



Trauma Topics 2011

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0730-1630*

*Legacy Emanuel Hospital
Lorentzen Auditorium
2801 N. Gantenbein
Portland, Oregon*

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Dana Kyles, RN, BSN, CCRN

Dana is the Nurse Manager of the Medical-Surgical Telemetry Unit at Harborview Medical Center in Seattle and, until recently, the Nursing Supervisor of Transfusion Support Services. Her clinical experience includes many years as a bedside nurse in the Pediatric & Burn Intensive Care Unit at Harborview. Dana has spoken at the National Association of Blood Banks conference, and authored the chapter on Transfusion Practices & Massive Transfusion in AACN's Advanced Critical Care Nursing.

Debra R. Metter, RN, MN, CCRN, CCNS

Deb is the Surgery and Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist at Harborview Medical Center in Seattle, Washington. She was a staff nurse in the Burn Intensive Care Unit, providing care for critically ill and injured adults and children for nearly 10 years. She has traveled to Iraq and Indonesia to provide care to populations in desperate need of health care. A frequent presenter in CCRN review and TNCC courses, Deb has also presented at the NTI. Her life experiences and great sense of humor make her presentations enjoyable and informative.

Christine Schulman, RN, MS, CNS, CCRN

Christine has been a nursing educator and Trauma & Critical Care CNS for several years at Level I trauma hospitals in the Pacific Northwest. Working as an independent consultant, she currently serves as a Critical Care CNS for the Legacy Health System in Portland, Oregon. She has lectured at the AACN National Teaching Institute and the ENA Scientific Assembly and has published in numerous trauma, emergency, critical care and CNS journals and textbooks. She served as Chair of the 2006 AACN Research Workgroup and was elected to the AACN Nominating Committee in 2008. Known for making complex concepts easy to understand, Christine provides a comfortable and humorous learning environment.



Conference Overview

This course is designed for emergency department, critical care, and acute care nurses who provide care for trauma patients. Current strategies for managing these complex patients will be addressed regarding transfusion practices, wound management, and the assessment & treatment of delirium. Nuances in the care of two high risk patient populations, geriatric and alcoholic patients, will be highlighted.



Conference Objectives:

1. Discuss evidence based updates in transfusion practices for trauma patients.
2. Describe strategies to enhance coagulation function in the hemorrhaging patient.
3. Identify crucial considerations in the initial management of traumatic wounds.
4. Differentiate delirium states and their management in patients across the trauma continuum.
5. Implement a protocol for the rapid diagnosis and intervention of intracranial bleeds in elderly patients on anticoagulant or antiplatelet medications.
6. Identify the physiologic effects of alcohol intoxication and abuse in

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Conference Schedule

0730-0800	Registration
0800-0900	Alcohol Use & Abuse in Trauma Patients: Don't be Fooled
0900-0915	BREAK (Sponsored)
0915-1030	Delirium in Trauma & Critical Illness: A Silent Killer
1030-1045	BREAK
1045-1200	Transfusion Practices: Update 2011 (Part I)
1200-1245	LUNCH
1245-1345	Transfusion Practices: Complex Case Studies (Part II)
1345-1400	BREAK
1345-1445	Traumatic Wounds: Immediate Interventions
1450-1600	Geriatric Trauma Patients: Your Worst Nightmare, Gone Bad

trauma patients.

Registration Form

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Registration Fees:

Legacy Employees	\$100.00
Other RNs	\$125.00
Nursing Students	\$40.00

To register :

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Place of Work: _____

Work Phone: _____

Please write checks to Christine S. Schulman LLC, and send with Registration Form to: 2865 SW 99th Ave., Portland, OR 97225.

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