization that would be available to assist you with additional information or you may contact Brenda Moffitt, Chairperson of the Kansas Commission for Nursing Education and Practice (KNEP) at bmoffitt@mhsks.org or by phone at 785-263-2100.

Kansas State Board of Nursing (KSBN): KSBN is a state agency whose mission is to assure the citizens of Kansas safe and competent practice by nurses and mental health technicians. The State Board of Nursing was established in 1913 for the purpose of protecting the citizens of Kansas from the practice of nursing by unscrupulous and unqualified individuals. The agency meets the mission by licensing individuals who met specific standards and have proven their competency to practice nursing at the level for which the license is issued, approval of nursing programs and investigations of complaints received.

Professional Organizations: Belonging to a professional organization is a vital part of each nurse's engagement and professionalism. These organizations provide nurses with resources to improve practice, knowledge, and skills. The circle was intentionally left open except for the intersections of KSBN, KONL and KNEP. There are numerous nursing and/or professional organizations that nurses may belong to. In fact, there

The nursing organizations in Kansas all have collaborative communication.

- Kansas State Board of Nursing (KSBN)- Protect the Public Health, Safety and Welfare of the Citizens of Kansas through the Licensure and Regulation process. <http://www.ksbn.org/>
- Kansas Organization of Nurse Leaders (KONL)- is to connect nursing leaders to shape the future of health care across Kansas. <http://konl.org/>

- Kansas Commission for Nursing Education and Practice (KNEP)- exists to link education and service through collaboration to facilitate the effective delivery of nursing care in the changing health-care system. <http://konl.org/KNEPCommission/>
- Kansas Action Coalition (KAC)- is committed to transforming healthcare across Kansas by working to implement the IOM recommendations. <http://www.kansasactioncoalition.com/index.html>
- **** (Historical Council Information) the Council for Nursing Articulation in Kansas (CNAK)-** exists to promote educational mobility for nurses in Kansas by sustaining a statewide articulation plan for basic nursing education programs.

Education Councils in Kansas- Nursing directors that meet to ensure quality education and collaboration around the state of Kansas.

- Kansas Association of Colleges of Nursing (KACN)- Bachelor's and Graduate/ Post-Graduate Nursing Programs
- Kansas Council of Associate Degree Nursing Educators (KCADNE)- Associate Degree Nursing Programs
- Kansas Council of Practical Nursing Educators (KCPNE)- Practical Nursing Programs
- Kansas Council for Collaboration in Nursing (KCCN)- Practical Nurse/ Associate Degree/

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were too many to list. In an effort to allow each person to decide which organization best meets their professional goals, this area is open to the decision of the nurse.

Kansas Organization of Nurse Leaders (KONL): KONL is a statewide organization which strives to provide communication, networking with colleagues, resource sharing, and educational opportunities to enhance nursing leaders' knowledge and skills. The organization is comprised of all levels of nursing leadership divided into eight districts within the state. The goal of KONL is to facilitate the professional growth and development of new and experienced nurse leaders. www.konl.org Joyce Mattison, President 785-623-5394 joyce.mattison@haysmed.com

Kansas Commission for Nursing Education and Practice (KNEP): KNEP was formed as a Task Force in 1998 with six representatives from all levels of nursing education and five members from the Kansas Organization of Nurse Leaders from both rural and urban Kansas settings. The number was subsequently increased to six KONL members. KNEP became a committee of KONL in 2002 and in 2007 a commission. KNEP serves as a resource for nurses in education and practice. To see these resources go to www.KONL.org/KNEPCommission. Brenda Moffitt, Chairperson, 785-263-2100 bmoffitt@mhsks.org

Kansas Action Coalition (KSAC): KSAC was founded in 2011 with a goal toward ensuring that high quality, patient-centered nursing care is available for all Kansans. The KSAC is implementing recommendations from the Institute of Medicine's landmark report *The Future of Nursing: Leading Change, Advancing Health*. Key messages from *The Future of Nursing* report suggest how nursing should advance nursing education, practice, and leadership to meet the needs of individuals, families, and populations in an increasingly complex and diverse health care environment. The KSAC is meeting its goal through the work of nurses and non-nurses on four Teams: Education, Practice, Leadership, and Advocacy. www.kansasactioncoalition.com Cynthia Teel, Co-Lead, cteel@kumc.edu

