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**Friday,  
September 29**



**12:00-1:00 p.m.  
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# Conference Welcome



## *Dear Colleagues:*

On behalf of the GAPNA Board of Directors and the National Office team, we welcome you to the 2023 GAPNA Annual Conference! I want to extend a special thank you to the 2023 Conference Planning Committee members, Patti Parker (chair), Donna Hamby, Cori Cunningham O'Neal, Michelle Moccia, Leslie Evertson, Rose Caumban, and Kimberly Posey as board liaison, for their time and effort in planning the diverse educational sessions.

Our association is now in its fourth decade dedicated to supporting gerontological advanced practice nurses as well as all nurses and interprofessionals dedicated to the care and well-being of older adults. We continue to support the personal and professional growth of our members through nursing continuing professional development, member engagement, networking, and advocacy opportunities.

Conference content will be presented by leading national experts and GAPNA leaders to address the latest information, evidence, and practice approaches relevant to advanced practice nurses and others caring for older adults. This year we welcome Dr. Alice Bonner, Senior Advisor for Aging for the Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI), Chair of the Moving Forward Nursing Home Quality Coalition, and Adjunct Faculty Member at the Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing, as keynote presenter to address "Taking Action Now: Moving Quality Forward."

This year marks a return to a completely in-person conference, with the option for those who are not able to be with us to purchase a bundled on-demand version of sessions post-conference. We look forward to having everyone be with us physically again to network and catch up with friends and colleagues! We hope that everyone will make sure to attend the GAPNA Gallery (our second year!). This networking reception will allow attendees to stop by different tables and learn more about our committees and special interest groups. Our goal is for everyone to feel welcomed and be engaged in this professional organization.

We invite all attendees to visit the GAPNA Conference Event Page, the main source of information for conference content, to participate in onsite discussions, virtual chats, social wall posts, and complete the conference session evaluations! Welcome and enjoy the conference!

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JL Kim'.

Jennifer L. Kim, DNP, GNP-BC, GS-C, FNAP, FAANP  
President, GAPNA

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**Follow the action on social media with #GAPNA23 on Facebook @GAPNA or on Twitter and Instagram @GAPNA\_HQ**

Let us know from where you're traveling, how sessions are going, or what you're doing in your down time.

Give your friends and colleagues at home a look into your conference experience when logging in from Facebook or Twitter.

Find us wherever you go! Get GAPNA news and updates instantly. Join the conversation with a community of colleagues who value what you have to say.





# Conference Schedule

## Tuesday, September 26, 2023

4:00 pm – 7:00 pm Registration Open

## Wednesday, September 27, 2023

7:00 am – 7:00 pm Registration Open

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Pre-Conference Workshop

### 010 Dementia Care Specialist Clinical Skills Training – R

(7.0 CH which includes 2.25 hours of pharmacology credit)

Michelle Panlilio, DNP, GNP-BC; Carolyn Clevenger, DNP, GNP-BC, AGPCNP-BC, FAANP, FGSA, FAAN; Sherry Greenberg, PhD, RN, GNP-BC, FGSA, FNAP, FAANP, FAAN; J. Michelle Moccia, DNP, ANP-BC, GS-C; Jennifer Serafin, MS, BSN, GNP-BC, GS-C

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify at least three changes to practice related to assessment and management of persons living with dementia and their caregivers.

**Sponsored by UCLA and The John A. Hartford Foundation**

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Pre-Conference Workshop

### 020 Essentials for APRNs in Post-Acute and Long-Term Care – R

(7.0 CH which includes 1.8 hours of pharmacology credit)

Natalie Baker, DNP, CRNP, GS-C, CNE, FAANP, FAAN; Maria Baxter, MSN, CRNP; Wendy Belden, DNP, RN, GNP-BC; Margaret Huryk, DNP, APN-BC; Kanah May Lewallen, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, GNP-BC; Abigail Luck Parish, DNP, ANP-BC; Christina Ramsey, MSN, GNP-BC, LNCC; Tomika Williams, PhD, AGNP-C, CDP

Additional presenter support: Jennifer Kim, DNP, GNP-BC, GS-C, FNAP, FAANP

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report that they are prepared to manage patients in PAC/LTC with consideration to the unique cultural and regulatory context.

12:00 pm – 5:00 pm Pre-Conference Workshop

### 030 Clinical Review of Pharmacology – R

(4.5 CH which includes 4.5 hours of pharmacology credit)

Jonathan Newsome, PharmD, BCGP

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to list at least two new medications that are used in the treatment of older adult patients.

12:30 pm – 5:00 pm (tee time) GAPNA Foundation Golf Outing – Audubon Park Club

This golf club is right in the heart of the city and offers 12 par three holes, four par 4s, and two par 5s. The course is ideal for beginner golfers as well as experienced golfers. It is scenically located in the beautiful Audubon Park! Our goal is to have a good time, with no pressure. We play a “best ball” match. All golfers are welcome to join in on the fun. Pre-registration is required for this event.

#### Session Key

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**4:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

*Dinner will be provided. Attendees will be admitted on a first-come basis.*

## **Overactive Bladder Bootcamp: Update on Current Treatment Approaches**

*Jeffrey Frankel, MD; Diane Newman, DNP, CRNP, FAAN, BCB-PMD*

This program will discuss the unique role of advanced practice nurses in the management of urology conditions in older adults, specifically lower urinary tract symptoms; review opportunities for improving overactive bladder symptom recognition and strategies for managing care using challenging patient cases; and share best practices and insights on addressing compliance challenges, the use of telemedicine, and addressing communication gaps related to OAB management in older adults.

***Supported by Sumitomo Pharma America, Inc.***

**6:45 pm – 9:00 pm**

**Evening Session**

## **040 Pain Addressing Management and Opioids:**

### **Balancing Risks & Benefits – R**

**(2.0 CH which includes 1.0 hour of pharmacology credit\*)**

*Wendy Wright, DNP, ANP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN, FNAP*

**Learning outcome:** There is a need for advanced practice nurses to increase their knowledge and skills regarding the latest evidence for managing pain in patients and to apply that information to their practices to improve their patient outcomes. This newly updated course is designed to meet the FDA's Opioid Analgesic REMS. By the end of this session, the learner will be able to:

- 1) Describe the pathophysiology of pain as it relates to the concepts of pain management.
- 2) Accurately assess patients in pain.
- 3) Develop a safe and effective pain treatment plan.
- 4) Identify evidence-based non-opioid options for the treatment of pain.
- 5) Identify the risks and benefits of opioid therapy.
- 6) Manage ongoing opioid therapy.
- 7) Recognize behaviors that may be associated with opioid use disorder.

The course curriculum is fully compliant with the FDA's September 2018 FDA Blueprint for Opioid Analgesic REMS Education and the 2022 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Clinical Practice Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Pain. This session also meets many states' requirements for controlled substances CE.

The curriculum was developed by the Collaborative for REMS Education (CO\*RE) <http://core-rems.org> and is supported by an independent educational grant from the Opioid Analgesic REMS Program Companies (RPC).

