

2012 Continuing Education Calendar

for Healthcare Professionals



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Ongoing Educational Programs

Indicate your interest in receiving information about these ongoing educational programs on the reply card.

CME Regularly Scheduled Series

These one hour CME activities discuss current research, new therapies and challenging cases.

- Advanced Practice Evening Education Events (February 7, September 11, November 13)
- Child Psychiatry Grand Rounds* (every other Tuesday, Noon-1 p.m.)
- Grand Rounds in Clinical Genetics and Metabolism (1st Wednesday, 3-4 p.m.)
- Heart Institute Lecture Series (Tuesday, 4-5 p.m.)
- Neonatal Noon Conference* (Wednesday, Noon-1 p.m.)
- Pediatric Grand Rounds* (Friday, 12:30-1:30 p.m.)
- Pediatric Office Update* (1st Thursday, 7:30-8:30 a.m.)
- Pediatric Neuroimaging (3rd Wednesday, 7:30-8:30 a.m.)
- Physician Relations Lecture Series (quarterly; as identified)
- Trauma Lecture Series* (3rd Monday, Noon-1 p.m.)

*These programs are videoconferenced to selected sites. (2-way live interaction).

Colorado Children's Immunization Coalition (CCIC) Education

Various dates and locations • Colorado

The CCIC promotes improved access, delivery and demand for children's vaccinations to keep Colorado healthy. Educational sessions will be offered on topics such as immunization updates, new vaccine research, vaccine safety, vaccine storage, handling and administration, and communicating with vaccine hesitant parents. (CME and CNE credit)

Emergency and Trauma Outreach Symposium

Various dates and locations • Colorado

This symposium, for physicians, nurses, pre-hospital providers and other healthcare team members, provides updates on pediatric emergency medicine, trauma, burn and pre-hospital care. Workshops integrating simulation and debriefing will enhance learning at case-based skill stations. (CME, CNE and EMS credit)

Good Grief at Noon

(2nd Tuesday, Noon-1 p.m.)

These multidisciplinary monthly sessions focus on various bereavement-related topics. Open to all staff. (No CE credit)

Nursing Grand Rounds

(4th Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)

These monthly one hour scholarly presentations highlight current nursing research as well as topics related to clinical practice and education. (CNE credit)

This program is videoconferenced to selected sites (2-way live interaction).

Pediatric Challenges: New Approaches to Treatment and Prevention

Various dates and locations • Colorado

These evening CME activities are offered several times a year for primary care providers with a focus on new therapies and prevention strategies for common health problems in children and adolescents. These events, held in various metro area locations, begin with dinner followed by a 60 minute presentation and a panel Q and A session. (CME credit)

For Further Information

Conference specific brochures will be available two to three months before each event. To request information on a specific event, detach and mail the Brochure Request Form or follow the directions on this form for electronic submission. Please contact Children's Hospital Colorado at (720) 777-6160 for questions.

Or visit us on the web at:

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January

Emergency Medical Services Conference

January 19-20 • Aurora, CO

This conference is specifically for EMS providers of all levels (EMT-B, EMT-I, EMT-P and CCCEMT-P). The two-day conference, with optional PALS renewal, will provide attendees continuing education hours in Pediatrics/Obstetrics to satisfy national registry and state of Colorado recertification requirements. (EMS Credit)

Eliza Fernie Pediatric Critical Care Nursing Symposium

January 25-26 • Aurora, CO and videoconference sites

Current trends and innovations in neonatal, cardiac and pediatric critical care will be discussed to enhance the knowledge of nurses and other healthcare providers. This year's guest speaker is Mary Fran Hazinski, PhD RN FAAN FAHA from Vanderbilt University School of Nursing and Monroe Carell, Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt. (CNE credit)

February

Ethics Conference

The Ethical Foundations of Teamwork in the Caring Careers

February 10 • Aurora, CO

This day-long conference will address the ethical conflicts that arise in the increasingly complex inter-professional health care system. The goal of highly coordinated care requires smooth functioning teams whose members share core values in meeting individual patient needs. Lectures and case discussions will provide an interactive forum for the audience to contribute personal insights in the evolution of team-based care. The conference will be of interest to all those in the service professions involved in health related activities. (CME and CNE credit)

15th Annual Perioperative Services Workshop

February 25 • Aurora, CO

Clinical updates in the management of various pediatric surgical diagnoses will be reviewed with the aim of enhancing the knowledge and skills of perioperative nursing and sterile processing staff during pre-, intra- and post-operative phases of a surgical or other sedation procedure. (CNE credit)

March

Hospitalist Conference

March 9 • Aurora, CO

This course is designed for all physicians and allied health care professionals who participate in the care and management of sick children and neonates. A case-based format will be used to review and discuss the clinical etiology, diagnosis, and management of critically ill infants and children. (CME credit)

