2014 Emergency Nurse Pediatric Core Course
Sponsored by:
Avera McKennan Hospital Emergency Department
Avera McKennan Children’s Hospital

Wednesday and Thursday
March 26 & 27, 2014
July 23 & 24, 2014
November 5 & 6, 2014

Course Description
A team approach has evolved as one of the most effective and prevalent means to insure delivery of high quality, comprehensive pediatric care. As an important member of the team, you may provide care to the pediatric patient in a variety of settings ranging from pre-hospital to hospital-based environments.

Optimal care of the pediatric patient results from the integration of both pre-hospital and in-hospital resources, and matching the resources of an institution with the immediate needs of the pediatric patient. Thus, a reduction in the number of pediatric deaths should occur because the ill/injured child is appropriately assessed and lifesaving interventions are initiated.

ENPC is a standardized, interactive course recognized internationally for providing the learner with core-level pediatric emergency knowledge and psychomotor skill experience. The course presents a systematic assessment model, integrates the associated anatomy, physiology and pathophysiology, and identifies appropriate interventions. Prioritization and prevention strategies are included in the course content.

If you are responsible to perform a rapid initial assessment, institute lifesaving interventions, monitor the patient’s responses to resuscitation efforts and communicate with other team members, this course has been specifically designed for you!

Course Objectives
The Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course (ENPC) is designed to provide core-level pediatric knowledge and psychomotor skills needed to care for pediatric patients in the emergency setting.

Upon completion of the ENPC course, the participant should be able to:

1. Describe the characteristics of life-threatening illness and injury in children.
2. Identify the anatomic and physiologic characteristics of children as a basis for signs and symptoms.
3. Identify the most frequent causes of illness or injury in children.
4. Describe the assessment of pediatric patients with illness or injury.
5. Plan the specific interventions needed to manage the pediatric patient with illness or injury.
6. Evaluate the effectiveness of nursing interventions related to patient outcomes.
7. Identify health promotion strategies related to the pediatric population.

Class Location – New Location!!!!
Grace Lutheran Church 3300 East 18th Street Sioux Falls SD
**** A map with the new location will be sent with the class paperwork****
Questions contact Linda March, 1-605-322-2054 (office) Avera McKennan Hospital or linda.march@avera.org.
Class Agenda

**Day 1: 7:00 AM – 5:30 PM**
- Registration
- From the Start
- Initial Assessment
- Clinical Considerations (8 vignettes)
- Respiratory Emergencies
- Trauma
- Shock
- Prioritization
- Demonstration of Ill and Injured Station

**Day 2: 7:30 AM – 4:00 PM**
- The Adolescent
- Rhythm Disturbances
- Disaster
- The Neonate
- Behavioral Emergencies
- Child Maltreatment
- Childhood Illness
- Crisis
- Evaluation: Multiple Choice Exam & Management of Ill/Injured Pediatric Patient

**Stations: Teaching**
1. Ill and Injured Stations (X8 scenarios)
2. Review of Pre-test.

**Stations: Evaluation**
1. Management of Ill/Injured Pediatric Patient
2. Written Evaluation

**Target Audience**
The Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course has been designed for Registered Nurses. It is recommended that the participant have at least six months of clinical nursing experience in a setting that includes pediatric acute care. Other healthcare professionals, such as LPNs or paramedics, may audit the course.

**Contact Hours**
The Emergency Nurses Association will award a total of 16.25 contact hours to participants who complete the pre-course work and attend the entire 2-day course, regardless of their performance during testing. The Emergency Nurses Association is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

**ADA Statement**
In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, please advise the course director of you have any disability requiring special materials and/or services so that appropriate personnel can be advised prior to the course.

**Right of Cancellation Statement**
We reserve the right to cancel this course in the event of inclement weather conditions or low enrollment.
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EMERGENCY NURSE PEDIATRIC COURSE
REGISTRATION FORM

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PLEASE CHECK COURSE YOU WISH TO ATTEND

Name_________________________________________  RN_______  LPN _________
(Audit: No testing on Day 2)
Hospital_____________________________________________________

Home/Mailing Address___________________________________________
City_________________________  State_______  Zip___________

Home/Cell Telephone #______________________  Work Telephone #______________________

(Required)Home Email address

Fee: $245.00 Avera Health Affiliates
$265.00 Non Affiliates

Mail Registration and payment to:
Linda March MA, RN, CNL, CEN, CFRN, CPEN
Avera McKennan Hospital Emergency Department
PO Box 5045
1325 S. Cliff Avenue
Sioux Falls, SD 57117-5045

(CLASSES FILL VERY QUICKLY!!
Early Registration & Payment is suggested!!

($60.00 CANCELLATION FEE IS CHARGED IF YOU CANCEL AFTER THE MANUAL HAS BEEN MAILED.)

Manuals will be mailed to the RN Registrant’s Mailing Address approximately
5 weeks prior to the class.