Fifth Annual CNS Educator’s Forum
Westin Arlington Gateway

Monday, July 16, 2018 from 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM

1:00-1:05 PM  Setting the Stage
Susan Dresser, Chair, Planning Committee for Educator’s Forum and CNS Summit
Anne Hysong, President, NACNS

1:05-2:25 PM  Panel - Report from the 3rd Edition Statement on Clinical Nurse Specialist Practice and Education – Key Issues for Faculty Consideration*
Carol Manchester, Chair, NACNS Task Force for the Revision of the NACNS Statement on Education and Practice (CNS Statement Task Force) – 7 min
Jane Walker, Member, CNS Statement Task Force – 7 min

Attendees will discuss key issues at their tables
Roundtable Discussion: Integration of Revised CNS Statement Components – Education Guidelines and Core Competencies
What tools and resources are needed to integrate the core competencies and CNS statement within CNS education programs?

2:25-3:35 PM  Panel - Success Strategies for CNS Programs
Ginger Pierson, West Coast University – 5 min
Lynn Mohr, Rush University – 5 min
Susan Dresser, University of Oklahoma – 5 min

Attendees will discuss key issues at their tables
Roundtable Discussion – Strategies for Success
What success strategies will enhance the growth and development of CNS education programs?

3:35-3:50 PM  Break

3:50-4:40 PM  Impact of NACNS – Issues and Initiatives that Impact NACNS Education

A. CNS Certification for Family Across the Lifespan 3:50 – 4:05 PM
   Lola Coke, Member, Family Across the Lifespan (FALS) Task Force
B. Malnutrition Awareness 4:05 – 4:20 PM
   Susan Smith, Chair, NACNS Malnutrition Task Force; 2018 – 2020 NACNS Board Member – 7 min.

Group discussion 4:20 – 4:40 PM

4:40 – 5:50 PM  Panel - NSNA Outreach – Lessons Learned and What Next?
Anne Hysong, President, NACNS
Susan Smith, 2018 – 2020 NACNS Board Member
Ginger Pierson, 2018 – 2020 NACNS Board Member

- How can NACNS work with CNS faculty and programs to raise awareness of the CNS Role with NSNA and beyond?
- Is there a way to develop a consortium with the intent of raising the awareness of the CNS role and programs?
- How can NACNS help advertise your programs to potential students?

5:50-6:00 PM Evaluations and Closing

June 7, 2018

*Please read the Revised 3rd Ed. CNS Statement for Clinical Nurse Specialist Practice and Education. Additional CE will be provided for your review of this document.

4.5 CE without reading documents. 7.5 CE with reading documents.