Neonatal Resuscitation Program Instructor Course

March 14 or 15 • Aurora, CO

Incorporating new 2010 guidelines, these NRP Instructor Courses are open to new instructor candidates and current NRP instructors who wish to update themselves on the revised NRP curriculum. Instructor development, skills for effective teams, and interactive learning and debriefing will be emphasized. Physicians, registered nurses, respiratory care practitioners and physician assistants who have experience in the hospital care of newborns in the delivery room, newborn nursery or neonatal ICU setting and, ideally, have ongoing delivery room experience and current educational or clinical responsibility within a hospital setting, are eligible to apply. Instructor candidates will take the online examination, review the NRP Instructor DVD and complete the instructor manual self-assessment prior to participation in the course. (CME, AAFP and CNE credit)

2nd Teaching Course & Workshop on Pediatric and Congenital Cardiac Care

March 21-22 • Aurora, CO

This teaching course & workshop on pediatric and congenital cardiac care will focus on general and advanced cardiac intensive care topics, advanced bedside care, simulation, respiratory therapy for cardiac patients and quality improvement. Cardiologists, surgeons, anesthesiologists, advanced practice providers, nurses, perfusionists, respiratory care providers and other allied health professionals are encouraged to attend. (CME, CNE credit)

April

Pain Resource Nurse Conference

April 2-3 • Aurora, CO

Utilizing the Pain Resource Nurse (PRN) structured curriculum model, this nursing conference provides an overview of pain types and prevalence, pain assessment, pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic pain management principles for a variety of conditions, delivery systems, ethical dilemmas, conversations with families in relation to pain and implementation of the PRN principles with a pediatric twist. (CNE credit)

Pediatric Infectious Diseases in Colorado: Update 2012

April 4 • Aurora, CO

This conference provides updates on pediatric infectious disease issues that have direct relevance to physicians, child health associates, physician assistants and nurse practitioners. (CME and AAFP credit)

Children's Orthopedic Day

April 6 • Aurora, CO

Visiting faculty, University of Colorado faculty and residents will discuss diagnosis and treatment of pediatric orthopedic problems. Primary care orthopedic evaluation and nursing care are included. (CME credit)

5th Annual Reach the Peak Asthma Educator-Certified (AE-C) Prep Course

April 12-13 • Aurora, CO

The AE-C Prep Course is facilitated by leading experts in their field. This two-day comprehensive course will prepare participants to improve asthma care in their practice while equipping them to successfully complete the National Asthma Educator Certification Board (NAECB) AE-C exam. The Course includes a combination of lecture, case scenarios, hands-on device technique and spirometry and networking. Small group strategizing for pediatric and adult practice improvement will also be offered. (CNE and CRCE credit)

Colorado Chapter, AAP Annual Conference

April 14 • Denver, CO

This conference provides state-of-the-art reviews of selected topics in pediatrics for pediatricians, family practitioners and other health professionals who care for children. (CME credit)

Pediatric Advanced Practice Conference

April 23-24 • Aurora, CO

Co-sponsored by Children's Hospital Colorado, the CU College of Nursing Office of Lifelong Learning, and the CU School of Pharmacy CE Office, with support from the Rocky Mountain Chapter of the National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP), this 2nd annual conference focuses on pediatric clinical updates and sub-specialty content for the advanced practice nurse, physician assistant and pharmacist. Topics include a focus on clinical pharmacology useful to providers in primary, urgent and acute care settings and workshop intensives will be offered each day. Interdisciplinary presenters will provide a unique dialogue on managing challenging cases. (CME credit, CNE credit through CU College of Nursing, ACPE through CU School of Pharmacy)

Annual Conference on Language and Learning Executive Function Skills in Children and Adolescents

April 27 • Aurora, CO

This conference is designed for speech-language pathologists, learning specialists, special educators, psychologists and teachers. Sarah Ward, MS CCC-SLP, Co-Director, Cognitive Connections at The Center for Executive Function Skill Development in Lincoln, MA will be this year's guest speaker. Topics will focus on practical strategies for teaching children and adolescents how to develop the executive function skills necessary for success in school and life. (ASHA credit)

Clinical Care of Women with HIV Infection

April 27 • Denver, CO

Nationally known faculty with expertise in research and clinical care of women with HIV will present current topics of interest to providers who care for this population. (CME and CNE credit)

May

The Rosenberry Conference

May 4 • Aurora, CO

This annual behavioral health conference hosts prominent visiting faculty. Topics address a variety of pediatric and adolescent therapy practices. The day is designed with lectures of interest to psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers and family therapists. (CME credit)

33rd Annual Perinatal Clinical Update

May 10-11 • Aurora, CO and video conference sites

Assessment, stabilization and acute care of the high-risk pregnant woman, fetus and newborn infant will be highlighted. Perinatal nurses, nurse practitioners and respiratory therapists working in OB, well-baby and critical care nurseries will find this two-day program invaluable. (CNE credit)