Kansas Association of Colleges of Nursing (KACN): KACN membership includes deans, directors, and chairs of bachelor's, graduate, and post graduate nursing programs in Kansas. Membership is voluntary. The purposes of KACN are to promote baccalaureate and higher degree nursing education by maintaining a network for nurse educators in higher education programs to facilitate communication, collaboration, legislative action participation, and advocacy for quality nursing education in Kansas. Linda Adams-Wendling, Chairperson, ladamswe@emporia.edu

Kansas Council of Associate Degree Nurse Educators (KCADNE): KCADNE is made up of nurse educators from associate degree nursing programs that are approved by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. The purpose of KCADNE is to enhance communication among ADN programs and with individuals and groups who influence associate degree nursing. KCADNE promotes relationships and networking with state and national nursing organizations and agencies. They monitor, initiate, promote, and respond to legislation that relates to associate degree nursing. We also promote ADN education through faculty development, scholarships, the KCADNE Fall Forum education conference, and through member representation on state-wide organizations, councils, and committees. The council meets quarterly in Topeka with dates that coincide with KSBN meetings. Bill Rhoads, Chairperson, billr@fortscott.edu

Kansas Council of Practical Nurse Educators (KCPNE): The purpose of the organization is to promote Practical Nursing Education in Kansas among Practical Nursing programs and others who influence Practical Nursing. This includes developing liaison relationships with the Kansas State Board of Nursing and state and national nursing organizations. A major focus is monitoring and responding to related legislation as it relates to Practical Nursing. Recruitment of Practical Nursing students is important to the organization and the future of nursing in Kansas. The organization is comprised of Nurse Administrators or representatives of Practical Nursing programs in Kansas. Cynthia Jacobson, Chairperson, cjacobson@highlandcc.edu

Kansas Council for Collaboration in Nursing (KCCN): KCCN is comprised of all the nurse educator councils. This council meets together to discuss relevant nursing issues related to education and the practice of nursing. This council meets at least twice a year with Kansas Organization of Nurse Leaders (KONL).

Kansas State Board of Nursing Launches Online Applications

Conveniently manage your nursing licenses online



The week of October 10th the Kansas State Board of Nursing (KSBN) launched their online Kansas Nursing License Portal. The portal is designed to give applicants the ability to apply and pay for their license(s) from the convenience of their home—24 hours a day, seven days a week. The service is available for all professions except mental health technicians.

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Hutchinson, KS 67502
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13-124576-022
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Kimberly Gracey
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Nursing License Renewal Schedule

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October 31, 2017	August 15, 2017	September 15, 2017
November 30, 2017	September 15, 2017	October 15, 2017
December 31, 2017	October 15, 2017	November 15, 2017
January 31, 2018	November 15, 2017	December 15, 2017
February 28, 2018	December 15, 2017	January 15, 2018

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KNAP is a professional assistance program designed to assist all nurses and mental health technicians who have a problem or illness that has or could impair their ability to practice safely.

The Goal of KNAP

Mental and physical illness, including alcohol and other drug addiction, can potentially impair practice and health. We estimate that at any given time, approximately 10% of the population is affected. This same percentage is thought to be true of healthcare professionals.

Alcohol and other drug addiction, as well as mental and physical illnesses, are treatable. KNAP works with the program participants to obtain an evaluation, treatment (if indicated), and monitoring throughout the recovery process.

Referrals

Self-referrals to the program are encouraged, but referrals may be made by a family member, a friend, employer or anyone concerned about the nurse/LMHT.

Anonymous referrals are not accepted. A person may call for information or advice without giving their name, however. Referrals may be made by calling 913-236-7575.

