2020

STROKE CARE CONFERENCE

Thursday, August 20-Saturday, August 22, 2020



Omni Louisville Hotel | Louisville, KY

AANN.org/strokeconference





WE HAVE THE STROKE EDUCATION YOU NEED

Earn CE with robust stroke education! Building on the success of the sold-out Stroke Conferences from 2015 through 2019, the American Association of Neuroscience Nurses (AANN) continues to bring you even more stroke education. The AANN Advances in Stroke Care Conference addresses quality, clinical practice, and program management.

The Stroke Conference is the premier educational event for advanced practice nurses, stroke coordinators and administrators, critical care neuroscience nurses, nurses new to stroke care, and those preparing for the Stroke Certified Registered Nurse (SCRN®) examination. Get relevant stroke nursing education for you and your team, and take advantage of the **register five and get a sixth registration free** promotion!

PRECONFERENCE EDUCATION



Cynthia Bautista, PhD RN ACNS-BC CCNS CNRN SCRN FNCS

Wednesday, August 19, 1-5:30 pm, and Thursday, August 20, 7-11:30 am

SCRN Review Course

The SCRN Review Course is an 8-hour course delivered over two half-day sessions that will provide a comprehensive review for nurses preparing for the stroke certification exam as well as for nurses interested in updating, enhancing, and increasing their knowledge base in stroke patient care settings.

Fee: \$120



Linda Littlejohns, MSN RN CNRN SCRN FAAN

Thursday, August 20, 1:30-5:30 pm 3D Stroke Anatomy and Assessment

This session will take a deeper dive into the vessels and structures in the brain using Anatomage 3D software, color-coded vessels, and case studies. After taking this course, you will have a better understanding of assessment, potential deficits, and challenges as the patient moves from a stroke diagnosis to recovery expectations and rehab needs.

Fee: \$60



Jaime Henderson, MSN ACNP-BC



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Thursday, August 20, 1:30-3:30 pm Empowering Our Neuroscience Nurses

This lecture will cover the development of our Neuroscience Fellowship curriculum, designed to meet the clinical demand of the neuroscience patient population and to provide evidence-based practices to meet the challenges of nurses serving this population. The fellowship is a 2-year program comprising an integrated fundamental core curriculum to increase clinical competency and improve critical thinking capability across the neuroscience spectrum of care. Speakers will share results regarding nurse empowerment, retention, and role satisfaction.

Fee: \$30

KEYNOTE



Amy Edmunds

Friday, August 21, 8:30-9:45 am Young Stroke: Bridging the Continuum of Care

The increasing global prevalence of stroke among young adults transforms a once familiar diagnosis to a more perplexing trend across the continuum of stroke care. Neuroscience nurses are challenged to bridge public awareness to clinical response and clinical response to rehabilitation to ensure community reintegration. From her unique patient perspective, combined with National Institutes of Health award-winning expertise, Amy examines patient-centered practices for community hospitals, bedside care delivery, and rehabilitative services to raise awareness of unmet needs for this population.

EDUCATIONAL FOCUS

Thursday, August 20-Saturday, August 22

The Stroke Conference is designed for stroke nurses and educators from beginner to advanced levels to expand their understanding of stroke in the clinical setting.

Topics will include the following:

Quality

- Depression improvement program in stroke
- Dysphagia screening

Clinical Practice

- Cryptogenic stroke
- Genetics

Program Management

- Stroke nurses
- Stroke therapies versus treatment

- Rapid response
- Post stroke
- Headaches
- Rehabilitation
- Stroke center certification
- Stroke research

View the full program at **AANN.org/strokeconference.**

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

- Create an active learning environment through discussion of case studies that will meet the needs of nurses from introductory to expert levels of practice.
- Promote opportunities in the advancement of neuroscience nursing.
- Foster networking and mentoring among neuroscience colleagues.
- Inspire attendees to optimize patient care through exposure to innovative research and leading evidence-based practice in the stroke field.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

The American Association of Neuroscience Nurses is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

The American Association of Neuroscience Nurses is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the California Board of Registered Nursing (CEP: 13331).

