Alcohol & Drugs Issues for the Hospitalised Patient

**Description**
This program is designed to increase the knowledge and skills of nursing staff in the clinical management and support of patients with drug and alcohol issues. This patient centred program is delivered by drug and alcohol nursing subject matter specialists. Interactive workshops explore real life examples of problems encountered by nurses in their practice setting.

**Content**
Topics covered in the program include:
- Effects of alcohol, amphetamines, benzodiazepines, cannabis, opiates and hallucinogens
- Management of toxicity / withdrawals
- Where to from here

**Who should attend?**
All nurses interested in the drug and alcohol issues of their hospitalised patients and Those wanting to explore strategies that deal with resultant problems.

**What participants say**
“Scenarios excellent – gave varied presentation with multiple problems – which we discussed regarding management and problem solving.”

“Pay special attention to the S&S of withdrawal – intervene early!”

“Very informal day which gave participants a wonderful opportunity to talk through experiences.”

**Pre-requisites**
Consider your past experiences (both positive and negative), - jot down ideas and questions, then bring them along to help foster interaction and discussion.

**Facilitator**
Etza Peers, RMHN, BHealthSc, GradDip Counselling, GradDip Aboriginal and Intercultural Studies, GradDip Alcohol/Drug Studies (Pharmacology and Toxicology)
Clinical Nurse Consultant |Drug and Alcohol Service
Steve Brown, RN,
Clinical Nurse
Drug and Alcohol Service

**Amenities**
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

**Program Details**
Time: 0745-1230
Date: Thurs. 21st July or Thurs. 17th November 2016
Venue: Room 1, Q block
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $15.
External applicants: $60 including GST

**Registration**
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Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE
All Things Respiratory

Description
The focus of this program is to enhance nurses' knowledge and skills in the assessment and nursing management of patients with respiratory conditions. Interactive sessions include respiratory assessment, case studies, tracheostomy care and spirometry workshops. Topics are delivered by respiratory subject matter experts including pulmonary physiologists, allied health professionals and nursing staff.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Respiratory assessment
- Chest X-Ray interpretation
- Understanding arterial blood gases
- Asthma overview
- Oxygen therapy
- Workshops in Spirometry, Tracheostomy, NIV and chest drains.

Who should attend?
This study day will benefit all ward nursing staff especially staff caring for patients with chronic respiratory diseases such as asthma, cancer and chronic obstructive airways disease.

What participants say
“"The asthma education was extremely valuable."”
“All topics and information will be useful on the ward”
“Knowing how to interpret chest x-ray and blood gas data is great”

Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the anatomy, physiology and the pharmacology that applies to the respiratory system in preparation for the study day.

Facilitator
Brooke Kyle, Staff Development Nurse | Respiratory Medicine
Chloe Charlesworth, Staff Development Nurse | Respiratory Medicine

Amenities
Coffee and tea available from the 8th floor cafeteria.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Thursday 24th November 2016
Venue: Joske West, 8th floor G block
External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
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# Anticoagulation Therapy

## Description
Interactive sessions including case studies and workshops are designed to increase nursing knowledge of venous thrombosis and embolic disease and treatments. Sessions are delivered by anticoagulation medical and nursing specialists. Access to learning material will be provided on registration.

## Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- The clotting cascade
- Virchow’s Triad and deep vein thrombosis
- Pulmonary embolism and atrial fibrillation
- Coagulation profile blood tests
- Pharmacokinetics of anticoagulation therapies
- Compression devices and stockings

[Click to view last years program](#)

## Who should attend?
All clinical nursing staff and Allied Health

## What participants say
- “A really beneficial day that I will be able to apply to my everyday practice. This day was really relevant to my ward. Speakers were great!”
- “Very informative and excellent study day, gained a better understanding of INR”
- “I have a new appreciation for TEDS”

## Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the blood-clotting cascade

## Facilitator
Michaela Walters, RN, BSc (Nursing), MN NP Nurse Practitioner
Anticoagulation

## Amenities
Tea and coffee making facilities available.

## Program Details
- **Time:** 0745-1600
- **Date:** Tuesday 22nd March or Tuesday 15th November 2016
- **Venue:** Room 2 Q block
- **Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

## Registration
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Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE
### Being Transfusion Savvy:

**What “Google” and “Facebook” Can't Tell You About Transfusion Safety!**

| **Description** | This program is designed to assist staff involved in the transfusion process acquire up to date evidence based knowledge and skills to care for patients undergoing transfusion therapy. The sessions are interactive, delivered by blood transfusion and blood product experts and include scenario based clinical skills workshops. |
| **Content** | Topics covered in the program include:  
- Transfusion policies and procedures governing safe transfusion practice  
- Patient Blood Management Program  
- Importance of comprehensive documentation of the transfusion journey  
- Risks associated with blood products  
- Management and reporting of transfusion reactions and adverse incidents  
- Informed consent  
- Patient and carer education  
| **Who should attend?** | All direct care staff involved in the transfusion process, particularly staff working in high blood use areas such as haematology, oncology, critical care, cardio-thoracic, IV lounge, ED and GHDU. |
| **What participants say** | “Totally demystified a lot of questions I had about transfusions – feeling much more confident about transfusions now”  
“Enjoyed the day - used a variety of mediums”  
“Learnt to consider things before rushing into transfusing”  
“Regular interaction made the information "stick"”  
“Well run day, thank you. Worthwhile for more staff to attend” |
| **Pre-requisites** | Participants are required to complete the Blood safe e-learning package prior to attendance. Available at: [https://www.bloodsafelearning.org.au](https://www.bloodsafelearning.org.au) |
| **Facilitator** | Sue Darby, RN, PG cert Transfusion Practice  
PG cert HPed  
Clinical Nurse Consultant: Transfusion  
Transfusion Services |
| **Amenities** | Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided. |
| **Program Details** | **Time:** 0745-1600  
**Date:** May 4th or September 7th 2016  
**Venue:** Rooms 1 & 2 Q block  
**Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30.  
External applicants: $110 including GST. |
| **Registration** | Click [here](https://www.bloodsafelearning.org.au) for an e-registration form |

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# Cancer: When cells mutate

## Description

This program provides nurses caring for people with cancer with an overview of cancer as a chronic disease with a focus on holistic care across the patient’s journey. Interactive sessions are delivered by cancer care specialists and include current evidence based practice guidelines.

## Content

Topics covered in the program include:
- Cancer cell biology
- Cancer treatments
- Support services for Cancer patients
- Special populations

[Click to view last year's program](#)

## Who should attend?

Nurses new to cancer care and nurses who care for patients with cancer in their practice setting.

## What participants say

“**All talks were outstanding, I learnt lots and it made me aware of some issues I took for granted**”

“**Learnt lots to support my practice, all speakers were very knowledgeable**”

“**I have more awareness about support services for cancer patients which will be useful in assisting people on the ward**”

## Pre-requisites

Nil

## Facilitator

Catherine Seddon, RN, MClinNurs
GradCert Cancer Nursing, BApSc(Nursing)
Cert IV TAE40110
Staff Development Educator | Centre for Nursing Education

## Amenities

Coffee and tea making facilities available

## Program Details

**Time:** 0745-1600  
**Date:** Wednesday 11th May or Wednesday 2nd November  
**Venue:** Room 1 Q block  
**Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

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**Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE**
# Care Plan for the Dying Person

## Description
This interactive workshop provides nurses with knowledge to drive quality in the care of the dying in the acute care setting. Participants are taught skills to lead and mentor staff in patient care in the last days of life, through the use of the Care Plan for the Dying Person. Access to learning material will be provided on registration. This workshop is sponsored by WA Cancer & Palliative Care Network. Further information is available on request by emailing WALCP@health.wa.gov.au

## Content
The program includes:
- What is the public health need for care of the dying?
- What is best practice in care of the dying person?
- Using the Care Plan for the Dying Person
- Making a difference: Quality improvement in the care of the dying
- Action planning: Implementation of the Care Plan for the Dying Person in my ward

## Who should attend?
This workshop would benefit nurses who have an interest in quality care of the dying and end of life care and nurses who are keen to take on a mentoring and leadership role in their wards or clinical areas.

## What participants say
- “The presenter was excellent – concise, unhurried and willing to answer all questions”
- “The most useful part of the workshop was the discussion on personal experiences related to end of life care”

## Pre-requisites
A minimum of two years’ experience.

## Facilitator
Valerie Colgan, RN, Staff Development Educator Palliative Care WA Cancer & Palliative Care Network

## Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

## Program Details
- **Time**: 0745-1600
- **Date**: Choose from the following 2016 dates:
  - Thursday 3rd March
  - Tuesday 24th May
  - Wednesday 20th July
  - Wednesday 21st September
- **Venue**: Q block
- **Cost**: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST

## Registration
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# Clinical Communication

## Description
This interactive program is designed to improve the systematic assessment of patients’ needs in the acute care setting. Scenarios facilitated by acute care nursing specialists hone teamwork and communication skills with the aim to improve patient outcomes. Learning material will be provided on registration. This is an essential study day for all nurses.

## Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Assessing and prioritising patient needs
- Clinical reasoning
- Patient Autonomy – a patient perspective
- Communication and teamwork
- Clinical scenario and case study practice
- Practical application of ISOBAR

[Click to view last year’s program](http://chips.qe2.health.wa.gov.au/projects/PatientCentredCare/eLearning/PCC_Output/story.html)

## Who should attend?
All nurses interested in, or currently working in, the acute care setting.

## What participants say
“Promoted lots of critical thinking skills in group”.
“I really enjoyed the interactive side of today and the videos to break up all the info”
“Great! Would love more patient perspectives / experiences in other study days”
“Incredible speakers”

## Pre-requisites
Completion of the Physical Assessment e-learning package available on ChlPs or Moodle, and the Patient Centred Care e-learning package found on the following ChlPs link:

## Facilitator
Jenni Andrew RN,  PG Cert (University Teaching),
PGCert (Critical Care),  BSc(Nursing)
SDE Postgraduate Critical Care Course
Centre for Nursing Education

## Amenities
Coffee and tea facilities available.

## Program Details
**Time:** 0745-1600

**Date:** Thursday 24th March 2016 or Tuesday 20th September 2016

**Venue:** Q block

**Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30.
External applicants: $110 including GST.

## Registration
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Clinical Nursing for Positive Outcomes

Description
This two day program aims to explore the many facets of healthcare delivery which impact upon patient outcomes. Interactive sessions are delivered by safety and quality subject matter experts and clinical leads. Improving patient safety through the safe provision of healthcare is everyone's responsibility. In attending this course attendees will develop knowledge and skills to empower them to make change aimed at enhancing positive healthcare environments to improve patient outcomes. The course can be completed as separate days.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Opportunities to improve patient safety
- National Safety and Quality Healthcare Standards
- Auditing, integrating data and action planning
- Leading teams to affect practice change
- Patient satisfaction and patient focused care
- Human factors and critical incident analysis
- Clinical practice improvement subject matter

Click here to view last year's program.

Who should attend?
All clinical staff with an interest in enhancing their knowledge in efforts to improve patient safety.

What participants say
“Every topic presented today is valuable – I will introduce tool box ideas after working on areas which needs to be improved in the ward.”
“I feel this should be mandatory because it covers all important areas of nursing care”
“An audit or QI are not as daunting as I thought”

Pre-requisites
Participants are expected to have a basic knowledge of the ten NSQHS Standards.

Facilitator
Anne Matthews, RN, RM, BSc Nursing, Masters Student
Clinical Nurse Specialist
Centre for Nursing Research & Coordinator Patient SafetyTeams

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Day 1: Tuesday June 7th or Tuesday October 11th 2016
       Day 2: Tuesday 26th July or Tuesday 15th November 2016
Venue: Room 1 Q block
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $60.
     External applicants: $220 including GST.

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Learn, Explore and Discover at CNE
C.O.W: Continence, Ostomies & Wounds

Description
During this 2 day interactive program participants have the opportunity to develop knowledge and sharpen their skills in the management of wounds, stomas and continence in the acute care setting. Sessions are delivered by wound, stoma and continence specialists and include workshops and real life scenarios. Learning material will be provided on registration.

Content
Topics covered in the 2 day program include:
- Management of a high post void residual, trial of void and catheter management
- Management of acute and chronic constipation and diarrhoea
- Common types of ostomy surgery
- The principles of stoma management
- Wound assessment
- Terminology, descriptors and documentation of wounds

Who should attend?
All clinical nursing staff would benefit from attending this study day.

What participants say
“Thank you for sharing of knowledge and engaging with audience.”
“Interesting, entertaining, informative”
“Enjoyed the entire study day, and the workshop was a great way to view the products!”
“Top up of knowledge learnt on the ward. Useful tips. Also aimed at people with no knowledge – very good.”
“loved the practical examples, especially wound and stoma“

Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the anatomy and physiology of the skin, and urinary and digestive tracts.

Facilitator
Nicole Walsh RN, BApSc (Nursing), Certified Stomal Therapy Nurse, Master in Clinical Specialisation NP: Wound Management
Mary King, RN, MN-Nurse, Practitioner, Clinical Nurse
Des Davies, RN, Clinical Nurse Consultant: Wound Therapy Nurse | Clinical Nurse Consultant: Stomal Therapy Wound | Wound management
Marie Dean, RN, Stomal Therapy Nurse | Clinical Nurse Consultant: Continence | Urology

Amenities
Coffee and tea are available from the 8th floor cafeteria

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date:
  Day 1 – Tuesday 16 February (basic)
  Day 2 – Tuesday 13 September (advanced)
Venue: CER, 8th floor G block near the green lifts
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $60. External applicants: $220 including GST.

Registration
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# Diabetes Hi(gh)’s and Lo(w)’s

## Description

This program provides an up date on evidence based management of people with diabetes. Interactive sessions are delivered by endocrinologists and Credentialed Diabetes Educators (CDE) and include an overview of diabetes resources, case studies, workshops and consumer participation activities. Access to learning material and activities will be provided on registration.

## Content

Topics covered in the program include:
- Epidemiology of diabetes
- Pathophysiology of diabetes
- Diabetic ketoacidosis
- Hypoglycaemia and hypoawareness
- Diabetes medication
- Partnering with consumers: Involving patient in their care

*Click to view* last year’s program

## Who should attend?

This study day would benefit all Allied health and Nursing staff who care for diabetic patients.