KNAP Providers

- Confidential services to Kansas RNs, LPNs, and LMHTs experiencing problems and illnesses which could lead to impaired practice.
- Interventions, assessments, referrals for evaluation and treatment (if indicated.)
- On-going monitoring through random urine drug screens, contact with employers and monthly groups.

Causes for Concern

Job Function

- Narcotics discrepancies, e.g.: incorrect counts, alteration of narcotic containers, increased patient reports of ineffective pain control, discrepancies on records or frequent corrections of records, unusual amounts of narcotics wasted, significant variations in the quantity of narcotics ordered for technician's unit or shift.
- Fluctuations in the quality of work performance.
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Behavior

- Increasing isolation from colleagues, friends and family and avoiding social activities.
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Physical Symptoms

- Obvious intoxication such as swaying, staggering or slurred speech.
- Odor of alcohol on breath or the excessive use of breath-fresheners or perfume to disguise the odor of alcohol.

KNAP is supported by funds from the Board of Nursing and, in small part, by fees charged to the participants.

For further information

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National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) provides automatic license status quickly, easily, securely and free of charge to individual nurses who enroll through Nursys e-Notify.

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The Kansas State Board of nursing is happy to present its new website, same location (www.ksbn.org) just a new look and feel. Please go check it out and see what's new and what has been improved.

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Changes to K.A.R. 60-4-101

On April 19 at a special board meeting, the board voted to increase the verification of licensure fee from \$25.00 to \$30.00. This change was completed so Kansas would be able to join electronic verification of licensure through Nursys®. Beginning May 12, 2017 this process will facilitate the turnaround for licensure verification to be sent to a state of your choice via Nursys® which is live and dynamic. Nursys®, a 24/7 nationwide database for verification of nurse licensure and discipline, will make licensure verification **immediately** available to the board of nursing where an individual is applying for licensure. Below is the changed regulation.

60-4-101. Payment of fees.

The following fees shall be charged by the board of nursing:

- (a) Fees for professional nurses.
 - (1) Application for license by endorsement to Kansas \$75.00
 - (2) Application for license by examination 75.00
 - (3) Biennial renewal of license 55.00
 - (4) Application for reinstatement of license without temporary permit . . 70.00
 - (5) Application for reinstatement of license with temporary permit 95.00
 - (6) Certified copy of Kansas license 25.00
 - (7) Inactive license 10.00
 - (8) Verification of licensure 30.00
 - (9) Application for exempt license 50.00
 - (10) Renewal of exempt license 50.00
- (b) Fees for practical nurses.
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 - (3) Biennial renewal of license 55.00
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 - (6) Certified copy of Kansas license 25.00
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Case # 15-1013-7
License Revoked 4/20/17

Theresa Walker
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License # 23-24253-011
Case # 15-1656-6
License Revoked 4/26/17

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Case # 14-1360-8
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Case # 15-1524-6
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License Suspended 6/7/17

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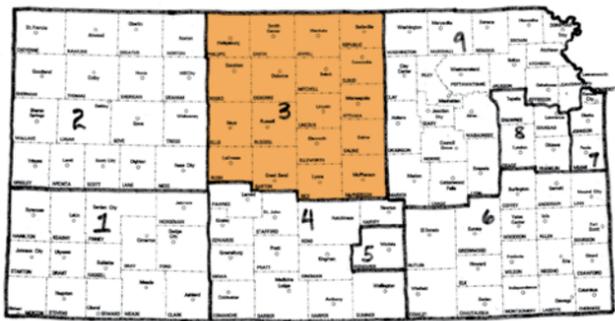


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REGION 3

October 3, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS
Fetal Monitoring: Making the Connection, Evidence & Strategies for Fetal Monitoring. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Crystal Young, RN, MSN. Aud: RN, LPN. Fetal heart monitoring education remains at the forefront of the clinical knowledge nurses and physicians need when caring for women and newborns. Implementing AWHONN & ACOG guidelines and standards, this course uses a case study approach to analyze Fetal Heart Monitoring patterns and characteristics. This course also emphasizes maternal-fetal physiology, instrumentation, interpretation, intervention, verbal and written communication skills and risk-management principles. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: September 29, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