Presented in partnership with the **Nurse Practitioner HealthCare Foundation**, a member of the **CO\*RE Collaborative**, nine interdisciplinary organizations working together to improve pain management and prevent adverse outcomes.

\*The Nurse Practitioner Healthcare Foundation (NPHF) is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. NPHF is awarding the contact hours and is responsible for adherence to the ANCC criteria.

**Criteria for Awarding Contact Hours:** This course provides 2.00 contact hours. Criteria for awarding the contact hour includes completion of the course, evaluation and post-test.

**Accredited Provider Disclosure:** As a provider dedicated to independent education and accredited by the ANCC, NPHF must ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor in all its educational activities. All individuals with the ability to influence the content of this educational activity reported the following: none of the faculty advisors, reviewers or planners for this educational activity have relevant financial relationships with ineligible companies to disclose.

Wendy Wright, DNP, ANP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN, FNAP, faculty for this educational event, is on the

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speaker bureau of Biohaven and Abbvie, and is a consultant for GSK, Bayer, and Shield Therapeutics. Relevant financial relationships have been mitigated.

**Commercial Support:** This activity is supported by an independent educational grant from the Opioid Analgesics REMS Program Companies (RPC). Please see [https://www.opioidanalgesicrems.com/Resources/Docs/List\\_of\\_RPC\\_Companies.pdf](https://www.opioidanalgesicrems.com/Resources/Docs/List_of_RPC_Companies.pdf) for a listing of REMS Program Companies.

## Thursday, September 28, 2023

**6:30 am – 5:00 pm**      **Registration Open**

**7:00 am – 8:00 am**      **Coffee Service**

**8:00 am – 8:15 am**      **President's Welcome**  
*Jennifer Kim, DNP, GNP-BC, GS-C, FNAP, FAANP*

**8:15 am – 9:15 am**      **Keynote Address**  
**120 Taking Action Now: Moving Quality Forward**  
**(1.0 CH)**

*Alice Bonner, PhD, RN, FAAN, FAANP*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe at least two ways that the Moving Forward Coalition and supporting organizations are addressing quality improvement issues in US nursing homes.

**9:15 am – 10:45 am**      **Grand Opening of the Exhibit Hall/Poster Viewing**  
During this time attendees can network with exhibitors, view posters, and participate in the GAPNA Foundation basket raffle.

**10:45 am – 12:15 pm**      **General Session**  
**130 PAC/LTC Regulation Update: What You Don't Know May Surprise You!**  
**(1.5 CH)**

*Christina Ramsey, MSN, GNP-BC, LNCC; Margaret Huryk, DNP, ANP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe the regulatory environment in nursing facilities that affect APRN practice.

**12:30 pm – 1:30 pm**      **Industry-Supported Presentation Theaters**

*Lunch will be provided. Attendees will be admitted on a first-come basis.*

**Discover the Impact of GEMTESA. An Effective OAB Treatment:  
A Fresh Look at OAB Management in Long-Term Care Settings**

*Richard G. Stefanacci, DO, MGH, MBA, AGSF, CMD*

GEMTESA is a  $\beta$ 3-adrenergic agonist indicated for the treatment of overactive bladder (OAB) with symptoms of urge urinary incontinence, urgency, and urinary frequency in adults.

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## 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Industry-Supported Presentation Theaters

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### The Impact of TD in LTC: Recognizing and Treating Tardive Dyskinesia in Long-Term Care

*Moderator: Todd Leland*

*Amber R. Hoberg, PMHNP*

Older patients and residents with tardive dyskinesia require special considerations. Learn about symptoms, prevalence, and management guidelines for TD in this population. Faculty will share clinical data for an FDA-approved treatment option for adults with tardive dyskinesia and highlight first-of-its-kind data from a post hoc analysis of safety and efficacy for adults aged 65 years and older. Participants will also be able to examine the case of a real patient with tardive dyskinesia by observing videos of the patient before and after treatment.

**Supported by Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc.**

## 1:40 pm – 2:40 pm Concurrent Sessions

### 141 Weight Bias in the Acute Care Setting: Recognition and Mitigation – AC (1.0 CH)

*Gregory Marler, DNP, APRN, ACNP, FCCP*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to discuss methods of reducing weight bias for the older adult in the acute care setting.

### 142 PrEP 101 for the NP Primary Care Provider – R (1.0 CH which includes 0.5 hours of pharmacology credit)

*Alanna Steaple, MSN, APRN, AGPCNP-BC, AACRN; Michelle Sariev, APRN-BC, AAHIVS*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe PrEP prophylaxis and name the medications used for PrEP.

### 143 Transitional Care Interventions for Older Adults (1.0 CH)

*Mariya Kovaleva, PhD, RN, AGPCNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe the major transitional care interventions that have been implemented in the US in the last two decades.

## 2:50 pm – 3:50 pm Concurrent Sessions

### 151 Ultrasound – Part 1: Didactic – AC (1.0 CH)

*Somali Nguyen, DNP, CRNP, AGACNP-BC; Rebecca Suttle, DNP, CRNP, AGACNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify key aspects of the ultrasound machine and explain indications and techniques for performing the FAST and RUSH exams.

### 152 Polypharmacy Less Is More – R (1.0 CH which includes 1.0 hours of pharmacology credit)

*Casey Fowler, DNP, ARNP, FNP-C, GS-C*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to discuss the implications of polypharmacy and deprescribing efforts.



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## 153 Death Certificates: History, Importance, and the Responsibility of the Advanced Practice Nurse

(1.0 CH)

*Maureen Beck, DNP, APRN, GNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to explain the essential information needed to complete the standard death certificate form.

### 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Concurrent Sessions

## 161 Ultrasound – Part 2 Application – AC

(1.0 CH)

*Tickets are required to participate in the hands-on portion of this session. Other attendees are welcome to observe.*

*Somali Nguyen, DNP, CRNP, AGACNP-BC; Rebecca Suttle, DNP, CRNP, AGACNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to perform the FAST and RUSH exams while identifying acute pathological conditions.

***This session will not appear in the GAPNA Online Library.***

## 162 Recognition, Diagnosis, and Management of Abnormal Liver Chemistries in the Older Adult: A Guide for the Advanced Practice Practitioner in the Acute and Outpatient Settings

(1.0 CH)

*Anna Boone, PhD, ANP-BC; Chelsea Carlan, MSN, APRN, AGNP-C*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify potential etiologies and appropriate management of the older adult presenting with abnormal liver chemistries.

## 163 How to Translate Clinical Knowledge into Research

(1.0 CH)

*Mariya Kovaleva, PhD, RN, AGPCNP-BC; Sharon Bronner, DNP, MSN, ACHPN, GNP-BC, RYT-500; J. Michelle Moccia, DNP, ANP-BC, GS-C*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe how nurses may leverage their clinical experience for the formulation of research questions and conduct of research studies.

### 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm Exhibit Hall Open/Poster Viewing

During this time attendees can network with exhibitors, view posters, and participate in the GAPNA Foundation basket raffle.