## What participants say

- Appropriate timing for insulin, adjusting regimes, ^ knowledge of DKA,
- Difference between T1 & T2 diabetes.
- Very informative day.
- Great day, learnt a lot.
- All presenters were very professional and passionate about their subject.
- Gloria is an inspiration

## Pre-requisites

Active participation in program learning activities.


## Facilitator

Gloria Daniels, RN, Credentialed Diabetes Educator, Clinical Nurse Consultant | Diabetes

## Amenities

Coffee and tea available from the 8th floor cafeteria.

## Program Details

- **Time:** 0745-1600
- **Date:** Tuesday 1st March or Tuesday 1st November 2016
- **Venue:** Clinical Education Room, 8 Floor G block (near the green lifts)
- **Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

## Registration

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Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE
Engaging Nurses in Research

Description
This four day program aims to introduce registered nurses to clinical research methodology, evidence based practice and quality improvement. Participants will undertake their own project during this program. Lectures and learning activities will be provided by university professors, research fellows and subject matter experts. Program learning material will be provided on registration.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- An introduction to evidence based practice and quality improvement
- Searching the literature
- Quantitative and qualitative research methods
- Questionnaire design
- Quality improvement project management

Who should attend?
This program will benefit all nurses working in clinical settings

What participants say
“A better / mature outlook on my nursing practice and attitude towards nursing research”
“Great to actually critique an article. Hands on is always so much better”
“The topics chosen for the study day has helped to set up performing the QI project efficiently.
“The presenters are excellent!”

Pre-requisites
Nil

Facilitator
Eva Cooper-Waldby, RN,
BSc Nursing, MPH
Nurse Manager Innovations and Quality (Clinical Research) |
Centre for Nursing Research

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities are available.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Thursday 25th February and Thursday 28th April and Thursday 21st July and Thursday 20th October 2016.
Participants are required to attend all four days.
Venue: Room 1 Q block.
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $120.
      External applicants: $440 including GST.

Registration
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Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE
Gastro-Hepatology Clinical Update

Description
This program is designed to provide an overview of issues relating to patients with gastrointestinal or liver disorders. Interactive sessions are delivered by specialists in gastro-hepatology nursing. Workshops, practical demonstrations, case studies and innovative teaching methods make this an excellent learning experience. Learning material will be provided on registration.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Hepatitis B and C
- Hepatocellular carcinoma / Upper gastrointestinal cancers
- Liver failure / Pancreatitis
- Gastroenterological procedures
- Bowel diseases / Palliation

Who should attend?
Nursing and allied health staff caring for patients with gastrointestinal disorders in medical, surgical or interventional clinical settings.

What participants say
“Will allow me to educate pre and post op patients in more detail”
“Very interesting and useful study day, thanks !”
“All speakers well prepared and knowledgeable, well done !”
“...an excellent and well organised study day with valuable content and inspirational speakers”
“This is the best study day I have ever attended. Every session was interesting with new thing to learn.”

Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the anatomy and physiology of the digestive system in preparation for this study day. Completion of the Hepatitis online learning packages available on ChiPs or from the Edith Cowan University website http://hepatitis.ecu.edu.au/

Facilitator
Sarah Byrne, RN, GradCert Leadership and Management
Clinical Nurse Specialist
Gastro-hepatology
Karen Howden, RN, GradCert Nephrology Nursing, GradCert Nursing Education
Staff Development Nurse
Gastro-hepatology

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Thursday, 16 June 2016
Venue: Room 1 Q block
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
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## Description
This program is designed to enhance the knowledge and skills of nursing staff in the management and education of patients with coronary artery disease and heart failure. Sessions are delivered by heart disease specialists including nurses, doctors, pharmacists and cardiology technicians. Workshops and case studies are integrated into interactive sessions. Course learning material will be provided on registration.

## Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Ischaemic heart disease
- Heart failure
- Cardiac investigations
- Cardiac and heart failure medications
- Identification and management of risk factors for ischaemic heart disease and heart failure
- The patient’s perspective of heart failure

[Click to view last year's program]

## Who should attend?
All Allied Health and clinical nursing staff.

## What participants say
“Educating is practice! Increased knowledge of procedures means I really will know what I'm talking about when explaining possible plan of care.”
“I liked the ECG talk and the pharmacology.”
“Fun, simple easy to understand and remember.”
“Great to have an insight into life after pacemaker.”

## Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the anatomy, pharmacology and normal blood flow of the heart in preparation for the study day.