October 7, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS
Cultural and Religious Beliefs/Important Information for Health Care Professionals in Today's World! Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Beth Whisler, MA. Aud: RN, LPN. Anyone working with patients in medical settings know that on any given day, they come in contact with patients from many cultural and religious backgrounds. Attending this workshop will enable

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October 10, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS
Understanding Hospice: Holistic care for those facing a terminal illness. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Amy Burr, RN, BSN Director Meadowlark Hospice. Aud: RN, LPN. Hospice care is more than caring for a patient in their last moments of life. Hospice is a service that provides care for the patient and their loved ones as they make this transition. Hospice can help ease the burden on families in their final days, but when initiated early enough hospice can also help the patient and family prepare for the road ahead. Hospice is about living and making moments last when faced with a terminal illness. This workshop will answer your questions about hospice care and how to access hospice. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: October 6, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

October 26, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS
Exploring the Mystery of Celiac Disease. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Emilie Hagan, APRN, CDE, CFCN. Aud: RN, LPN. Celiac disease is a serious genetic autoimmune disease often misunderstood by the average healthcare provider. It is an autoimmune disease that is triggered by the consumption of gluten, causing damage to the intestine leading to malnourishment and serious long-term health consequences, such as reproductive health problems, thyroid disease, osteoporosis, depression, and certain cancers. This class will strive through

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November 7, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS
Cancer – Alternative Options Update 2017. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Jan Dyer, LPN, MS Natural Health. Aud: RN, LPN. Cancer! The word that strikes fear into the hearts of both patients and caregiver alike. While many current treatments are disfiguring and debilitating, there are alternative measures that can restore health without being toxic. Join us for a preview of some new and dynamic methods of defeating cancer. Meet the men and women who chose to strike out in a new direction to battle this foe. You will be introduced to Doctors Pauling, Kelly, Neassons, Hoxey, and many more. Come and learn how they have used all natural non-toxic materials provided in nature to defeat cancer. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas

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State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: November 3, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

November 9, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS

Infection Control Update: What's New? What Now? Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Linda King, PhD, RN, CNE. Aud: RN, LPN. Standard precautions, hand washing, living healthy - some things never change. However infectious disease threats do. What's new on the infectious disease front such as Zika virus, ebola, salmonella, Hepatitis C and many more potential safety threats will be explored and discussed. Care and treatment modalities that are available for the new infectious diseases will be explored.*Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: November 6, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

November 15, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Belleville, KS

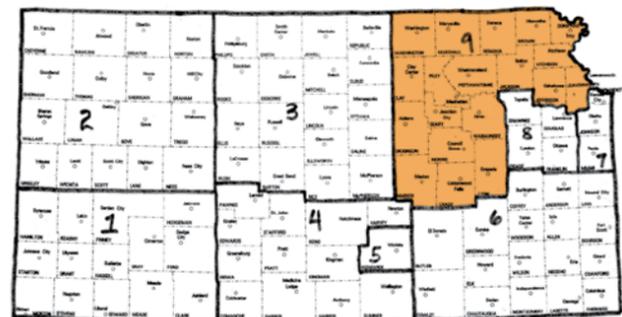
Pediatric Trauma Nursing Care Update 2017. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Terri Johnson, MSN, APRN. Aud: RN, LPN. What

do I do when the mother carrying her two month old tells me she was feeding him and he suddenly stopped breathing? What do I do when I see the 18 month old not responding after the mother tells me he fell from the shopping cart and landed on his head? What do I do when dad brings in his son newly diagnosed with diabetes who is flushed, sweaty, and throwing up? What do I do when the ambulance brings in the 3 year old who was hit by a car as she ran into the street after her ball? This program will discuss what and how to assess, how to treat, and how to evaluate responses to treatment of infants and children in common critical situations. The importance of participating in the National Pediatric Readiness Assessment will be discussed. Stabilization and transfer protocol will be reviewed. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: November 13, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

November 18, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Salina, KS

Eating Disorders Occurring Today in Adolescents and Young Adults. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Beth Whisler, MA. Aud: RN, LPN. Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia have long been recognized as serious diseases in male and female adolescents and young adults. There will be discussion on ways that the two conditions are similar but differ in methods of treatment. The treatment plans for these diseases as well as other mental health issues in adolescents and young adults have changed and improved. The different issues with both disorders will be explored and discussed. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing

education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: November 16, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.