June

28th Annual Community & School Health Pediatric Conference & Pediatric Telephone Triage

June 14-15 • Aurora, CO and video conference sites

Clinical updates will enhance knowledge for an integrated approach to health care of children in community and school settings. We encourage participation from pediatric community and school nurses and other healthcare providers, including hospital, ambulatory, public health and telephone triage nurses, care coordinators and case managers. (CNE credit)

Neonatal Advanced Practice Conference

June 22 • Aurora, CO and video conference sites

This conference combines clinical case presentations and reviews of available evidence for current practice strategies related to the anticipation, recognition, assessment, stabilization and acute care of the neonate. (CME and CNE credit)

July

Pediatric Urology for the Primary Care Provider

July 20 • Aurora, CO

Through lectures and clinical cases, this clinical update will enhance the knowledge and skills necessary for primary care providers to care for patients with common pediatric urological problems. Updated information will be provided on the initial management and when specialized pediatric urological care is needed. (CME and AAFP credit)

30th Annual Pediatric Infectious Diseases Conference

July 29 – August 3 • Vail, CO

This conference examines topics of interest to general pediatricians, family practice and infectious disease specialists. Speakers, selected for their specialty interest, reputation, communication skills and enthusiasm, will cover up-to-date information on pediatric infectious diseases. (CME and AAFP credit)

August

Cystic Fibrosis Boot Camp Education Workshop

August 3-4 • Aurora, CO

This workshop is designed to further educate healthcare providers on common treatments and needs of patients with Cystic Fibrosis. (CME, CNE, RD/DTR CEUs and CRCE Credit)

September

19th Annual Abby Stoddard Lectureship

September 13-14 • Aurora, CO

Case discussions and presentations in pediatric neurology featuring recognized experts are incorporated in this two-day lecture series. (CME credit)

4th Annual Conference on Pediatric Urgent Care

September 21 • Aurora, CO

Education regarding state-of-the-art evaluation and treatment of acute medical and surgical conditions commonly encountered in the pediatric urgent care setting will be provided. This program will be of interest to physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners and other health professionals who work in the urgent care setting. (CME credit)

4th Annual Nursing Research and Evidenced-Based Practice Poster Fair

September 26-27 • Aurora, CO

Held in conjunction with the annual O'Neil Pediatric Clinical Update, this Poster Fair illustrates and celebrates Nursing's "spirit of inquiry" related to evidenced-based clinical practice, education and research. (No credit)

21st Annual O'Neil Pediatric Clinical Update

September 26-27 • Aurora, CO and video conference sites

Held in conjunction with the Nursing Research and Evidenced-Based Practice Poster Fair, this conference focuses on common pediatric conditions and current child health issues. Nurses, respiratory therapists and other interested healthcare providers in inpatient and ambulatory settings will be challenged to consider evidence-based practice changes. (CNE credit)

October

35th Annual L. Joseph Butterfield Perinatal Conference

October 11-12 • Fort Collins, CO

This conference provides a forum for perinatal nurses and other maternal/newborn health providers to address issues pertinent to antenatal, intrapartum, neonatal and follow-up care. (CNE credit)

Pediatric Liver Transplantation Annual Meeting

October 11-12 • Denver, CO

This annual conference focuses on updates in the current state of pediatric liver transplantation, state-of-the-art discussions on immunosuppression and controversies in the care and management of children who have undergone liver transplantation. The program brings together transplant physicians, surgeons, nurses, social workers and nutritionists who care for these children. (CME credit)



Preparation Course for the Pediatric Critical Care RN Certification Exam

October 11-12 • Aurora, CO

This course is recommended for nurses desiring to take the Pediatric CCRN exam offered by the American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN). The exam covers a broad area of practice and content is based on the Synergy Model. (CNE credit)

Rocky Mountain Society of Adolescent Health Medicine

Hot Topics in Adolescent Medicine 2012

October 26 • Aurora, Colorado

This conference will address current hot topics in the care of the adolescent and is targeted towards multi-disciplinary professionals, including physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, social workers, psychologists and other allied health professionals involved with teens. (CME and AAFP credit)

8th Annual Cardiac Kids Parent Conference

Growing Up with Congenital Heart Disease

October 27 • Aurora, CO

Issues and challenges in caring for children with congenital heart disease as they grow up are explored at this conference. (CNE credit)

November

Colorado Pediatric Trauma Conference 2012

November 1-2 • Aurora, CO

Providing education regarding state-of-the-art care of the pediatric trauma patient, this conference is ideal for nurses, physicians, EMS providers and respiratory therapists. (CME, CNE and EMS credit)