## Facilitator
Joanna Clark, RN, ENB:
Coronary Care Course 124
Clinical Nurse Specialist: Heart Failure
Cardiovascular Medicine

## Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available

## Program Details
**Time:** 0745-1600  
**Date:** Tuesday, 15 March 2016  
**Venue:** Room 1, Q block  
**Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

## Registration
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**Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE**
Introduction to Pain Management

Description
Based on the biopsychosocial model of pain management this two day program provides nurses with knowledge to care for patients with acute and chronic pain. Interactive sessions are delivered by a multidisciplinary team consisting of anaesthetists, pain specialists and nurses.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Pain related anatomy and physiology
- Assessment of the person in pain
- Giving analgesia safely
- Challenges to effective pain management (the opioid tolerant patient)
- Pain management in the elderly patient
- Psychology of chronic pain
- Issues of pain in palliative care

Who should attend?
Nurses in all clinical areas

What participants say
“Practical interesting and interactive…”
“Very informative and relevant clinically”
“Feel much more confident in my knowledge of pain and its treatment. I feel my insight into this area is much better.
“Very relevant information to current hospital environment.”
“This is the best study day I have ever been too.”

Pre-requisites
Nil

Facilitator
Trish Clarke RN, RM, BA(Psych), MScMed (Pain management)  
Clinical Nurse Consultant  
Acute Pain Service
DeborahRralph. RN.  
Acute Pain Management

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities provided

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600

Date:
Participants are required to attend both Day 1 and Day 2
Day 1: Wednesday, 23rd March or Wednesday, 24th August 2016
Day 2: Wednesday, 6th April or Wednesday 7th September 2016

Venue: Neville Davis Lecture Theatre, Anaesthetic Department, 1st floor G block and the John Glancy Seminar Room, Radiology Department, 1st floor G block

Cost:
SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $60.
External applicants: $220 including GST.

Registration
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Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE
## CNE ‘Keep Calm…’ Series

**Description**
Following on from the success of the 2015 inaugural year of the Keep Calm Series, CNE will again present these four sessions which are designed with direct care nurses in mind. They are short 1 hour sessions related to the professional development of every nurse presented by guest speakers who are leaders in their respective fields.

**Content**
Topics covered in the program include:
- Empowerment
- Professional Issues
- Leadership
- Innovation

**Who should attend?**
All direct care nurses

**Pre-requisites**
Nil

**Facilitators**
The Professional Development Team
Centre for Nursing Education

**Program Details**

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Venue: 8th floor CER, near the green lifts

**Registration**
No need for registration, just sign in when attending.

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## Non Invasive Ventilation

### Description
To enhance the knowledge and skills of nurses in relation to the clinical application of non-invasive ventilation.

### Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Arterial blood gas (ABG) analysis
- Hypoventilation and respiratory failure
- Mechanisms of action for non-invasive ventilation (NIV)
- Nursing implications and care of the patient receiving NIV
- Clinical role of NIV
- Evidence of efficacy, indications and contraindications of application
- Case studies
- Workshops: BiPAP, VPAP, CPAP, masks, humidification set up, Pulmonary Physiology department

### Who should attend?
All nurses interested in NIV – Bipap.

### What participants say
“Loved the hands on practical aspect”

### Pre-requisites
Review Respiratory system anatomy

### Facilitator
Brooke Kyle, Staff Development Nurse | G54 Respiratory Medicine
Chloe Charlesworth, Staff Development Nurse| G54 Respiratory Medicine

### Amenities
Coffee and tea provided.

### Program Details
- **Time:** 0745-1600
- **Date:** Wednesday 10th June
- **Venue:** Room 2, Q block
- **Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST

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**Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE**
Organ Transplantation

Description
This program is designed to provide an overview of the organ transplantation experience and explore the principles of caring for an organ transplant patient. Interactive sessions are delivered by medical and nursing transplant specialists. Workshops, practical demonstrations, case studies, a patient panel and innovative teaching methods make this an excellent learning experience. Learning material will be provided on registration. This is an essential study day for beginning practice transplant nurses.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Organ transplantation: A global versus Australian perspective
- Solid organ transplants: An overview of different types of organ transplants
- Organ donor and organ recipient selection
- Donation after cardiac death
- Immunosuppressant therapy
- Caring for the organ transplant patient
- The patient experience: Receiving a donor organ and living with a transplant
Click to view last years program

Who should attend?
All nurses beginning to practise in organ transplantation and nurses with an interest in organ transplantation. Allied Health staff with an interest in organ transplantation.

What participants say
“This is the best study day I have attended. I have been to many at SCGH over the past 10 years – they are all usually a very high standard, but this one was exceptional”
“Able to better educate patients.” “Understanding the journey of transplant patients.”

Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the anatomy of the heart and lungs, and the hepatic and urinary systems. Explore the Donatelife website on the following link

Facilitator
Karen Howden, RN, PGCert Nephrology Nursing, PGCert Nursing Education
Staff Development Nurse | Transplantation

Sarah Byrne, RN, PGCert Leadership and Management
Clinical Nurse Specialist | Transplantation

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Wednesday 24th August 2016
Venue: Q block
External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
Click here for an e-registration form

Relevant National Safety and Quality Healthcare Safety Standards

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Orthopaedic Program

Description
This program is designed to expand the knowledge and skills of nurses caring for orthopaedic patients. Sessions are delivered by senior medical, nursing and allied health orthopaedic specialists and focus on up to date evidence based orthopaedic care. Practical workshops, scenarios and interactive sessions make this an exciting program. Access to learning material will be provided on registration.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Orthopaedic x-rays
- The Bariatric Orthopaedic Patient
- Osteomyelitis & Amputation
- Total Shoulder Replacements
- Pain Management – Adductor Canal Blocks
- Sarcoma
- Sarcoma CNC
- Bone Grafting in Orthopaedic Surgery

Click to view last years program

Who should attend?
All clinical staff who care for orthopaedic patients or have a passion for working on the orthopaedic ward.

What participants say
“Everything was useful and informative” “Well done! Excellent speakers.”
“How to better complete care for specific injuries & to interpret specific instructions for certain injuries… definitely feel more prepared”

Pre-requisites
Participants are responsible for reviewing the anatomy, physiology and the pharmacology that applies to the skeletal system in preparation for this study day.

Facilitator
Sunnie Chambers RN
Clinical Nurse Specialist | Orthopaedics

Fiona Ballagh RN,
Clinical Nurse/Staff Development Nurse | Orthopaedics

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Friday 21st October 2016
Venue: Room 1 Q block
External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
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Palliative Care

Description
This study day will improve nurses’ understanding of palliative care, empower nurses to advocate for their patients and reduce stress associated with caring for patients and their families at difficult times. The program is delivered by medical, nursing and allied health palliative care experts. Learning material will be provided on registration.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
• Palliative care pointers: When and why palliative care?
• Ethical dilemmas: A case presentation
• Diagnosing the dying patient
• Palliative care emergencies
• Communicating with distressed families
• Not for Resuscitation (NFR): Facts and fiction
• Care in the last few days –WA Liverpool Care Pathway (WAlcp)

Who should attend?
Staff interested in understanding how palliative care improves both patients’ and their families’ quality of life and why using a palliative approach in patient care improves nurses’ job satisfaction

What participants say
“A fabulous study day! Palliative care is such a huge topic and you can go on all day about it. Very engaging and learnt a lot.”
“Such a beautiful day, should be compulsory for all nursing staff. Core values of nursing – respect, advocacy, duty of care.”
“I’ve gained lots of information regarding not only palliative care but also whole nursing care, which I can use them in my nursing career. Highly recommended study day.”

Pre-requisites
Prepared to be inspired.

Facilitator
Karen Proctor, RN, BApSc
Clinical Nurse Consultant
Palliative Care

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Tuesday 17th or Tuesday 6th September 2016
Venue: Q block
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
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Learn, Explore And Discover at CNE
Peer Support Study Group 2016

Description
This program brings together educational and research expertise to support and link SCGH nurses who are undertaking postgraduate studies. Monthly sessions provide information and resources in an informal and interactive environment. Participants are encouraged to share their experiences, ideas and questions. Nurses who are considering post-graduate study are also welcome to attend.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Managing on-line study
- Stress management and self-care
- Academic writing
- Study skills

Who should attend?
All nurses who are studying or contemplating studying at postgraduate level.

Pre-requisites
A desire to complete post-graduate study.

Facilitator
Sue Slatyer, RN, PhD, BN(Hons)  
Research Fellow | Centre for Nursing Research

Anne Kimberley, RN, MNursEd, BSc(Nurs)  
Staff Development Educator | Centre for Nursing Education

Amenities
Coffee and tea provided.

Program Details
Time: 1400-1500

Dates: Thursday 28th January
       Wednesday 24th February
       Thursday 31st March
       Thursday 28th April
       Friday 27th May
       Thursday 30th June
       Friday 29th July
       Thursday 25th August
       Thursday 29th September
       Thursday 27th October
       Thursday 24th November

Venue: Q block

Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge.

Registration
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# Perioperative Patient Journey for Breast Surgery

## Description
To understand the Perioperative Patient’s Journey for Breast Surgery

## Content
- Patient Pre-Assessment & Preparation for Breast Surgery – PAC SDN
- Preparation for the Patient undergoing Anaesthetic - Anaesthetic Technician SDE
- Preparation for the Patient undergoing Surgical Intervention for Major Breast Surgery – Theatre SDN
- Anaesthesia Techniques– Consultant Anaesthesitist
- Mastectomy & Axillary Node Clearance Surgical procedure – Consultant Breast Surgeon
- Patient’s advocate – Theatre CN General – Breast Surgery
- Breast Prosthesis Products: Company Medical Representative
- Care of the Patient in PACU/Recovery – PACU SDN
- Breast Surgery – A Patient’s Perspective - Patient
- Care of the Patient Post-operatively in preparation for discharge –SSU SDN

