

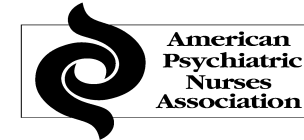
Conference Schedule

Saturday, March 28, 2009

- 7:45-8:30 **Registration & Continental Breakfast; Posters/Exhibitors**
- 8:30-8:45 **Welcome and Introductions**
Sharon Katz, MSN RN PMHCNS BC
President, APNA-PA Chapter
Diane Wieland, PhD, RN
Conference Coordinator
- 8:45-9:30 **Keynote Address:**
“State of Mental Health Care In the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania: Impact on On Psychiatric Nursing Care”
Joan L. Erney, J.D.
Deputy Sec. for Mental Health,
Office of Mental Health and
Substance Abuse Services
- 9:30--9:55 **APNA Address: Our future: Defining our Scope of Practice and Place in Healthcare Policy**
Sharon Katz, MSN, RN, PMHCNS-BC , President, APNA-PA
- 9:55-10: **Policy, Politics and Coalitions Nurses and Mental Health Care Reform in Pennsylvania**
Betsy Snook, M.Ed. BSN RN,
Executive Director, PSNA
- 10:10-10:30: **Break:** Visit Exhibitors & Posters on breaks throughout day
- 10:30-11:00: **PTSD and TBI in Military Servicemen and Women: Implications for Psychiatric Nurses**
Dr. Mary E. Diamond, D.O.,
Chief Psychiatric Officer, Medical
Director, Office of Mental Health and
Substance Abuse Services
- 11:00-11:30
PA Cares Task Force and Emergency Behavioral Mental Health Task Force: Opportunities at the State Level for Nursing Advocacy
Jane Bishop, RN, Med
Emergency Behavioral Health
Manager, DPW-OMHSAS
- 11:30-12:00
Experiences in Iraq: Implications for Mental Health Care
Honorable Thomas Murt
Member, 152nd District

- House of Representatives
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 12:00-12:30: **Panel Discussion**
Moderator: Jacqueline Scharff
- 12:30: Lunch, Union Ballroom, 2nd Floor
- 1:00-1:15: **Luncheon Brief:**
“Where Do We Go From Here: Your Organization, Your Voice and Planning For The Future”
Wendy Zubenko, EdD, MSN, PMHCNS-BC,
Incoming President, APNA-PA, Nick Croce,
APNA Executive Director
- 1:30--2:30 **Small Group Discussions:**
- 01 **Preparing for the future: Education decisions**
T. Hastings, D. Olive
- 02 **Integrating medical issues in treatment** G. Stern
- 03 **Diagnosis and treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders in Children and Adolescent** M. Souder
- 04 **Meeting the need: Geriatric** C. Levine
- 05 **Meeting the need:Gulf War Veterans Part I** E. Goldberg,
- 06 **Opportunities and Challenges for Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing: Q & A Forum for Nursing Students** W. Zubenko and J. Esser
- 2:30-2:45 **Break**
- 2:45-3:45 **Small Group Discussions:**
- 01 **Creating a voice in policy**
B. Snook/ C. Cope
- 02 **Understanding PTSD Strategies: Exposure therapy** D. Vallone
- 03 **Independent Practice 101: Reimbursement in clinical practice** S. Brann, L. Barkley
- 04 **Meeting the need: Co-morbid and somatic illnesses** P. Hentz
- 05 **Meeting the need: Returning Veterans and their families Part II** L. Ford and K. Beamer
- 06 **Innovations in treatment of drug and alcohol addiction** J. Smith
- 3:45-4:30 **Defining the next step: Challenge facing APNA-PA, closing remarks & evaluations**

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APNA Member	___\$75.00
Non-Member	___\$100.00
Student (with ID)	___\$40.00
La Salle Student (with ID)	___Free
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On-site Registration	___\$120.00

*Includes meals and handouts

REGISTRATION DEADLINE 3/20/09
Make check payable to: APNA-PA
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Vendors and Questions? Contact Diane
Wieland: Wieland@lasalle.edu or Sharon
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Hotel Accommodations:

A block of rooms has been reserved at:
Hilton Garden Inn
530 Pennsylvania Avenue
Fort Washington, PA 19034
215-646-4637

PA Chapter APNA rate

The rate is \$109.00 per room per night (plus tax); parking is free. Indoor pool, gym, wireless/hardwired Internet service and restaurant available. Rate is guaranteed if reservations are made on or before March 6, 2009.

When making your reservation please check the cancellation policy.

Conference Parking:

Parking will be available behind the Connelly Library, one light past 20th street, make a left into the lot. Students and faculty should park at Benilde Parking Lot, K Lot, and walk over to the union building. Directions from the hotel will be given out at the front desk of the hotel.

Conference Site for the Day at La Salle: Main Campus, Union Building. This is located across from the Library. Walk across 20th Street, on the Main Campus and through the gate. Continue a short distance to the Union building on your right. Dan Rodden theater is on the first floor. From Benilde, Tower (K Lot Parking Area): cross Chew Street, and walk on the walkway between the West campus and Main Campus.

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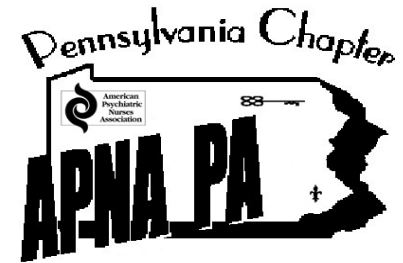
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Who should attend:

All nurses interested in psychiatric mental health of Pennsylvanians: hospital based, clinical nurse specialists, nurse practitioners, clinical educators

Other mental health disciplines welcome



“Psychiatric Nursing Policy, Practice and Advocacy: Creating a Voice for Mental Health Reform”

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(Meet at Hilton Garden Inn Lobby)

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Main Conference

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