### 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm Industry-Supported Presentation Theater

*Dinner will be provided. Attendees will be admitted on a first-come basis.*

## Agitation Associated with Dementia Due to Alzheimer's Disease: Experts Discuss Treatment Considerations and Current Guidelines

*Meenakshi Patel, MD, FACP, MMM, CMD; Cristi Bundakamara, Ed.D, PMHNP-BC*

This program will highlight the importance of engaging patients and caregivers in discussions about agitation associated with Alzheimer's dementia. In addition, the audience will review case studies involving hypothetical caregivers and patients with agitation associated with Alzheimer's dementia, illustrating the importance of collaboration in diagnosing and managing patients. Finally, the audience will review the current clinical care landscape for treatment of agitation associated with dementia due to Alzheimer's disease.

***Supported by Otsuka America Pharmaceutical, Inc. & Lundbeck***

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## Friday, September 29, 2023

### 6:00 am – 7:45 am Foundation Fun Run/Walk

We welcome all runners and walkers to join us for a stroll down the road for some of the famous New Orleans beignets and coffee/tea. Bring cash for beignets/coffee in case you need to stock up for the walk back. The first 10 people to arrive in the lobby get a free beignet. Pre-registration is required for this event.

### 6:30 am – 5:00 pm Registration Open

#### 7:00 am – 8:00 am Industry-Supported Breakfast Symposium (1.0 CH\*)

*Breakfast will be provided. Attendees will be admitted on a first-come basis.*

#### **200 Parkinson's Disease Psychosis: Managing Complex Patients with Behavioral Manifestations**

*Fay Bemby, MSN, RN, FNP-BC, PMHNP-BC; Susan Scanland, MSN, CRNP, GNP-BC, CDP, CSP*

Parkinson's disease psychosis (PDP), particularly with behavioral manifestations, is a complex debilitating condition that needs early identification and treatment with non-pharmacologic and pharmacologic interventions. Advanced practice nurses (NP) are at the forefront of managing and coordinating care for these patients, especially in the long-term care setting. The focus of this case-based activity is for NP to become more adept at identifying PDP and develop person-centered non-pharmacologic and pharmacologic management plans for older adults with PDP who exhibit behavioral disturbances.

**\*Contact hour (CH) awarded by sponsor.**

**Supported by MedEdicus, LLC**

### 8:15 am – 9:15 am General Session

#### **210 Health Affairs' Work with Coalitions (1.0 CH)**

*Donna Hamby, DNP, RN, ACNP-BC; Evelyn Duffy, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, FAANP; Deborah Wolff Baker, MSN, ACHPN, FNP-BC, GS-C*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to discuss healthcare policy issues that affect older adults and apply the GAPNA Health Affairs toolkit for advocacy.

### 9:15 am – 10:45 am Exhibit Hall Open/Poster Viewing

During this time attendees can network with exhibitors, view posters, and participate in the GAPNA Foundation basket raffle.

### 10:45 am – 11:45 am General Session

#### **220 When Grandma Really Has "Seen It All": Trauma-Informed Care in Assisted Living (1.0 CH)**

*Maria Baxter, MSN, CRNP*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify prevalent types of trauma in assisted living residents.

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## 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Industry-Supported Presentation Theaters

Lunch will be provided. Attendees will be admitted on a first-come basis.

### Implementing Customized Wound Treatment Plans for the Complex Patient

Moderator: Kristina Tiskowitz, MSN, RN, CWS

Amy Bruggemann, MSN, APRN-BC, CWS

The T.I.M.E. principles of wound bed preparation in the management of chronic wounds describe using Tissue, Infection, Moisture, and Edge as the framework. T.I.M.E. offers a systemic approach to wound healing by eliminating the necrosis, controlling the inflammation or infection, restoring the proper moisture balance, and promoting epithelial edge advancement. Join us for this educational event where you will learn how to decide the right treatment at the right time utilizing the T.I.M.E. clinical decision support tool.

**Supported by Smith&Nephew**

### IDgenetix PGx Testing Can Help Guide Neuropsychiatric Medication Selection and Management for Older Adults

Raymond A. Lorenz, PharmD, BCPP

Pharmacogenomic (PGx) testing has been shown to improve patient outcomes in multiple therapeutic areas and patient types, including older adults who are more likely to experience polypharmacy, inappropriate medication use, and adverse effects. Multiple factors must be considered when managing older adults' medication regimens, such as comorbidities, concurrent medications, and lifestyle factors. IDgenetix assesses drug-gene interactions, drug-drug interactions, and drug-lifestyle interactions to generate an actionable report that can help clinicians choose medications that are not only genetically appropriate, but also clinically appropriate. This presentation will review the evidence supporting the use of IDgenetix in older adult populations.

**Supported by Castle Biosciences**

## 1:15 pm – 2:15 pm Concurrent Sessions

### 231 Hematologic/Oncologic Emergencies – AC

(1.0 CH)

Rebecca Suttle, DNP, CRNP, AGACNP-BC

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to recognize the most common oncologic emergencies and describe their initial management, taking into consideration the older adult population.

### 232 Wound Pathway to Reduce Hospital Readmissions

(1.0 CH)

Ron Ordona, DNP, FNP-BC, GS-C, WCC; Holly Kirkland-Kyhn, PhD, FNP, GNP, CWCN, FAANP

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify hospital to community transition-of-care (TOC) modalities for wound management.

### 233 Recognition and Management of Osteoporosis

(1.0 CH)

Cynthia Gerstenlauer, ANP-BC, GCNS-BC

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to have a clinically relevant approach for interpretation of a DXA scan to better recognize and manage osteoporosis.

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**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**

## **Last Opening of the Exhibit Hall/Poster Viewing**

During this time attendees can network with exhibitors, view posters, and participate in the GAPNA Foundation basket raffle. GAPNA Foundation raffle basket and Passport for Prizes winners will be announced.

**3:15 pm – 4:15 pm**

## **Concurrent Sessions**

### **241 Post-Intensive Care Syndrome (PICS): Prevention to Recovery – AC**

**(1.0 CH)**

*Heather Dunn, PhD, ARNP, ACNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify evidence-based approaches for PICS preventative critical care.

### **242 Mending the Heart and Mind – The Intersection of Cardiovascular Disorders and Geropsychiatry – R**

**(1.0 CH which includes 0.3 hours of pharmacology credit)**

*George Peraza-Smith, DNP, A-GNP-C, GNP-BC, GS-C, CNE, FAANP; Tamatha Arms, PhD, DNP, PMHNP-BC, NP-C; Sharon Bronner, DNP, MSN, ACHPN, GNP-BC, RYT500; Cecilia Nwogu, DNP, PMHNP, GNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify multiple factors impacting older adults with comorbid cardiovascular and psychiatric conditions.

### **243 Hearing Loss: The Invisible Disability Impacting Cognition, Falls, and Function and Practical Communication Strategies**

**(1.0 CH)**

*Joanne Miller, PhD, APRN, GNP-BC; Carol Johnson, MEd, BS*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to state at least three interventions for various levels of hearing loss.