Successful completion: Participants must be registered for the conference and attend the session(s). Attendees can be awarded 1 nursing contact hour for every 60-minute educational session they attend and evaluate. Each participant will receive a username and password to complete an online evaluation. Participants must complete a form for each session they attend and an overall conference evaluation to receive contact hours.

Contact hours available for each component of the event are as follows:

•	SCRN Review Course (extra-fee preconference workshop)8 CE
	3D Stroke Anatomy and Assessment (extra-fee preconference workshop)4 CE
•	Empowering Our Neuroscience Nurses2 CE
	AANN Advances in Stroke Care Conference*

^{*}Full conference CE excluding preconference workshop credits.

REGISTRATION FEES

X	Early-Bird Rates		Regular Rates	
	AANN member on or before Thursday, July 9	Nonmember on or before Thursday, July 9	AANN member after Thursday, July 9	Nonmember after Thursday, July 9
Full conference	\$375	\$599	\$475	\$699
Full conference and SCRN exam registration	\$640	\$964	\$740	\$1,064
Full conference and one copy of the AANN Comprehensive Review for Stroke Nursing	\$462	\$736	\$562	\$836
Full conference, SCRN exam registration, and one copy of the AANN Comprehensive Review for Stroke Nursing	\$747	\$1,121	\$847	\$1,221

FACILITY PRICING

A special group discount is available to help your institution take advantage of the high-caliber education available to your staff at the AANN Advances in Stroke Care Conference.

Register five nurses and get a sixth registration for free!

Complete a registration form, available at AANN.org/strokeconference, for each nurse and mail them in one envelope to:

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8735 W. Higgins Road, Suite 300 Chicago, IL 60631 Call 847.375.4733 with questions.

2020 SCRN EXAM WINDOWS

SCRN	Exam Window	May 1-31, 2020	September 1-30, 2020
Stroke Certified Registered Nurse	Register by	April 9, 2020	August 6, 2020

Learn more and apply for the exam at ABNNcertification.org. AANN members receive discounts on the exam and study materials.

CANCELLATION POLICY

All cancellations must be made in writing. A \$100 processing fee will be charged for all cancellations postmarked on or before Thursday, August 6, 2020. No refunds will be made under any circumstances on cancellations postmarked after Thursday, August 6, 2020. AANN reserves the right to substitute faculty or to cancel or reschedule sessions because of low enrollment or other unforeseen circumstances. If AANN must cancel the entire meeting, registrants will receive a full credit or refund of their paid registration fee. No refunds can be made for lodging, airfare, or any other expenses related to attending the conference.



Meeting Location

The Omni Louisville Hotel is your hub for the 2020 Stroke Conference. All registration, events, and conference sessions will take place at the Omni Louisville Hotel.

Hotel Information

Omni Louisville Hotel

400 S. 2nd Street

Louisville, KY 40202

Rate: \$185 (single/double)

Cutoff date: Friday, July 17, 2020

Front desk and reservations: 800.843.6664

Online reservations: AANN.org/strokeconference

The group rate is \$185 (single/double), and the cutoff date is Friday, July 17, 2020. This special rate will apply until the cutoff date or when the room block is filled; at that point, higher rates may apply. AANN has secured a limited number of sleeping rooms at the special discounted rate. Please be sure to make your reservations early and to indicate that you are attending the AANN Stroke Conference.

COMMERCIALLY SUPPORTED SYMPOSIA

Thursday, August 20, 11:30 am-1 pm

LUNCH SYMPOSIUM

Supported by: WL Gore & Associates

Saturday, August 22, 6:30-8 am

BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM

Visit AANN.org/strokeconference for more information.

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TESTIMONIALS FROM PAST CONFERENCE ATTENDEES

Another fantastic conference. This is by far one of the best conferences around. If I have to choose which conference to attend on an annual basis,

this is the one that I choose each and every year!

The SCRN Review Course was a great review that made me want to continue to learn more. I learned more than I could even comprehend. I have notes and notes of ideas that I can use to educate our staff, and I gained knowledge on how we can continue to improve our stroke program.



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