REGION 9

October 9, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Clay Center, KS

Conflict Resolution in the Workplace. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: John Mulvaney, MA. Aud: RN, LPN. This workshop will look at strategies used in dealing with a variety of people and situations such as: managing aggravation, frustration, and anger in the workplace; techniques for resolving conflicts with supervisors, co-workers and patients. Strategies for managing stress both in and away from the workplace will be identified. Gaining an understanding of the importance of teamwork and managing day to day responsibilities as employees and employers will be discussed and possible solutions will be explored. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: October 6, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

October 11, 2017, 9:15 am – 5:00 pm, Manhattan, KS

Pediatric Airway Complications Update. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Terri Johnson, MSN, APRN. Aud: RN, LPN. Respiratory Tract infections account for the majority of acute illnesses in children. Because of the anatomical and physiological differences between the infant/child and adult, they are more prone to having issues with chronic respiratory illnesses and such crises as foreign body obstructions. This class will discuss the current thinking about treatment of such respiratory illnesses as respiratory syncytial virus (RSV), Induced Bronchiolitis,

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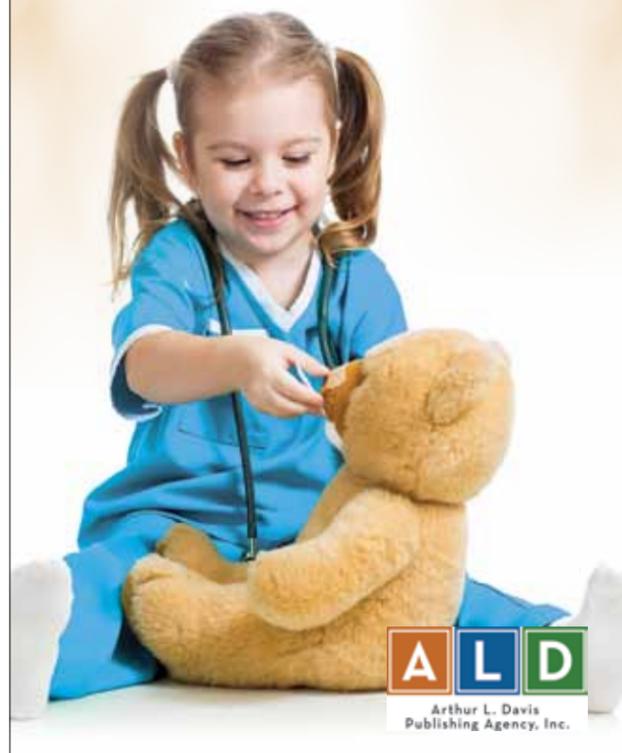
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Pertussis, Foreign Body Aspirations, and Asthma. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: October 9, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

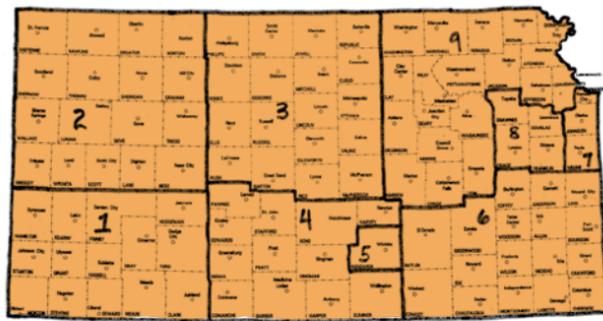
October 19, 2017, 9:15 am – 5:00 pm, Manhattan, KS
Deep Breaths! When Your Every Breath Counts.
 Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Deanna Morris, RRT. Aud: RN, LPN. This is an informative workshop on respiratory therapists, their interaction with nurses and the diseases and disorders of respiratory patients. Participants in this workshop will receive a broad overview of nursing and respiratory therapy and the paths they cross. Nurses will also receive an overview of the theory and practice identifying patients with lung disease, A's (asthma) to the ZZZZ's (sleep apnea) of management, common modes of treatment and prevention of these diseases. CPAP, BIPAP information will be discussed with the latest protocol as well as hospital dismissal and new recommendations given. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: October 16, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