**4:15 pm – 5:30 pm**

## **GAPNA Gallery**

Conference attendees are welcome to find their home within GAPNA and network with GAPNA Committee & Special Interest Group (SIG) Chairs at this wine and cheese event.

**5:45 pm – 7:00 pm**

## **Industry-Supported Presentation Theater**

*Dinner will be provided. Attendees will be admitted on a first-come basis.*

### **Preparing for a Shift in Alzheimer's Disease Management**

*Susan Scanland, MSN, CRNP, GNP-BC, CDP; Susan Steen, MD*

Please join us as distinguished faculty provide their insights on the evolving diagnostic and treatment landscape in Alzheimer's disease (AD) care. The speakers will offer their perspectives on the patient journey and role of advanced practice nurses (APNs) in AD care through topics including: diagnostic workflow changes utilizing traditional and novel clinical tools, including during referral; increasing the workforce to detect early stages of AD; assessing patient appropriateness and implementation of potential disease-modifying treatments (DMTs); and appropriate safety monitoring of DMTs. Overall, this session aims to provide perspective to APNs for the adoption of the evolving AD treatment landscape.

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**7:15 pm – 10:00 pm**

## **Foundation Activity - NOLA Brewery/Crawfish Boil**

Join us at New Orleans' largest and fastest-growing craft brewery for an evening of fun and food. We'll be serving a selection of regional favorites including boiled shrimp, muffulettas, and boudin egg rolls. The taps will of course be open, and they'll be pouring award-winning favorites from Urban South Brewery all evening. Not a big beer drinker? We've got you covered with an array of Urban South's house-made hard seltzers, lemonade, and non-alcoholic IPA. While you're there take a few minutes to learn more about how your beer is made. Our experienced tour guides will be on hand to give you a behind-the-scenes look at how beer goes from barley to barrel. Pre-registration is required for this event. Registration is limited to 100 participants.

## Saturday, September 30, 2023

**7:30 am – 4:00 pm**

### **Registration Open**

**7:30 am – 8:00 am**

### **Coffee Service**

**8:15 am – 9:15 am**

### **General Session (1.0 CH)**

#### **310 Post-Acute Care of the Older Adult**

*Suzanne Gillespie, MD, RD, CMD*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to discuss important quality improvement issues for PALTC and describe strategies to improve nursing home care.

**9:30 am – 11:30 am**

### **In-Depth Focus Sessions**

#### **321 Project Podium Presentations**

**(2.0 CH)**

#### **Screening for Social Isolation in Medicare Advantage Members Engaged High-Risk Care Management**

*Emily Nicoli, MS, RN, CRNP, AGNP-C, ACHPN*

#### **Aligning Older Adult Clinical Video Simulations with the AACN Essentials**

*Laurie Kennedy-Malone, PhD, GNP-BC, FAANP, FGSA, FAAN*

#### **Advanced Practice Providers and the Hospice Certification of Terminal Illness Research Survey – Anecdotal Evidence**

*Deborah Wolff Baker, MSN, ACHPN, FNP-BC, GS-C; Evelyn Duffy, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, FAANP; Jeanette Meyer, MSN, RN, CCRN-K, CCNS, PCCN-K, ACHPN*

#### **Moving Needles: Quality Improvement Project to Improve Immunization Rates among Residents and Staff in PALTC**

*David Casey, PhD*

#### **Strategies to Implement Immersive Virtual Reality in Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Education**

*Sara McCumber, DNP, APRN, CNP, CNS; Patricia Earley, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC; Laura Smith, MSN, RN, PHN*

#### **Exploring Cognitive Impairments' Impact on Residents' Heart Failure Burden**

*Candace Harrington, PhD, DNP, APRN, AGPCNP-BC, CNE, FAAN*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify the key findings of each presentation and discuss the limitations and implications for future practice.

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## 322 Lightning Talk Sessions

(2.0 CH)

### **Older Adults with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Understand, Accommodate, and Improve Outcomes**

*Connie Kartzog, PhD, RN, FNP-BC; Chase Eisenberg, BSNc*

### **Caring for the Older Adult during Extreme Temperatures**

*Ann Marie Kriebel-Gasparro, DrNP, FNP, GNP, FAANP*

### **Building and Retaining Teams through Leadership Culture**

*Casey Fowler, DNP, ARNP, FNP-C, GS-C*

### **Shaking, Shuffling, Sweating: Lewy Body Dementia Recognition**

*Nanette Lavoie-Vaughan, DNP, CDCP, ANP-C*

### **Amplifying the Voice of Older Adults through a Systematic Approach to Identifying Priorities and Aligning Care: Using Patient Priorities Care to Find Out What Matters Most**

*Erica Frechman, PhD, AGPCNP-BC, ACHPN, NEA-BC, FPCN*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe to identify the key findings of each presentation and discuss the limitations and implications for future practice.

## 323 How a Fresh Food Rx Program for Older Adults Changed My Approach to Care

(2.0 CH)

*Rachel Zimmer, DNP, RN, AGPCNP-C, IS®*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify the process of starting a food prescription program and summarize how food Rx programs can inform a larger plan for addressing social drivers of health.

11:45 am – 1:30 pm

## 330 Membership Meeting & Awards Ceremony Luncheon

Join your colleagues during this special luncheon as awards are presented to the 2023 GAPNA Excellence, Foundation, and Poster and Podium Presentation Awards. The incoming members of the Board of Directors will be introduced. This is a ticketed event and pre-registration is required to attend. Guest passes are available for purchase.

1:45 pm – 2:45 pm

## Concurrent Sessions

### 341 Delirium in the Acute Care Setting – AC

(1.0 CH)

*Deanna Adams, DNP, APRN, FNP-C, GS-C, AGACNP-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to identify delirium, the causes of delirium, and evidence-based treatment of delirium.

# Conference Schedule

## 342 Enhancing Early Detection of Dementia in Primary Care with the GSA KAER Framework

(1.0 CH)

*Jennifer Pettis, MS, RN, CNE; Carolyn Clevenger, DNP, GNP-BC, AGPCNP-BC, FAANP, FGSA, FAAN*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to describe the KAER framework and recognize opportunities to enhance workflows in their practice to improve detection of cognitive impairment.

## 343 Caring for the Older Male Patient: Screening and Management of Chronic Diseases

(1.0 CH)

*Ann Kriebel-Gasparro, DrNP, FNP, GNP, FAANP*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to summarize the rationale for using the USPSTF recommendations for older male patients.

**3:00 pm – 4:00 pm                      General Session**

## 350 Hospital at Home: An Overview Outline The Historical Perspective of Hospital at Home (HaH)

(1.0 CH)

*Joseph White, DNP, MSHQS, RN, NE-BC*

**Learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to outline the historical perspective of hospital at home (HaH) and identify why there is a shift in moving more care to the home setting and how this benefits certain patients.

