TARGET AUDIENCE
For healthcare professionals including staff nurses, clinical nurse leaders, clinical nurse specialists, nurse practitioners, nurse educators, managers, administrators, social workers and other interested healthcare providers.

CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION
The medical-surgical setting today presents unique, complex and varied patient care challenges. This conference is an opportunity to review and update your medical-surgical clinical practice and acquire new assessment and management strategies. Healthcare professionals are invited to advance their knowledge of evidence-based practices that promote care innovations, collaboration and confidence among team members. Participants can design a conference that meets their clinical needs by choosing from concurrent session options. Teaching methods include lecture, discussion, case studies, demonstration and collegial interchange.

OBJECTIVES
Upon completion of this conference, participants will be better able to:
2. Describe evidenced-based management of selected clinical situations.
3. Discuss selected topics related to communication and safety.

Day 1 Objectives:
At the conclusion of the conference, you will be better able to:
1. Learn three principles of resilience.
2. Describe pathophysiology of sepsis.
3. Gain a basic understanding of Washington State’s Involuntary Treatment Act and how it impacts nursing work on medical/surgical floors.
4. Identify 3 concerns for consideration when creating a plan of care at end of life.
5. Provide education as to Patients’ basic rights/history and rationale.
6. Describe symptoms and progression of Parkinson’s disease along with current treatment options.
7. List three principles of wound management that are met with negative pressure wound therapy.
8. Identify key RN interventions in order to prevent spread of HPIs.

Day 2 Objectives:
At the conclusion of the conference, you will be better able to:
1. Describe key features of successful mentoring.
2. Identify current CDC guidelines for testing “baby boomers” for chronic hepatitis C.
3. Identify resources for moral and emotional strength training.
4. Recognize benefits and risks of various multimodal non-drug and drug treatments used for chronic pain.
5. Discuss National Patient Safety Goal 06.01.01.
6. Recognize how new cardiovascular meds fit into current therapy.
7. Discuss the clinical manifestations of dementia in the cognitive, functional and behavioral domains.
8. Describe 2 ways to avoid unnecessary conflict and maintain therapeutic relationships with patients with addiction problems.
9. Discuss ways in which healthcare workers can better function as an efficient, interdisciplinary team.

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CONTACT HOURS
Thursday and Friday: 14.1 (Rx=4.5) • Thursday: 7.1 • Friday: 7.0 (Rx=4.5)

PROFESSIONAL CREDIT
Up to 14.1 contact hours will be awarded. Attendance at all sessions and submission of a conference evaluation form is required for successful completion.

Nurses:
- Continuing Nursing Education at the University of Washington School of Nursing (UWCNE) is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.
- UWCNE is approved as a Washington state clock hour provider by the Washington State Board of Education.
- Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #07218.

Psychologists: UWCNE qualifies as a Washington State CE program sponsor under the Washington Administrative Code, WAC 246-924-240.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

THURSDAY—OCTOBER 27

7:30  Registration, Exhibits and Continental Breakfast
8:00  Welcome and Overview
8:10  Standing in the Wake! Staying Strong (Rx)  Jenifer Gregory
9:20  Break and Exhibits
9:40  CONCURRENT SESSIONS (Choose one)
A.  Sepsis in 2016: A Year for Accountability and Debate  Mary Jo Kelly
B.  Involuntary Treatment Act (ITA) 101  Laura Collins
10:50  Break and Exhibits
11:00  Palliative Care in Everybody’s Business  Linda Govenlock
12:00  Lunch (provided) and Exhibits
12:50  Strategies for Managing the Disruptive Behavioral Health Patient  Julian Thompson
2:00  Break and Exhibits
2:10  CONCURRENT SESSIONS (Choose one)
C.  Parkinson’s Disease: An Update for Nurses  Joni Herrington
D.  Negative Pressure Wound Therapy: When Is It the Best Choice?  Colleen Karvonen
3:20  Stretch Break
3:25  Global Pathogens on our Doostep!  Vanessa Makarewicz
4:35  Adjourn (includes 10 minutes for online completion of the evaluation)

SPECIAL SESSION FOR AGENCY COORDINATORS
Meeting and Reception (by invitation) from 5:00-6:45 PM
Enhancing Medical-Surgical Nursing Practice 2017

FRIDAY—OCTOBER 28

7:30  Registration, Exhibits and Continental Breakfast
8:00  Welcome and Overview
8:05  Mentoring Nurses in a Just Culture  Chris Henshaw
9:15  Break and Exhibits
9:30  CONCURRENT SESSIONS (Choose one)
E.  Chronic Hepatitis and Cirrhosis in the Adult/Older Adult (Rx)  Anne Crogan
F.  Practicing Ethics: Enhancing Clinical Practice by Flexing Your Moral Muscles  Greta Martin
10:40  Break and Exhibits
10:50  Chronic Pain: The State of the Union (Rx)  David Tauben
11:50  Lunch (provided) and Exhibits
Optional Information Session (12:00-12:30)
Medical-Surgical Nursing Certification and Recertification
12:50  CONCURRENT SESSIONS (Choose one)
G.  Ding, Dong, DANG! The Evidence and Alarm Fatigue  Sarah Eccleston
H.  Hot Topics in Pharmacotherapy: Cardiovascular Meds and Beyond (Rx)  Nick Dire
2:00  Break and Exhibits
2:10  CONCURRENT SESSIONS (Choose one)
I.  A Model of Care for the Hospitalized Patient with Dementia  Kilian McGroary
J.  Meeting the Challenge: Pain Management for the Substance Abuse Patient (Rx)  James Walsh
3:20  Stretch Break
3:25  Building a Culture of Safety: No Heroes Allowed  Cheri Constantino-Shor
4:35  Adjourn (includes 10 minutes for online completion of the evaluation)

RxE=Pharmacology hours at the the advanced practice level

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION
REGISTRATION FEES:
Entire Conference, Oct 27-28 ........................................ $395
One-day, Oct 27 or 28 ............................................... $295

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