The Marjorie K. Unterberg School of Nursing and Health Studies
The Center for Professional Development in Nursing and Health

Nurse Practitioner Skills Boot Camp

Date: July 14 & 15, 2020
Time: 8:30 - 5:15pm     Location: Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ
Fee: $475/community $425/MU students/alumni (early registration $50 discount before 5/30/2020)
Instructional materials, Boot Camp T-Shirt, continental breakfast and light lunch are included in the program fee.  15 contact hours for nurses will be provided (includes 3 pharmacology)

Are you looking to enhance your advanced practice skills?  Join us for an immersion program for Nurse Practitioners providing specialized training in key areas.  The hands-on experience will be facilitated by content experts who will share knowledge, tips and techniques for practice.

Desired Learning Outcomes - The Advanced Practice Nurse will enhance their knowledge and apply skills in the clinical setting.

Pharmacology:  2020 Update: Prescribing for the Diabetic Patient - Dr. Rose Knapp, DNP, RN, APN-C, Associate Professor, Chair, Director of the MU MSN program, Practicing Acute Care APN specializing in Primary and Emergency Care.  All take this module - covering current research and education on the treatment of diabetes by incorporating clinical guidelines, drug selection, and patient education.

Participants will complete 2 modules daily – selecting from the following.

- Radiographic Interpretation of Chest and Musculoskeletal System – Patricia Dempsey, MS, RN, APN-C PNP-BC Specialist Professor at MU, Practicing APN Specializing Primary and Emergency Care.  This module will focus on the essentials of x-ray interpretation.  Participants will learn to interpret plain films in a systematic manner.  Areas of study will include chest and extremity evaluation with a special emphasis on acute traumatic findings.

- Clinical Decision Making: Interpreting & Integrating Diagnostics – Dr. Rose Knapp, DNP, RN, APN-C  Participants will review the process of clinical decision making, construct differential diagnosis, identify appropriate testing and analyze diagnostic results.

- Suturing and Wound Closure — Patricia Dempsey, MS, RN, APN-C, PNP-BC Content will include the principles of wound assessment and closure, the administration of local anesthesia and suturing techniques and pre and post procedural considerations including vaccinations and use of antibiotics.

- Care of Common Orthopedic Injuries & Splinting Basics – Courtney Ellenberger, APN, The Center for the Functional Restoration of the Spine-NJ  Attendees will learn to evaluate common fractures and dislocations, review basic principles of dislocation/reduction, differentiate indications and contraindications for splinting and describe/demonstrate basic splinting techniques and identify potential complications.

- ECG Interpretation - Dr. Charles Miller, MD, FACC, Director of Cardiac Diagnostic Services, Integrated Medicine Alliance, Shrewsbury, NJ.  Recommended for those with some experience in basic ECG interpretation, participants will review basic electrophysiology of the heart, analyze and interpret 12-lead EKG, identify common dysrhythmias and EKG patterns in Acute Coronary Syndromes

- Cardiology Basics for the Outpatient Practitioner – Tricia Marceante, MSN, RN, APN-C, Monmouth Medical Center’s Healthy Lives Program & Women’s Heart Program at CentraState Medical Center, Specializing in Cardiology.  In this module, participants will review cardiac physiology, basic ECG interpretation, arrhythmias, ECG changes with myocardial infarction, and current guidelines for managing cardiac concerns primarily seen in primary and urgent care.

Pre-registration is required & limited so please register early!  Visit our website to view registration and refund policies.  Register online!
www.monmouth.edu/academics/schools/nursing/continuing_programs.asp
Email bpaskewi@monmouth.edu or call the School of Nursing’s Center for Professional Development for Nursing and Health at 732-571-3694 if you have questions.

The Center for Professional Development in Nursing & Health is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the New Jersey State Nurses Association, an accredited approver, by the American Nurses Credentialing Commission on Accreditation.  Provider number:  P242-9/18/21.