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# Foundation Awards

Membership Meeting & Awards Luncheon  
Saturday, September 30, 2023

<b>Presidents Welcome and Business Meeting</b>	Jennifer Kim
<b>Passing of Gavel and Incoming President Remarks</b>	Ann Marie Kriebel-Gasparro
<b>Adjournment of Business Meeting</b>	Ann Marie Kriebel-Gasparro
<b>Foundation Awards Presentation</b>	Jennifer Serafin
<b>GAPNA Podium and Poster Award Presentations</b>	Sharon Wexler and Sara McCumber
<b>GAPNA Awards for Excellence Presentation</b>	Brette Svensson

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## GAPNA Foundation Award (\$2,000)

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This award focuses on improving care for older adults.

### The 2023 Awardees are:

- Lynn Roser, PhD, CNS, CIS, FAPIC: "Trajectories of Anxiety and Depressive Symptoms in Older Adults with Long COVID-19/Post COVID-19 Infection"
- Tracey Chan, PhD, ANP-BC: "Intra-professional Dementia Care Simulation"

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## GAPNA Foundation Research/Clinical Project Grant Award (\$2,000/each)

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The Research/Clinical Project Grants fund a proposed research project and a clinical project. These grant proposals generate new evidence to examine, provide support for decision-making in clinical practice, are outcomes-based, and designed to measure and improve health outcomes for older adults.

**The 2023 Awardee for Clinical Project is:** Annie Li Wong, MS, APRN, GNP: "Feasibility of Project Nurse Lead Social Prescription Program to Decrease Loneliness and Social Isolation in People with Parkinson's Disease."

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## David Butler Spirit of GAPNA Award (\$1,000)

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This grant was established to honor David H. Butler, past Vice President for Johnson & Johnson USA, who was a strong advocate and supporter of GAPNA. This award, given by the Foundation, is for a GAPNA member who demonstrates an outstanding commitment to the mission and goals of GAPNA.

**The 2023 Awardee is:** Marianne Shaughnessy, PhD, AGPCNP-BC, GS-C, FAAN

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## Virginia Lee Cora Research Grant (\$2,000)

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This memorial grant was established in honor of Dr. Virginia Lee Cora, a found member of the GAPNA Foundation. The grant focuses on APRNs working with older adults and their families (can be non-traditional families).

**The 2023 Awardee for the Virginia Lee Cora Research Grant is:** Candace C. Harrington, PhD, DNP, APRN, AGPCNP-BC, CNE, FAAN: "Improving Transitions in Care from Long-Term Care to Home."



# Foundation Awards

## **Barbara Resnick Health Promotion Grant (\$2,000)**

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This grant was funded by a generous donation from Dr. Barbara Resnick to focus on research regarding health promotion for older adults.

**The 2023 Awardee is:** Anna Forster, PhD, RN: "Validity and Feasibility of Affect Measures and Accelerometer Use in Older Adult Farmers to Improve Physical Activity."

## **AMDA Foundation Futures Educational Grant**

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The AMDA Foundation provides residents, fellows and APRNs who are interested in long term care practice with the opportunity to participate in the AMDA Foundation Futures Program. The Futures Program is held during the annual Long-Term Care Medicine Conference (March). This intensive learning experience is designed to teach residents, fellows and APRNs to practice optimally in long term care settings. All participants chosen for this competitive award receive admission to the AMDA Foundation Futures Program, registration to the LTC Medicine Annual Symposium, AMDA membership for one year, and access to an AMDA Mentoring Program.

**The 2023 Awardee is:** Marci Beard, NP

# GAPNA Poster and Podium Awards

**The awards will be presented live during the Membership Meeting and Awards Luncheon.**

## **GAPNA Podium Award Presentation (Funded by the GAPNA Foundation)**

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The GAPNA Foundation Podium Award is provided to a short podium presentation as reviewed and selected by members of the GAPNA Research and Education Committees. Award selection is based on interest to advanced practice nursing, contribution to the care of older adults, clarity, and content.

## **GAPNA Poster Awards Presentation (funded by the GAPNA Foundation)**

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## **The GAPNA DNP/PhD Poster Award**

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The GAPNA DNP/PhD Poster Award is provided to a poster presentation as reviewed and selected by members of the GAPNA Research and Education Committees. Award selection is based on interest to advanced practice nursing, and contributions to the care of older adults, clarity and content.



# **GAPNA Awards for Excellence**

## **Innovative Project Excellence Award**

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The GAPNA Innovative Project Award is given to a Committee or Special Interest Group (SIG) that exemplifies GAPNA's mission to enhance and promote the care of older adults. The Committee or SIG should demonstrate, through the use of gerontological nursing principles, outstanding innovative projects or initiatives to benefit GAPNA membership, gerontological advanced practice nursing, and/or care of older adults.

**The 2023 Winner is: Education Committee**

## **Chapter Excellence Award**

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The Established Chapter Excellence Award honors a chapter that best promotes the goals of the Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association (GAPNA) through its member relationships, professional activities, and promotion of advanced practice gerontological nursing throughout the local, regional, and/or state during the past year.

**The 2023 Winner: Great Lakes Chapter**

## **Excellence in Community Service**

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This award for outstanding community service is for an individual who demonstrates a commitment to service to the community. This commitment is demonstrated through the development or participation in programs that go well beyond the traditional service role of their profession. The award highlights community service as an important element of the mission of nursing professionals and singles out individuals who serve as examples of social responsiveness on the part of the nursing community.

**The 2023 Winner is: Jennifer Young, MSN, APRN, AGPCNP-C**

## **Excellence in Clinical Practice**

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This award for outstanding clinical practice is for an individual who demonstrates a commitment to geriatric clinical practice. This award acknowledges an individual who demonstrates, through the use of geriatric principles, outstanding geriatric care that goes well beyond the traditional service role of their profession. The award highlights clinical practice as an important element of the mission of nursing professionals and singles out individuals who serve as examples of geriatric expertise.

**The 2023 Winner is: Amanda Federovich-Hogan, DNP, MBA, RN, NP-C, CNRN, ACHPN, GS-C**



# GAPNA Awards for Excellence

## Excellence in Education

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The award for excellence in education recognizes an individual involved in the teaching and/or design of gerontological nurse practitioner curriculum or course content. The faculty member will demonstrate knowledge of the care of older adults and the ability to translate that knowledge to enhance students' understanding in innovative ways. The faculty member will encourage and inspire advanced practice students to develop their excellence in gerontology. In addition to excellence in teaching, the faculty member will exhibit excellence in practice and service to the community.

**The 2023 Winner is: Sharon Stahl Wexler, PhD, RN, GCNS-BC, FNGNA**

## Excellence in Leadership

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This award for outstanding leadership is for an individual who demonstrates a commitment to geriatrics; through direct care, education and/or research. This award is for an individual who demonstrates the tenacity to advocate, through a variety of means, for geriatric education and care in a variety of settings that goes well beyond the traditional service role of their profession. The award highlights leadership as an important element of the mission of nursing professionals and singles out individuals who serve as examples of geriatric expertise.

**The 2023 Winner is: Evelyn Duffy, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, FAANP**

## Excellence in Research

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This award for research is for an individual who demonstrates a commitment to research in nursing that benefits the geriatric community. This commitment is demonstrated through the development or participation in research projects that emphasize or go beyond the traditional service role of their profession. The award highlights research as an important element of the mission of nursing professionals and singles out individuals who serve as examples of nursing scientists within the nursing community.