Pediatric Orthopedics for the Primary Care Provider

November 9, • Aurora, CO

Focusing on the acute management of orthopedic conditions, this conference will address current clinical issues that face the primary care provider daily. Through lectures and workshops, clinical updates enhance the knowledge and skills necessary for the primary care provider and allied health professional to care for their patients with orthopedic disorders. (CME and AAFP credit)

Standardized Courses

Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Provider Course

2012 course dates below • Aurora, CO

ACLS emphasizes the integration of effective basic life support, cardiopulmonary resuscitation with advanced cardiovascular life support, and recognition and initial treatment of the stroke victim. This is done through instructions, team dynamics and hands-on participation. Evaluation will be completed by clinical scenario management and written test. (AAFP credit)

January 24-25, February 27-28, March 14-15, April 24-25, May 2-3, June 5-6, July 11-12, August 7-8, September 12-13, October 23-24, November 14-15

Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Renewal Course

2012 course dates below • Aurora, CO

A brief overview of the ACLS course will be covered for participants who are comfortable with their skills. Those who feel they need more review and hands-on practice time prior to testing should take the two-day provider course. Participants must bring a copy of their current ACLS provider card. (No CE credit)

January 12, February 16, March 20, April 11, May 10, June 14, August 29, September 27, October 30, November 8

Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course (ENPC)

2012 course dates below • Aurora, CO

Knowledge and skills necessary to provide emergency care for children are emphasized in this provider course developed by the Emergency Nurses Association. (CNE credit from ENA)

March 6-7, May 22-23, September 24-25

Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course (ENPC)

Re-Verification Course

February 8 • Broomfield, CO

A brief overview of the full ENPC course will be covered for participants who are comfortable with their skills. Those who feel they need more review and hands-on practice time prior to testing should take the two-day provider course. Participants must bring a copy of their current ENPC provider card. If you are unable to provide proof of current provider status, you will be unable to attend the re-verification course. Pretest is required. Four year certification is granted upon completion. (CNE credit from ENA)

Improving Pediatric Asthma Care Training (IMPACT)

Various dates and locations • Colorado

You and an asthma advocate (nurse, physician, medical assistant) from your office are invited to attend IMPACT, an innovative and evidence-based pediatric asthma program. Facilitated by asthma and education experts at Children's Hospital Colorado, IMPACT is designed to improve pediatric asthma outcomes in your office. (CME, AAFP and CNE credit)

Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) Provider Course

2012 Course Dates below • Aurora, CO

The NRP Provider Course, a program of the American Academy of Pediatrics and the American Heart Association, is an interactive course focusing on knowledge acquisition, skill demonstration, skill integration, low-fidelity simulation and debriefing. The NRP Provider Course is designed for health care professionals involved in any aspect of neonatal resuscitation, including pre-hospital emergency personnel, physicians, physician assistants, nurses, advanced practice nurses, nurse midwives, licensed midwives, respiratory care practitioners and other health care professionals who provide direct care during neonatal resuscitation. Learners self-study the cognitive portions and pass the online examination within 30 days prior to the course. Cards for successful completion are provided by the American Academy of Pediatrics. (No CE credit)

January 12, February 9, March 8, April 5, May 24, June 21, July 19, August 2, September 13, October 4, November 15, December 6

Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Provider Course

2012 course dates below • Aurora, CO

Through lectures and skill stations, participants focus on a systematic approach to resuscitation of an infant or child during the PALS Provider Course. Evaluation will be completed by clinical scenario management and written test. Basic Life Support is recommended, but not required. Participants must review the new 2010 PALS manual prior to the course. (CME credit)

January 16-17, February 21-22, April 17-18, May 15-16, June 19-20, July 17-18, August 21-22, September 18-19, October 16-17, November 6-7

Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Heartcode™

Skills Testing

2012 course dates below • Aurora, CO

The PALS Heartcode™ Skills Testing is the second step to the completion of the PALS online course. Participants will demonstrate hands-on skills with a certified PALS instructor. Completion of Part 1 is mandatory prior to attending. Participants must bring a copy of their current PALS provider card and Part 1 completion certificate. Participants unable to provide these items will be unable to attend. (CME, CNE and EMS credit through AHA)

January 10, January 31, February 14, March 13, April 10, May 8, June 12, July 10, August 14, September 11, October 9, November 13

Perinatal Continuing Education Program (PCEP)

Newly revised, PCEP utilizes self-instruction materials developed by the University of Virginia and now published by the American Academy of Pediatrics. PCEP provides obstetrical, neonatal, transport, and follow-up information and skills. The program is offered to hospitals by contract and requires physician, nursing and administrative commitment for a nine-to-ten month period. Updates for previous PCEP participants are offered three-four years following the initial program. (CME credit through the UVA School of Medicine and CNE credit)

Children's Hospital Colorado 2012 Continuing Education Brochure Request Form

Please send information on the following educational activities to:

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