November 2, 2017, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Clay Center, KS
Pharmacology Update: All the Latest and the Greatest from Big Pharma! Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-

243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or 375. Fac: Jennifer Kirkwood-Marsell, MSN, APRN, FNP-C. Aud: RN, LPN. Pharmacoe ethnography? Pharmacogenomics? Biologicals? Does the current terminology in pharmacology sound more like a Sci-fi thriller to you than it does to nursing? Do all the hundreds of new medications coming out on the market leave your head swimming? This workshop will be a fun but informative breakdown of the new branches of pharmaceuticals and will simplify the most commonly used 'modern' drug therapies. *Cloud County Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Provider #L.T. 0012-0749. Fee: \$89.50. Reg. by: October 31, 2017. Contact Hours: 8.

Hillside, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Hope Helferich, BSN, RNC-OB, C-EFM, 316-962-3080-call for brochure. Fac: Catherine (Cathy) Ruhl, MS, CNM, AWHONN Women's Health Programs Director. Aud: APRN, RN & LPN. Hormonal Physiology of Childbearing; Maternal Fetal Triage Index, Alcohol in Pregnancy: No Amount is Risk Free; Psychological and Behavioral Consequences of Chronic Illness in Children; ICTSOS: Update on Human Trafficking. This program has been approved by Wesley Medical Center, an approved provider for CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This symposium is approved for 7.5 contact hours applicable for RN or LPN relicensure, Kansas State Board of Nursing provider

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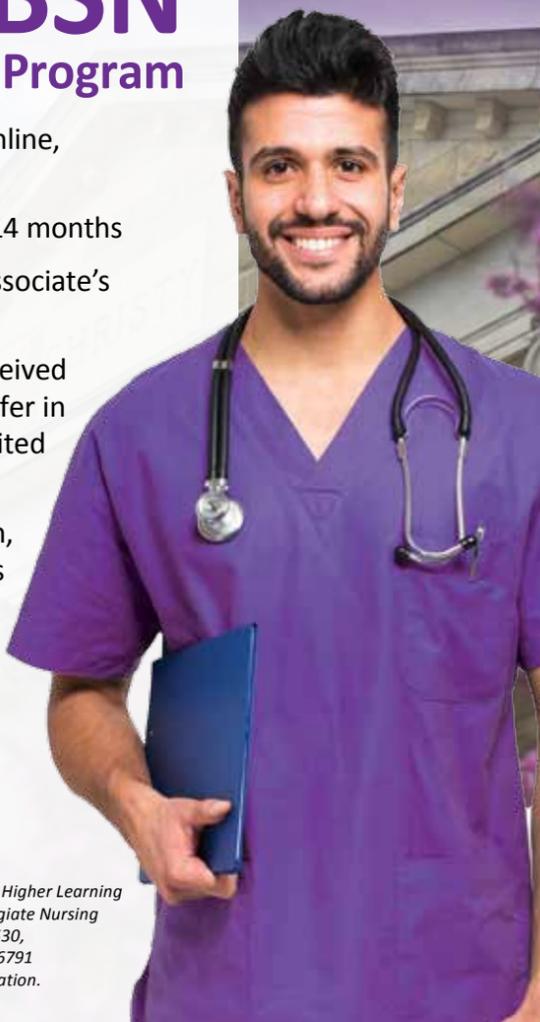
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number: LT: 0085-0327. Fee: \$60.00 if postmarked before 9/22/17. Reg. by: 10/5/17. Contact Hours: 7.5.