## Who should attend?
- Surgical Nurses
- Breast Care Nurses
- Perioperative Practitioners (Nurses & Anaesthetic Technicians)

## Pre-requisites
No pre-reading required

## Facilitator
Pamela Scott-Gale SDN Theatres

## Amenities
Coffee and tea provided

## Program Details
**Time:** 0800-1630hrs  
**Date:** Wednesday 18th May 2016  
**Venue:** Q block  
**Cost:** SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

## Registration
Click [here](#) for an e-registration form

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Preceptor: Next Generation / Art of Clinical Supervision

Description
This program consolidates knowledge and attitudes required to provide effective clinical supervision of nurses. Topics are delivered by clinical education subject matter experts, all sessions are interactive, case studies are explored and clinical competence is discussed. Access to learning materials is provided on attendance. This is an essential study day for all nurses.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
• Role of the preceptor
• Issues related to precepting
• Principles of adult learning
• Clinical teaching
• Competence assessment and feedback

Who should attend?
All clinical nursing staff

What participants say
“Relating everything back to relevant clinical scenarios.” “I have enjoyed each part of the programme.”
“Being aware of many things related to precepting students. The way I work with students will definitely change from today on. Thanks.”

Pre-requisites
Interest in supporting the provision of quality care

Facilitator
Anne Kimberley, RN, MNursEd, GradDip Education (Adult & Tertiary), GradCert Leadership & Management, BSc (Nursing), Cert IV TAE 40110 Workplace Training and Assessment.
Staff Development Educator | Centre for Nursing Education

Amenities
Coffee and tea provided.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Thursday, 25th February 2016

Venue: Q Block
Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS: No fee. External applicants: $110 including GST

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Reducing the Risk: Preventing and Controlling Infection

Description
This study day provides evidence based strategies used to prevent and control infections in the health care setting. Current issues in infection control and prevention are addressed. Sessions are interactive with case studies and practical demonstrations. All sessions are delivered by medical, nursing and allied health subject matter experts including laboratory scientists and pharmacists.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
- Microbiology and interpretation of results
- Prevention of health care associated infections
- Risk assessment
- Employee health and infection control

Who should attend?
All clinical staff would benefit from attending this study day.

What participants say
“Very coherent structure – every section closely related and presented in comprehensive order”
“.. rich in resources, presenter’s time allocation is perfect and well timed.”
“was useful to think outside the box and relate to the ward.”

Pre-requisites
Familiar with your facility's local infection prevention and control guidelines.
Completion of the following online learning:
SCGH Aseptic Technique and Infection Prevention and Control e-learning packages available on-site via ChIPs
Hand Hygiene Australia: Nursing/Midwifery staff e-learning found on the following link: http://www.hha.org.au/LearningPackage/olp-home.aspx

Facilitator
Helen Cadwallader, RN, BSc (Health Sciences)
Cert IV Workplace Training & Assessment. CertICP
Clinical Nurse Consultant
Infection Prevention and Control

Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Wednesday 11th May OR Wednesday 2nd November 2016
Venue: Q block
- External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
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Senior Registered Nurses Leadership Development Program

**Description**
This two day program is designed for senior nurses wanting to develop their leadership and management skills, knowledge and capabilities. Interactive sessions are delivered by clinical, corporate and financial leaders and managers from within and external to the organisation. Access to learning materials will be provided on registration. This is an essential study day for all senior registered nurses (SRNs).

**Content**
Topics covered in program include:
- Strategic planning
- Clinical reform
- Ethics and Integrity
- Leading Change
- Situational Leadership
- Influencing Values

**Who should attend?**
All senior registered nurses or nurses who regularly relieve senior registered nurse positions.

**What participants say**
"Excellent presentation, factual, interactive. Presenter was obviously intensely interested and professionally inspiring. Great activities, encouraged discussion"
"It was an excellent study day – learning on reflection and how to motivate team"

**Pre-requisites**
Employed in a SRN position or act in SRN positions.

**Facilitator**
Anne Kimberley, RN, MNursEd, GradDip Education (Adult & Tertiary), GradCert Leadership & Management, BSc (Nursing), Cert IV TAE 40110 Workplace Training and Assessment.
Staff Development Educator
Centre for Nursing Education

**Amenities**
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

**Program Details**
**Time:** 0745-1600

**Semester One**
Day 1: April 28th
Day 2: June 22nd

**Semester Two**
Day 1: October 19th
Day 2: November 23rd

Participants should endeavour to attend day one and day two for the selected module in the same semester.

**Venue:** Q block
**Cost:** SCGH & OPH applicants: Free of charge. No external applicants.

**Registration**
Click [here](#) for a registration form.

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Surviving Sepsis

Description
This program develops knowledge and skills in early recognition and management of sepsis with an emphasis on implementation of evidence based sepsis management guidelines. Interactive practical workshops include simulated real life case scenarios. This is an essential study day for nurses working in the clinical practice setting.

