RN Patient Advocacy at Home and Abroad: Resuscitating Public Health in a Globalized World

FOR DIRECT-CARE AND STAFF RNs — Provider Approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing. Provider #000754 for 6 contact hours (CEHs)

OPTIONAL: Additional hour of class time available from 4:00pm – 5:00pm

2015–2016 CE COURSE SCHEDULE

NEWARK
December 8
SANTA CLARA
December 10
SAN DIEGO
February 17
SANTA MONICA
February 19
HAYWARD
March 3
WALNUT CREEK
March 10
FRESNO
March 15
MONTEREY
March 17

Register early as space may be limited. Please register no later than one week before the class. Registrants should arrive 15 minutes prior to class and sign-in.

CE Course: FREE to CNA/NNU members

CNA/NNU reserves the right to substitute qualified faculty for those listed. Continental breakfast and lunch will be served. Absolutely no recording or videotaping of courses allowed. Attendees must remain for the full session to receive CE credit (6 CEHs).

Class Times
9:00am – 4:00pm
Same time for all classes and dates.
Optional: Additional hour of class time available from 4:00pm – 5:00pm.

Faculty
Alana Glaser
COURSE DESCRIPTION

RNs and many of their most vulnerable patients understand that a comprehensive definition of health encompasses the social, ecological, and economic contexts in which individuals and communities live. This course examines the role of social and economic inequality on health globally and as part of our broader context typified by austerity measures and the privatization of healthcare. The current global health governance structure, led by the World Bank, World Trade Organization, World Health Organization, and increasingly philanthropic donors and public-private partnerships, has augmented health inequalities. Against this backdrop, the course explores the dismantling of public health systems globally, with particular attention paid also to the retrenchment of the social safety net and the public sector U.S. hospital system. By highlighting the symptoms of a weakened public health system, the class outlines the connections among globalization, disease proliferation, the international migration of healthcare workers, and increased militarization in the United States and abroad. It examines, in particular, how austerity and privatization affect women in especially devastating ways and create the context for unequal public health access. Through this course, nurses will develop comprehensive definitions of public health and healthcare advocacy that will strengthen RN leadership in the global fight against austerity and its aftermath.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:

1. Explain how a robust understanding of public health encompasses global phenomena—such as international epidemics, migration, and militarization—as well as individual and community well-being;
2. Evaluate the role of international financial institutions, philanthropic donors, and public-private partnerships in the global health governance structure;
3. Convey the necessity of a strong public health system for the protection of your patients and community.

DATES & LOCATIONS — All Class Times 9:00am–4:00pm

Newark — Tuesday, December 8
Aloft Silicon Valley
8200 Gateway Blvd, Newark CA 94560

Santa Clara — Thursday, December 10
Santa Clara Marriott
2700 Mission College Blvd, Santa Clara CA 95054

San Diego — Wednesday, February 17, 2016
San Diego Marriott Mission Valley
8757 Rio San Diego Drive, San Diego CA 92108

Santa Monica — Friday, February 19, 2016
Loews Santa Monica Beach Hotel
1700 Ocean Avenue, Santa Monica CA 90401

Hayward — Thursday, March 3, 2016
Fairfield Inn & Suites
25921 Industrial Blvd, Hayward CA 94545

Walnut Creek — Thursday, March 10, 2016
Walnut Creek Marriott
2355 N. Main Street, Walnut Creek CA 94596

Fresno — Tuesday, March 15, 2016
Courtyard Fresno
140 E Shaw Ave, Fresno CA 93710

Monterey — Thursday, March 17, 2016
Monterey Marriott
350 Calle Principal, Monterey CA 93940

REGISTRATION FORM

Please register me for the class indicated below.
A completed form is necessary to insure registration. Please print legibly.

Name: ____________________________
Street: ____________________________
City: __________________ Zip: ___________
Day Phone/Voicemail: (______) ___________________
Email: ____________________________
Name of Employer/Facility: ____________________________
Job Classification: ____________________________
RN License #: ____________________________

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