**The 2023 Winner is: Candace Harrington, PhD, DNP, APRN, AGPCNP-BC, CNE, FAAN**

## Health Affairs Scholarship Winners

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This scholarship provides assistance to a GAPNA member who wishes to attend the annual American Association of Nurse Practitioners (AANP) Health Policy Conference.

**The 2023 Winner: Lois M. Chappell**

# 2023 Strategic Partners

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# 2023 Program-At-A-Glance



## Tuesday, September 26, 2023

*All times: Central Time (CT)*

**4:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

**Registration Open**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

## Wednesday, September 27, 2023

*All times: Central Time (CT)*

**7:00 am – 7:00 pm**

**Registration Open**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**8:00 am – 4:30 pm Pre-Con Workshop**

**010: DCS Clinical Skills Training**

**Location:** Celestin A

**8:00 am – 4:30 pm Pre-Con Workshop**

**020: Essentials for APRNs in Post-Acute & Long-Term**

**Location:** Imperial 5

**12:00 pm – 5:00 pm Pre-Con Workshop**

**030: Pharmacology**

**Location:** Celestin D

**12:30 pm – 5:00 pm**

**GAPNA Foundation Golf Outing**

**Location:** Off-Site

**4:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

**Sumitomo Pharma: Overactive Bladder Bootcamp**

**Location:** Celestin B

**6:45 pm – 9:00 pm Evening Session**

**040: Pain Management & Opioids**

**Location:** Celestin D

## Thursday, September 28, 2023

*All times: Central Time (CT)*

**6:30 am – 5:00 pm**

**Registration Open**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**7:00 am – 8:00 am**

**Coffee Service**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**8:00 am – 8:15 am**

**President's Welcome**

**Location:** Celestin E

**8:15 am – 9:15 am Keynote Address**

**120: Taking Action Now**

**Location:** Celestin E

**9:15 am – 10:45 am**

**Grand Opening Exhibit Hall/  
Poster Viewing**

**Location:** Storyville Hall

**10:45 am – 12:15 pm General Session**

**130: PAC/LTC Regulation Update**

**Location:** Celestin E

**12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Presentation  
Theaters**

**Sumitomo Pharma: Impact of GEMTESA**

**Location:** Celestin B

**Neurocrine: Impact of TD in LTC**

**Location:** Celestin G

**1:40 pm – 2:40 pm Concurrent Sessions**

**141: Weight Bias in Acute Care Setting**

**Location:** Celestin D

**142: PrEP 101 for NP PCP**

**Location:** Imperial 5

**143: Transitional Care Interventions**

**Location:** Celestin E

**2:50 pm – 3:50 pm Concurrent Sessions**

**151: Ultrasound – Part 1**

**Location:** Imperial 5

**152: Polypharmacy Less Is More**

**Location:** Celestin E

**153: Death Certificates**

**Location:** Celestin D

**4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Concurrent Sessions**

**161: Ultrasound – Part 2**

**Location:** Imperial 5

**162: Abnormal Liver Chemistries**

**Location:** Celestin E

**163: Clinical Knowledge into Research**

**Location:** Celestin D

**5:00 pm – 6:30 pm**

**Exhibit Hall Open/Poster Viewing**

**Location:** Storyville Hall

**6:30 pm – 8:00 pm Presentation Theater**

**Otsuka America & Lundbeck: Agitation  
with Dementia Due to Alzheimer's Disease**

**Location:** Celestin B

## Friday, September 29, 2023

*All times: Central Time (CT)*

**6:00 am – 7:45 am**

**Foundation Fun Run/Walk**

**Location:** Depart from Hotel Lobby

**6:30 am – 5:00 pm**

**Registration Open**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**7:00 am – 8:00 am Breakfast**

**Symposium**

**200 MedEdicus:** Parkinson's Psychosis

**Location:** Celestin B

**8:15 am – 9:15 am General Session**

**210:** Health Affairs' Work with Coalitions

**Location:** Celestin E

**9:15 am – 10:45 am**

**Exhibit Hall Open/Poster Viewing**

**Location:** Storyville Hall

**10:45 am – 11:45 am General Session**

**220:** Trauma-Informed Care in Assisted Living

**Location:** Celestin E

**12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Presentation Theaters**

**Smith&Nephew:** Customized Wound Treatment Plans for Complex Patient

**Location:** Celestin B

**Castle Biosciences:** IDgenetix PGx Testing

**Location:** Celestin G

**1:15 pm – 2:15 pm Concurrent Sessions**

**231:** Hematologic/Oncologic Emergencies

**Location:** Imperial 5

**232:** Wound Pathway to Reduce Hospital Readmissions

**Location:** Celestin E

**233:** Recognition & Management of Osteoporosis

**Location:** Celestin D

**2:15 pm – 3:15 pm**

**Last Opening of Exhibit Hall/Poster Viewing**

**Location:** Storyville Hall

**3:15 pm – 4:15 pm Concurrent Sessions**

**241:** Post-Intensive Care Syndrome

**Location:** Imperial 5

**242:** Mending Heart & Mind

**Location:** Celestin E

**243:** Hearing Loss

**Location:** Celestin D

**4:15 pm – 5:30 pm**

**GAPNA Gallery**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**5:45 pm – 7:00 pm Presentation Theater**

**Eisai:** Preparing for Shift in Alzheimer's Disease Management

**Location:** Celestin B

**7:15 pm – 10:00 pm Foundation Activity**

**NOLA Brewery/Crawfish Boil**

**Location:** Depart from Hotel Lobby

## Saturday, September 30, 2023

*All times: Central Time (CT)*

**7:30 am – 4:00 pm**

**Registration Open**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**7:30 am – 8:00 am**

**Coffee Service**

**Location:** Celestin Foyer

**8:15 am – 9:15 am General Session**

**310:** Post-Acute Care of Older Adult

**Location:** Celestin E

**9:30 am – 11:30 am In-Depth Focus Sessions**

**321:** Project Podium Presentations

**Location:** Celestin B

**322:** Lightning Talk Sessions

**Location:** Celestin D

**323:** Fresh Food Rx Program

**Location:** Celestin A

**11:45 am – 1:30 pm**

**330:** Membership Meeting & Awards

**Ceremony Luncheon**

**Location:** Celestin E

**1:45 pm – 2:45 pm Concurrent Sessions**

**341:** Delirium in Acute Care Setting

**Location:** Celestin A

**342:** Early Detection of Dementia with KAER Framework

**Location:** Celestin D

**343:** Caring for Older Male Patient

**Location:** Celestin B

**3:00 pm – 4:00 pm General Session**

**350:** Hospital at Home

**Location:** Celestin E

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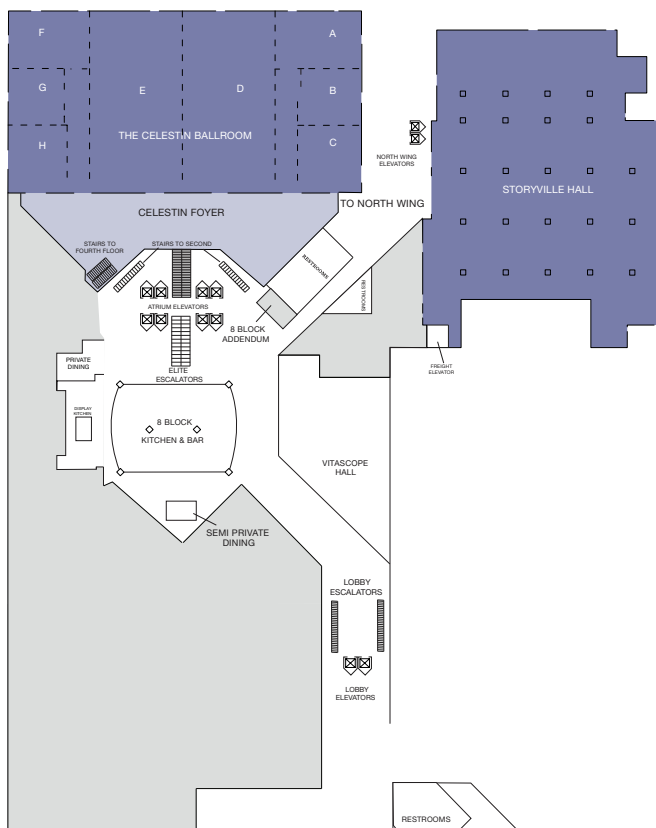
