



NACNS
2019 ANNUAL CONFERENCE
A Catalyst for Practice Change: The CNS

MARCH 6–9, 2019
Renaissance Orlando, SeaWorld, Orlando

NACNS 2019 Annual Conference
March 6-9, 2019
Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld®
Orlando, FL

Please Join Us

The National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists (NACNS) invites you to participate in the 2019 Annual Conference, *A Catalyst for Practice Change: The CNS*, which will be held from March 6 to March 9, 2019 at the Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld® in Orlando, Florida. The 2019 Annual Conference will provide you with a wide variety of research, educational, and networking opportunities.

Who Should Attend

NACNS members, clinical nurse specialists, faculty, and graduate students in doctoral and master's programs.

Schedule Highlights

WEDNESDAY, March 6, 2019

Pharmacology Pre-Conference Workshop 1

Pharmacologic Management of the Patient with Alcohol Withdrawal

7:30am – 9:00am

Karen Lorenz, Pharm.D.

South Seminole Hospital

Pharmacology Pre-Conference Workshop 2

Delerium and Pharmacology: What to Know to Improve Care

9:15am -10:45am

Chancey Carothers, Pharm.D., BCCCP

Orlando Regional Medical Center

Pharmacology Pre-Conference Workshop 3

Medications and Critical Decision-Making with the Septic Patient Session: The CNS Approach to Pharmacologic and Critical-Decision Making in the Care of the Septic Patient

11:00am – 12:30pm

Linda Thurby-Hay, DNP, RN, ACNS-BC

Bon Secours

Kim Noble, PhD, RN, ACCNS-AG, CPAN, FASPAN

Widener University

Judy Dusek, DNP, M.Ed., MSN, APRN-CNS, CMSRN, ACNS-BC

Christi Hospitals Wichita, Inc.

THURSDAY, March 7, 2019

Opening Keynote Address

Being a Catalyst for Change: The Role of Leadership

9:00am – 10:00am

COL Danny R. McKnight USA (Ret.)

SATURDAY, March 9, 2019

Closing Keynote Address

Turning the Tide on Incivility: Be a Catalyst for Change

Joy Longo, PhD, RNC-NIC

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Continuing Education: We anticipate approximately 16 hours will be offered for the main conference with **ADDITIONAL** hours available for the pre-conference workshop.

Schedule at a Glance

Wednesday, March 6, 2019

7:30am -12:30pm Pharmacology Pre-
Conference Session

1:30pm – 2:30pm Opening General
Session

2:45pm – 4:45pm **Concurrent Session A**
5 Educational Sessions

5:00pm – 6:15pm **Concurrent Session B**
7 Educational Sessions

6:30pm – 7:30pm Exhibitor Reception &
Poster Session

Thursday, March 7, 2019

9:00am – 10:00am Opening Keynote
Speaker

10:30am – 11:45am **Concurrent Session C**
8 Educational Sessions

11:45am – 1:30pm Exhibit Hall Opening &
Lunch

11:45am – 1:30pm NACNS New Member &
First Time Attendee
Lunch

1:45pm – 3:00pm **Concurrent Session D**
7 Educational Sessions

3:30pm – 4:45pm **Concurrent Session E**
7 Educational Sessions

5:00pm – 6:00pm Task Force Forums (2)

Friday, March 8, 2019

8:00am – 9:00am Task Force Forum (1)

9:15am – 10:15am General Session
Speaker

11:00am – 12:15pm **Concurrent Session F**
7 Educational Sessions

2:00pm – 3:15pm **Concurrent Session G**
7 Educational Sessions

3:45pm – 5:00pm **Concurrent Session H**
8 Educational Sessions

5:15pm – 6:15pm NACNS Annual
Business Meeting

Saturday, March 9, 2019

8:00am – 9:00am Task Force Forum (1)

9:15am – 10:30am **Concurrent Session J**
7 Educational Sessions

11:00am – 12:00pm Closing Keynote
Speaker

Hotel Information

Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld®
 6677 Sea Harbor Dr, Orlando, FL 32821
 (407) 351-5555

NACNS has secured a discounted rate of \$230.00 per night, plus applicable taxes for meeting attendees. Attendees are responsible for making their own hotel reservations. The [special NACNS rate](#) will be offered until February 4, 2019 at 5:00PM or until the group block is sold-out, whichever comes first. The discounted rate includes complimentary internet in the room.

Registration Information

	Early Bird (by 1/18/19)	Advance (by 2/18/19)	On-Site
Full Conference – Member	\$575	\$650	\$725
Full Conference – Student Member	\$496	\$495	\$495
Full Conference – Non-Member	\$875	\$875	\$960
Join & Register: Full Member	\$710	\$785	\$860
Join & Register: Student Member	\$595	\$595	\$595
Single Day – Member	\$375	\$375	\$410
Single Day – Student	\$300	\$300	\$300
Single Day – Non-Member	\$485	\$485	\$530

Pharmacology Pre-Conference Workshop – Wed., March 6th

Per Workshop

Member \$150
 Non-Member \$175

Full-Day Workshops (3)

Member \$350
 Non-Member \$475