16th ANNUAL Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) SUMMIT
Tuesday, July 18, 2017, 8:30 am – 5:00 pm
Arlington Gateway, 801 N Glebe Rd., Arlington, VA

AGENDA
Continental breakfast provided

8:30 am – 9:00 am  Continental Breakfast  All
9:00 am – 9:15 am  Welcome and Overview of Summit  Melinda Mercer Ray, ED
9:15 am – 9:45 am  Remarks from President  Vince Holly, NACNS President
9:45 am – 10:45 am  Campaign in the States to Modernize APRN Scope of Practice Laws  Andrea Brassard
10:45 am – 11:45 am  Discussion – Modernization of CNS Scope of Practice  Anne Hysong
11:45 am – 12:45 pm  Lunch and Informal Discussion
12:45 pm – 1:30 pm  NACNS Core Competencies and Statement  Carol Manchester
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm  NACNS Core Competencies – Discussion  Facilitator – Vince Holly
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm  Break
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm  Specialty – What is the Future?  Melinda Mercer Ray
• APRN Consensus Model
• NACNS Position Statement on Specialty
3:45 – 4:45 pm  Discussion – Specialty for the CNS  Anne Hysong, Facilitator
• The CNS role is built on specialty, are we adequately preparing students in specialty?
• How should a CNS’ specialty focus be measured?
• How does a CNS change specialties within their population focus?
• Given the withdraw of certain specialty competency exams, how will we identify specialty in the future for the CNS?
4:45 pm – 5:00 pm  Final Comments/Adjourn  All