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Attend 90% of each session in which contact hours are earned, complete an online evaluation, and submit.

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**120 - President's Welcome//Taking Action Now: Moving Qu**  
08:00am - 09:15am Central - September 28, 2023 | Room: Celestin E  
Jennifer Kim, DNP, GNP-BC, GS-C, FNAP, FAANP; Alice Bonner, PhD, RN, FAAN, FAANP  
Tags: Moving Forward Coalition nursing home resident quality of life CNA career pathways person-centered care  
Evaluation

**130 - PAC/Update: What You Don't Know May Surprise You!**  
10:45am - 12:00pm Central - September 28, 2023 | Room: Celestin E  
Brooke Patterson, DNP, APRN, FNP-C; Christina Ramsey, MSN, GNP-BC, LNCC  
Tags: long-term care nursing facilities skilled nursing facilities survey guidance barriers to practice  
Evaluation

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# Poster Presentations

**0.5 contact hours will be awarded for poster viewing.**

**Poster session learning outcome:** After completing this learning activity, participants will report the ability to assess innovations being used by other professionals in the specialty and evaluate the potential of implementing the improvements into practice.

**Poster # P01: PLAN: Preparing and Living for Aging Now – A Multi-Methods Study Investigating Older Adults’ Readiness to Plan for Aging and Frailty**

*Erica Frechman, PhD, AGPCNP-BC, ACHPN, NEA-BC, FPCN, Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Gerontology and Geriatrics Section, Wake Forest University School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, NC*

**Poster # P02: Use of Admission MDS Data to Capture Unrecognized Cognitive Impairment in Heart Failure and the Implications for Discharge Planning**

*Candace Harrington, PhD, DNP, APRN, AGPCNP-BC, CNE, FAAN, Assistant Professor, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY*

*Garden Paquin, MSN, RN, Student, University of Louisville School of Nursing, Louisville, KY*

**Poster # P03: Integrating Virtual SIM Clinic PC Spark – Advanced Health/Physical Assessment Experience**

*Christine Bouchard, PhD, MPH, APRN, ANP-BC, FMCSA, Associate Professor, West Coast University; and APRN, BayCare Urgent Care, Ontario, CA*

*Heather Pelkie, MA, Communications Specialist, West Coast University; and Project Manager, BayCare Urgent Care, Anaheim, CA*

*George Byron Peraza-Smith, DNP, A-GNP-C, GNP-BC, GS-C, CNE, FAANP, Professor and Program Dean, AGPCNP Program, West Coast University, Irvine, CA*

**Poster # P04: Education, Engagement, and Empowerment: The APRN Role in a Nursing Home QI Collaborative**

*Carole Bartoo, AGPCNP, GS-C, Geriatric APRN, VUMC Department of Medicine, Division of Geriatrics, Nashville, TN*

*Anna Helene Gallion, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, VA Quality Scholar Postdoctoral Fellow, VA Tennessee Valley Healthcare System, Nashville, TN*

**Poster # P05: Understanding Clinician Perspectives of Palliative Care Referral Criteria or Tools with Nursing Home Residents**

*Connie Cole, PhD, DNP, RN-BC, NP-C, T32 Postdoctoral Fellow in Palliative Care and Aging, University of Colorado Anschutz, Aurora, CO*



# Poster Presentations

**Poster # P06: Risk Factors for Inpatient Facility Admission among Home Healthcare Patients with Diabetes**

*Katelyn Webster-Dekker, PhD, RN, Postdoctoral Fellow, Indiana University School of Nursing, Indianapolis, IN*

**Poster # P07: Developing a “Best Possible Caregiving History” for Use in a Geriatric Emergency Department**

*Karen de Sola-Smith, PhD, MS, MA, NP, RN, VA Quality Scholar Nurse Practitioner Fellow, San Francisco VA Health System, San Francisco, CA*

**Poster # P08: Palliative Care Services in the SNF Setting**

*Amy Quintero, GNP-BC, GNP, Wellmed, San Antonio, TX*

**Poster # P09: ADVANCED-Comfort: A Novel Model of Care to Promote Comfort and Quality of Life**

*Ruth Lopez, PhD, FAAN, Jacques Mohr Professor Gerontological Nursing, MGH Institute of Health Professions, Boston, MA*

**Poster # P10: This poster number intentionally left blank.**

**Poster # P11: Meeting Social Determinants of Health Measures for Quality Care**

*Carolyn Monroe, MS, RN, APN-C, AHN-C, Lead Clinical Team Manager for the HouseCalls Program, Optum, Minnetonka, MN*

**Poster # P12: When a Fall Is More than Just a Fall: Case Studies in Falls as a Prodrome for Underlying Pathology in Older Adults**

*Cassandra Vannes, DNP, GNP-BC, APRN, GS-C, AOCNP, FAHA, Geriatric Oncology NICHE Coordinator, Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL*

**Poster # P13: This poster number intentionally left blank.**

**Poster # P14: Exploring the Treatment of Noncatheterized Urinary Tract Infections in Nursing Home Patients**

*Harkirat Bal, DNP, FNP-C, PMHNP-BC, Nurse Practitioner, Fresno Long-Term Care, Fresno, CA*

**Poster # P15: Increasing Screening Colonoscopy Rates in the Older Adult**

*Gypsy Glover, DNP, FNP-BC, Certified Assistant Professor, Troy University, Troy, AL; and Registered Nurse Practitioner, Digestive Health Specialists of the Southeast, Dothan, AL*

**Poster # P16: A Delirium Knowledge Assessment of Nursing Home Caregivers**

*Carli Ann Carnish, DNP, RN, APRN, CNP, Assistant Professor, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH*