Content
Topics covered in the program include:
• Inflammatory and immune response
• Pathophysiology of sepsis and multi organ dysfunction syndrome
• Clinical signs and symptoms of sepsis workshop
• Surviving Sepsis Campaign and definitions
• Evidence based sepsis management guidelines
• Sepsis scenarios and workshop

Who should attend? All clinical nursing staff.

What participants say
“I think this is vital info for all nurses in all clinical areas and a great study day everyone should do”
“Promoted the need for back to basics awareness and critical thinking in patient assessment.”

Pre-requisites
In preparation for this study day participants are responsible for reviewing the normal inflammatory, coagulation and fibrinolytic systems, and the NSW Clinical Excellence Commission- sepsis program at www.cec.health.nsw.gov.au/programs/sepsis

Facilitator
Sam Schoen, RN,
GradCert Critical Care, BApSc(Nursing),
TAE 40110 Cert IV Training and Assessment
Staff Development Educator Centre for Nursing Education

Amenities
Tea and coffee available from the 8th floor cafeteria.

Program Details
Time: 0745-1600
Date: Choose from the following dates in 2015:
• Tuesday, 15th March
• Thursday 28th April
• Thursday, 28th July
• Thursday, 15th September
• Tuesday 18th October

Venue: Clinical Education Room, 8th floor, G block (near the green lifts)

Cost: SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $30. External applicants: $110 including GST.

Registration
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# Teaching on the Run (TOTR) Program

## Description
This program consists of 7 workshops from the TOTR series developed by University of Western Australia. The purpose of these workshops is to develop teaching, assessment and feedback skills in clinical staff working in the clinical setting.

The workshops consist of practical skill development through simulated practice and are delivered by accredited TOTR facilitators. Access to learning materials is provided on registration in each workshop. This is an essential study day for all staff who have teaching and assessment responsibilities.

## Content
The program includes a suite of workshops:
- Clinical Teaching
- Supporting Learners
- Skills Teaching
- Feedback and Assessment
- Planning Learning
- Effective Group Learning
- Clinical Supervision

## Who should attend?
All Staff Development Nurses (SDN), acting and substantive, Clinical Coaches, Clinical Supervisors and Facilitators

## What participants say
“Even after a long time as an SDN, I thought it was very good. So I am looking forward to the next one.”
“Great workshop and I look forward to attending more!!”
“I enjoyed the role play this helps a lot and the discussion of experiences from all present.”

## Pre-requisites
Interest in teaching and assessment

## Facilitator
Anne Kimberley, RN, MNursEd, GradDip Education (Adult & Tertiary), GradCert Leadership & Management, BSc (Nursing), Cert IV TAE 40110 Workplace Training and Assessment.
Staff Development Educator
Centre for Nursing Education

## Amenities
Coffee and tea making facilities available.

## Program Details
Click [here](#) for workshop information.

## Registration
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# Time to Lead Program

**Description**

This two day program for nursing staff aims to promote the development of leadership skills in the clinical setting. Sessions are interactive and delivered by clinical leaders within the organisation. Access to learning materials will be provided on registration. This is an essential study day for all nurses.

**Content**

The program includes:
- **Day 1**: Being a clinical leader. [Click here](#) to view last years program.
- **Day 2**: Leading others

**Who should attend?**

All clinical nursing staff.

**What participants say**

“All the sessions are really useful. I enjoyed the day and I will try to use all the leadership qualities in practice”

“I feel empowered and have knowledge to carry forward. I have never wanted to coordinate or be an acting Clinical Nurse on my ward, but after today I have the feeling I might be able to do it.”

“Very engaging speakers. Lots of food for thought. Valuable study day”

“A well-structured day. All presenters provided valuable information”

“I would advocate this study day to everyone. I have thoroughly enjoyed the whole day”

**Pre-requisites**

Interest in developing leadership skills in a professional role

**Facilitator**

Sam Schoen, RN, GradCert Critical Care, BApSc(Nursing), TAE 40110 Cert IV Training and Assessment

Staff Development Educator

Centre for Nursing Education

**Amenities**

Coffee and tea are available from the 8th floor cafeteria

**Program Details**

- **Time**: 0745-1600
- **Date**:
  - **Day 1**: Being a clinical leader:
    - Thursday 26th May or Thursday 25th August or Thursday 13 October 2016
  - **Day 2**: Leading others:
    - Friday 22nd July or Friday 9th August or Friday 10th November 2016

**Venue**: Clinical Education Room, 8th floor, G block (near the green lifts) or Joske Lecture Theatre, 8th floor, G block (near the blue lifts)

**Cost**:

- SCGH applicants: Free of charge. NMHS applicants: $60.
- External applicants: $220 including GST.

**Registration**

Click [here](#) for an e-registration form

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