

VNPA 26th Annual Conference - Register today!

Event Agenda

Thursday, March 31, 2016 at 4:00pm ET - Friday, April 1, 2016 at 9:00pm ET

i All times listed in Eastern Time (US & Canada).

Thursday, March 31, 2016

4:00pm - 5:30pm

Organizing & Networking

Mary Lee B. Ritter, APRN: Pediatrics University of Vermont Children's Hospital Michelle Wade, MSN/Ed, NP: Long Term Care Community Health Centers of the Rutland Region (CHCRR) Additional panelists to be announced

Join us as we gather to identify currently organized specialty groups of Vermont NPs. Representative from Peds, Psych, and Long Term Care will share their experience in organizing their specialty NP groups. Together we'll develop methods to share individual group expertise with nurse practitioners and other colleagues so that we can better advocate for ourselves and our patients.

5:30pm - 6:00pm

VNPA Business Meeting

6:00pm - 7:45pm

Dinner Discussion: Organize, Collaborate, Let's Go!

Cindy Cooke, DNP, FNP-C, FAANP: President, American Association of Nurse Practitioners

7:45pm - 8:45pm

Dessert Reception, stay tuned for details

Friday, April 1, 2016

7:30am - 8:15am

Registration | Exhibits | Breakfast

8:15am - 8:30am

Welcome

Amy M. O'Meara, DrNP, WHNP-BC: President Vermont Nurse Practitioners Association

8:30am - 9:30am

Keynote Address: Nurse Practitioners: Honoring Our Past; Energizing Our Future

Cindy Cooke, DNP, FNP-C, FAANP: President American Association of Nurse Practitioners

9:30am - 10:30am

Demystifying the Pharmacology and Therapeutics of Medical Cannabis

Karen M. Lounsbury, PhD: Professor of Pharmacology University of Vermont College of Medicine

10:30am - 11:00am

Break with Exhibitors

11:00am - 12:00pm

Concurrent Sessions: ~A~

A-1: Win C. Turner, PhD, LADC: Project Director, VTSBIRT Evidence Based Solutions A-1: Barb Rouleau, MSN, NP: Lecturer/Clinical Instructor University of Vermont A-2: Carol Wood-Koob, RN, CIC: Healthcare-Associated Infections Prevention Coordinator Vermont Department of Health

A-1: Screening, Brief Intervention, & Referral to Treatment: SBIRT: A Successful Model of Population- Based Behavioral Health Integration

A-2: Antibiotic Stewardship

12:00pm - 1:00pm
Lunch | Exhibits

1:00pm - 2:00pm

Concurrent Sessions: ~B~

Amy O'Meara, DrNP, WHNP-BC: Assistant Clinical Professor / Nurse Practitioner University of Vermont / Planned Parenthood Patricia Lewis, MSN, APRN: NP, Thrombosis & Hemostasis Program / NP, Volunteer University of Vermont Medical Center / Open Door Clinic

B-1: You are the Key to HPV Cancer Prevention: Understanding the Burden of HPV Disease

B-2: Agricultural Medicine Health & Safety Risk Assessment: an EMR Screening Tool

2:10pm - 3:10pm

Concurrent Sessions: ~C~

C-1: Jane Kaufman, PT, MEd, BCB-PMD: Physical Therapist; President Phoenix Physical Therapy C-2: Gary Starecheski, BSC Pharmacy: Clinical Staff Pharmacist University of Vermont Medical Center

C-1: Physical Therapy Treatment Options for Pelvic Pain

C-2: Management of Chronic Insomnia

3:10pm - 3:25pm

Afternoon Break

3:25pm - 4:25pm

Concurrent Sessions: ~D~

D-1: Matt Roginski, MD, MPH: Clinical Care Fellow Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center D-2: Allison Hall, MD: Asst. Professor of Psychiatry & Pediatrics University of Vermont College of Medicine

D-1: Done Fell Out: Making the Diagnosis in Syncope

D-2: Adverse Childhood Experiences: Where Do We Go From Here?