# Poster Presentations

**Poster # P17: “Implementation of an Ostomy Support Group”: The Importance of Peer-to-Peer Support within the Ostomate Community**

*Ruth Ann Pendergrast, MSN, RN, AGPCNP-C, CWON, Ostomy Nurse Practitioner, Corewell Health, Royal Oak, MI*

**Virtual-only display poster. Poster content may be viewed via the Conference Event Page in the GAPNA Online Library.**

**Poster # P18: A Frailty Care Model to Inform Care of the Older Adult**

*Lorraine Novosel, PhD, RN, APRN-CNP, AGPCNP-BC, Nurse Scientist I, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH*

*Lee Anne Siegmund, PhD, RN, ACSM-CEP, Senior Nurse Scientist, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH*

**Poster # P19: The Effects of Healthcare Policies on LGBTQ Aging Adults**

*Alan Skipper, DNP, FNP-BC, PMHNP-BC, Assistant Professor, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA*

**Poster # P20: The Impact of an Educational Intervention on Nurse Knowledge and Competence in Behavioral Health**

*Melissa Smith, MSN, RN, GNP-BC, Instructional Design Consultant/Accredited Provider Program Director, United Health Group, Minnetonka, MN*

**Poster # P21: Improving Hurricane Preparedness among Galveston County Homebound Seniors**

*Diana Bernardez, AGPCNP-C, Nurse Practitioner, Geriatrics, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX*

*Zachary Carson, DNP, APRN, AGPCNP-BC, Assistant Professor, School of Nursing, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX*

*Jessica den Herder, MSN, APRN, AGPCNP-C, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX*

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*Jennifer Young, MSN, APRN, AGPCNP-C, Nurse Practitioner, Geriatrics, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX*

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**Poster # P23: Examining the Effect of Hearing Impairment in the Elderly: Understanding Its Effect on Socialization and Mental Health**

*Susan Bushinski, DNP, RN, ACNP-BC, FNP-BC, Associate Professor of Nursing, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI*

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## **Poster # P26: Evaluation of a Chicago Community Hospital's Food Insecurity Screening and Referral Program for Older Adult Patients**

*Meera Mohan, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, Adult-Gerontology Primary Care DNP Program Graduate, Rush University College of Nursing, Chicago, IL*

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## **Poster # P27: Impact of a Home Delivery Fresh Food Rx Program for Older Adults during COVID-19**

*Rachel Zimmer, DNP, RN, AGPCNP-C, IS<sup>®</sup>, Assistant Professor, Internal Medicine, Section on Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist, Winston-Salem, NC*

## **Poster # P28: Implementation of Sleep Protocol for Patients with Stroke Admitted to Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility**

*Babandeep Sidhu, DNP, FNP-C, Nurse Practitioner, Curana Health, Austin, TX*

## **Poster # P29: Implementation of a Patient-Centered Care Tool on an Acute Care of the Elderly (ACE) Unit**

*Anna Caldwell, DNP, AGPCNP-C, GS-C, Geriatric Nurse Practitioner, Summa Health; and DNP Student, The Ohio State University, Akron, OH*

## **Poster # P30: Frailty Screening in Homebound Older Adults in a Home-Based Primary Care Program**

*Anna Ignatova, DNP, Clinical Practice Consultant, Kaiser Permanente Regional Continuum, San Francisco, CA*

## **Poster # P31: The Impact of Polypharmacy on the Trajectory of Health Outcomes and Physical Function in Older Adults with and without Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias**

*Martha Coates, PhD(c), RN, CRNP, AGPCBC-NP, Doctoral Candidate and Graduate Research Fellow, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA*

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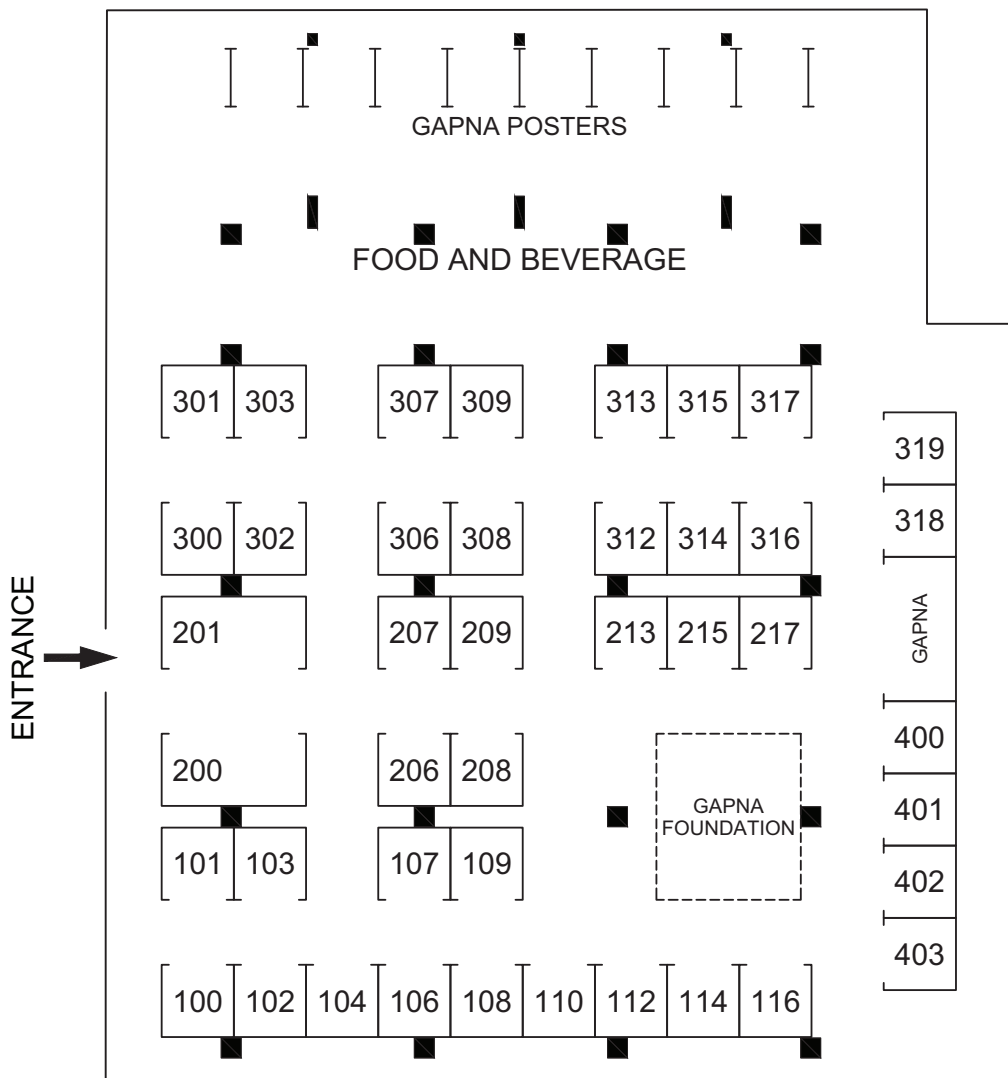
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