8528, Prairie Village, KS 66208. Contact: Ruthanne Schroeder at Ruthanne@healthcare-pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Sue Popkess-Vawter, PhD, RN. Aud: All levels of nursing. You will learn new strategies for making lifestyle changes that promote healthy weight by developing a daily plan using the cognitive restructuring strategies, Eat for Hunger, Exercise for Life and Esteem for Self. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$70.00. Contact Hours: 7.5.

pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Judy Zinn, ACSW. Aud: All levels of nursing. Time is our most precious resource, this course will provide strategies needed to manage your time effectively and wisely. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$40.00. Contact Hours: 3.6.

HOME STUDY

Healthy, Holistic Weight Management Strategies. Spon: Professional Continuing Education, Inc., PO Box

The Pathway of Grief: Terminal Diagnoses Through Bereavement. Spon: Professional Continuing Education, Inc., PO Box 8528, Prairie Village, KS 66208, www.healthcare-pce.com. Contact: Ruthanne Schroeder at Ruthanne@healthcare-pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Jody Gyulay, PhD, L.C.S.W., RN. Aud: All levels of nursing. This course will identify the normal grief process from diagnosis through bereavement for the patient, family and care givers. You will see the dying process as a complex journey for both the patient and the family, and you will learn ways to allay their pain and suffering while bringing calm to the dying patient and family. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$100.00. Contact Hours: 10.5.

The Truth About Antacids. Spon: Professional Continuing Education, Inc., PO Box 8528, Prairie Village, KS 66208, www.healthcare-pce.com. Contact: Ruthanne Schroeder at Ruthanne@healthcare-pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Lisa Everett, RPh., FACA, CCN. Aud: All levels of nursing. Learn the truth about one of the most common complaints, acid reflux or GERD, and what is the correct course of action to get permanent relief. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$15.00. Contact Hours: 1.0.

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Patient Compliance: A New Look. Spon: Professional Continuing Education, Inc., PO Box 8528, Prairie Village, KS 66208, www.healthcare-pce.com. Contact: Ruthanne Schroeder at Ruthanne@healthcare-pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Judy Zinn, ACSW. Aud: All levels of nursing. This course will provide information needed to prevent and manage non-compliant patient behavior. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$65.00. Contact Hours: 5.4.

Conflict Management: Skills for Uncertain Times. Spon: Professional Continuing Education, Inc., PO Box 8528, Prairie Village, KS 66208, www.healthcare-pce.com. Contact: Ruthanne Schroeder at Ruthanne@healthcare-pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Judy Zinn, ACSW. Aud: All levels of nursing. This course will provide skills needed to manage conflict with patients, physicians and allied health professionals. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$55.00. Contact Hours: 5.5.

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5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Carol LaRue, OTR/L. Aud: All levels of nursing. This unique course will help you expand personally and professionally, you will increase your knowledge and awareness of the imbalances of illness and disease while learning practical applications and activities to nurture the seven dimensions of well being and recognize the connection between mind, body and spirit. This course is available on-line or by textbook. Professional Continuing Education, Inc., is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0053-0949. Fee: \$65.00. Contact Hours: 6.0.

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Tick-Borne Diseases in the United States. Spon: Professional Continuing Education, Inc., PO Box 8528, Prairie Village, KS 66208, www.healthcare-pce.com. Contact: Ruthanne Schroeder at Ruthanne@healthcare-pce.com, 913-341-5627, fax 866-381-0345. Fac: Christine Kerns, BA, RN. The incidence of Tick-Borne Disease has

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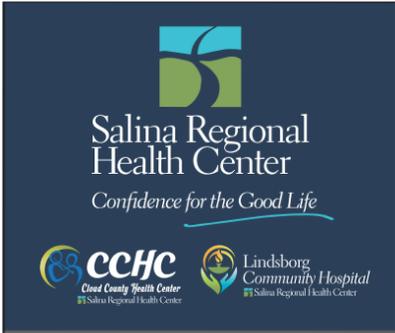
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