Professional Publications & Presentations

Our nurses write for prestigious publications and present at various professional meetings and conferences throughout the world.

Publications


Presentations


Kelly Finkbeiner, MSN, RN, CPNP, presented a poster, “Year of the Pancreas,” at the 18th Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Pediatric Surgical Nurses Association Conference, Fajardo, Puerto Rico, May 2009.


Sarah Martin, MS, RN CPNP-PC/AC, CCRN, Kelly Finkbeiner, MSN, RN, CPNP, and Cindy Kerr, MSN, RN, CPNP, presented a paper, “Bugle Below the Belt,” at the NAPNAP 2009, San Diego, CA March, 2009.


Maureen Haugen, MS, RN, CPNP, CPON, completed a webcast educational module for a collaborative project between pediatric oncology and adult cooperative groups entitled “Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia in the Adolescent and Young Adult: An Education Module for Clinical Trial CALGB 10403” and presented the project during the APHON/COG Nursing Workshop in Dallas, TX in March 2009. She also presented a poster, “Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia in the Adolescent and Young Adult: An Education Module for Clinical Trial, CALGB 10403,” at the National APHON Conference, Orlando, FL, September 2009.


Janice Beatty, BSN, RN, and Diane Calamaras, MSN, CPNP, presented a poster, “Fostering Adult Skills in Adolescent Thalassemia Patients,” the Ninth Cooley’s Anemia Symposium, New York, NY, October 2009.


Debbie Graves, BSN, RN, presented a paper, “Line Safety Continuous Medication Infusion Safety in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit,” at the Sixth Annual Nursing Research Symposium, Naperville, IL, November 2009

Michelle Stephenson, DNP, RN, presented a paper, “Implementing the Acuity Adaptable Care Model in a Pediatric Setting: Concept to Creation,” at the Sixth Annual Nursing Research Symposium, Naperville, IL, November 2009.

Sarah Martin, MS, RN, CPNP-PC/AC, presented a paper, “Publish Your Practice,” at the Sixth Annual Nursing Research Symposium, Naperville, IL, November 2009.

Alaina Moran, BS, BSN, RN, presented a poster that received top poster award recognition, “Bridging Gaps and Building Relationships Through Resident Orientation,” at the NACHRI National Conference in Orlando FL, October 2009.

Mary Palacz, BSN, RN, presented a paper, “Dravet Syndrome: Information for Nurses” at the Association of Child Neurology Nurses 2009 Annual Meeting held in conjunction with the Child Neurology Society Annual Meeting, in Louisville, KY, October 2009.

Karina Danner-Koptik, MSN, RN, CNS, CPON, presented a poster, “Neurocognitive outcomes of infants with acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL) undergoing a total body irradiation (TBI) containing myeloablative hematopoietic stem cell transplant (HSCT) before 18 months of age,” and is co-sponsor of a protocol, “Second malignancies in children who underwent autologous HSCT for solid tumors,” accepted for presentation during the Late Effects Committee meeting at the Center for International Blood & Marrow Transplant Research Meeting, Orlando, FL, February 2010.

Linda Sue Van Roeyen MS, RN, CSN, CCRP, FNP-BC, presented two papers, “Diversity, Children with special Healthcare Needs” and “Interactive Session: Health Policy” at the Society of Pediatric Nursing Conference, Atlanta, Georgia (2009).


Linda Duffy, RN, CPSN, CPN presented a poster presentation, “Feeding and growth rate in postoperative palatoplasty patient,” at the American Cleft Palate Association Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico, April, 2011.


Michelle Grimason, MSN, RN, CPNP presented a paper, “Neuro-monitoring in the PICU: What’s going on?” at the 2011 SCCM Critical Care Congress, San Diego, CA, January 2011..

Maureen Haugen, MS, RN, CPNP, CPON co-presented a paper, “ALL: A Clinical Trials Success Story,” at the 34th Annual APHON Conference, Minneapolis, MN, October 2010.


Maria Manuel-Rubio, MSN, RN, CPNP presented a poster, “Empiric elimination of only cow’s milk for the treatment of eosinophilic esophagitis,” at the NASPGHAN Annual Meeting, New Orleans, October 2010.

Sarah Martin, MS, RN, CPNP-AC/PC presented two papers, “International Adoption: A Personal & Professional Perspective,” and “Practice Pearls for Prescribing Parenteral Nutrition,” at the 32nd Annual NAPNAP Conference on Pediatric Health Care, Baltimore, MD, March 2011.


Tracy Norman, MSN, RN, CPNP, Suzanne Porfyris, MSN, RN, PCCNP, Sue Park, MSN, RN, CPNP and Sophia Taylor, MSN, RN, CPNP presented a paper, “Neuropathic Pain in Children,” at the 32nd Annual NAPNAP Conference on Pediatric Health Care, Baltimore, MD, March 2011.

Janice Nuahiwa, MSN, RN, CNS, CPON presented a paper, “The Role of Resiliency in Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Nursing: Exploring Experiences,” at the 34th Annual APHON Conference, Minneapolis, MN, October 2010.


Janis Rusin, MSN, RN, CPNP-AC and Mary Gomez, MSN, RN, CPNP presented a paper, “Stabilization and transport of the neonatal and pediatric patient,” at the Illinois Association of Air and Critical Care Transport (IAACCT) Safety day, Chicago, IL, May, 2011.
Janis Rusin, MSN, RN, CPNP-AC presented a paper, “Pediatric Burn Care and Toxic Ingestions,” at the Olivet Nazarene University Pediatric Conference in Chicago, IL, May, 2011.

Dawn Diaz Saldano, MSN, RN, CPNP presented a poster, “Telephone Triage as a Nursing Practice in Ambulatory,” at the American Academy of Ambulatory Care Nursing Conference, San Antonio, TX, April 2011.


Denise Stehman RN, CPN presented a paper, “Children's Memorial Hospital and the conversion to Interocan passive safety catheter,” at the B/Braun National sales conference in Orlando, FL, February 2011.

Julia O'Malley Stepenske, BSN, RN CPON presented a paper, “Survivor: Outwit-Outlast-Outplay The Challenge of Becoming a Survivor” at The School Re-Entry Program for Children with Cancer and Blood Disorders Conference, Stony Brook University Medical Center, Stony Brook, NY, October 27, 2010. And co-presented a national webinar with Karen Kinahan MS, RN, PCNS-BC, “Our Amazing Race; Navigating the Journey from Pediatric to Adult Cancer Survivor” at the APHON national headquarters here in Glenview Illinois, June 2010.
