



# 22nd Annual Southeastern Seaboard Emergency Nurses Symposium

Monday, March 21, 2022- Wednesday, March 23, 2022

Hilton Charlotte University Place, Charlotte, NC

Join us for our 22<sup>nd</sup> annual educational event for emergency nurses. In 2022, we are back in the Queen City, in Charlotte, NC. On Monday we will feature 3 outstanding pre-session activities, followed by our Opening Night celebration in the Exhibit Hall. The conference starts Tuesday morning with our Keynote lecture presented by the current President of ENA followed by concurrent sessions on emergency nursing topics related to Leadership, Clinical Issues, and Forensics. Network and meet with exhibitors and colleagues in our Exhibit Hall, and then join us Tuesday evening for dining and dancing at our annual costume themed event (as allowed based on pandemic restrictions). The conference wraps up on Wednesday afternoon with a closing session and door prizes.



## Hotel Information

Hilton Charlotte University Place  
8629 Keynes Drive  
Charlotte, NC 28262

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} Reservation Phone lines

Reserve your hotel room- click here: [Hotel Reservation Link](#)

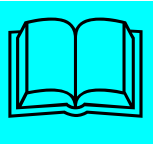
Reservation Deadline: **March 4, 2022**

Room Rates: \$115 per night plus 15.25% tax (subject to change)

Rates will be honored 2 days pre-and post-conference as available

Check in: 3 pm      Check out: 12:00 Noon

Free parking, complimentary Wi-Fi in guest rooms and meeting space, on-site restaurant/bar



## Continuing Professional Development Credit (Contact Hours)

*This activity has been submitted to the Emergency Nurses Association for approval to award contact hours. The Emergency Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.*

Criteria for awarding contact hours: Credit is issued by session

- Attendance for a specified period of time (miss no more than 10 minutes of each education session)
- Completion/submission of evaluation form
- Disclosures of any conflicts of interest will be announced in handouts and on-site if applicable

Register online at: <http://sess.nursingnetwork.com>

# AGENDA

**Monday, March 21, 2022:** 3 Pre-sessions (choose up to 2 to attend):

- **Adult Escape Room:** 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
- **Pediatric Escape Room:** 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- Speaker: Laura Gallagher PhD(c), MSN, APRN, ACNS-BC, CEN

Objectives: Utilize critical thinking skills and teamwork to solve a clinical puzzle and successfully rescue their patient from a potentially negative outcome. NCPD Credit pending approval for each of these activities. Limit 24 participants per session.

- **Ultrasonography Guided Peripheral IV Access:** Session 1: 8-12 pm or Session II: 1-5 pm  
(Supported by Sonosite)  
Speaker: CDR Brian Burdick, MS, AGPCNP-BC, CNS, CCRN

Objective: Define ultrasound-guided peripheral vascular access; Identify evidence-based strategies for implementing and sustaining ultrasound-guided peripheral vascular access; and Discuss guidelines that pertain to ultrasound-guided vascular access. NCPD Credit: pending approval

**Monday March 21, 2022: Opening Reception with Exhibitors:** 5:00 -7:15 p.m. in Exhibit Hall (door prize drawings – must be present to win) (Entry will be based on existing pandemic restrictions)

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**Tuesday, March 22, 2022:** Day 1 of SESS 8:00 a.m. – 5:45 p.m.

**Wednesday, March 23, 2022:** Day 2 of SESS 8:30 a.m. – 5:15 p.m.

March 22, 2022 8:00-9:00 a.m. <b>Registration &amp; Continental Breakfast</b>		
Time	TOPIC	SPEAKER
9 -9:15 a.m.	<b>Welcome/Announcements</b>	Andrea Novak, PhD, MSN, RN, NPD-BC, FAEN, President, SESS, Inc.
9:15-10:15 a.m.	<b>Opening Session- Emergency Nursing: Persistence &amp; Grit</b> Objective: Explore how emergency nursing has changed and continues to change in this new decade of the 2020s and new opportunities for us all.	Jennifer Schmitz, MSN, RN, CEN, CPEN, CNML, NE-BC, FNP-C, 2022 ENA President
10:15-11:15 a.m. Exhibits Open- Coffee Break		
11:15 -12:15 p.m.		
Leadership	<b>Implementing a Surge Capacity Plan at a Military Medical Center Emergency Department</b> Objective: Examine the need for surge capacity plans in hospital organizations.	Kylee Cisneros, DNP, MSN, RN, CEN, TCRN
Clinical	<b>Care of the Immunocompromised Patients in the ED</b> Objective: Be able to describe the pathogenesis of specific disease processes in the immune compromised patient presenting to the ED.	Laura Gallagher, PhDc, MSN, APRN, ACNS-BC, CEN
Forensics	<b>You Can't Always Trust Your Drug Dealer: A Look at Common Street Drugs and Their Killers &amp; Fillers</b> Objective: Describe the potentially harmful agents and adverse effects that may occur due to fillers in common street drugs	Nancy Denke, DNP, ACNP-BC, FNP-BC, FAEN, CEN, CCRN
12:15 -1:00 p.m. <b>Lunch with Exhibitors-Drawings Must be Present to Win</b>		
1:00 -2:00 p.m.		
Leadership	<b>Understanding Emergency Department Performance: Metrics and their link to Quality Outcomes</b> Objective: Discuss the characteristics of Key Performance Indicators in the ED.	Kylee Cisneros, DNP, MSN, RN, CEN,TCRN

Clinical	<b>When Suicide Doesn't Look Like Suicide</b> Objective: Evaluate what suicide "looks like" and analyze case studies.	Gina Slobogin, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, BC-ADM, NHDP-BC, NEA-BC, CEN, TCRN, CPEN, CFRN, PHRN
Forensics	<b>Adolescent Substance Abuse</b> Objective: Describe the most commonly used substances and the extent of the adolescent substance abuse problem.	Nancy Denke, DNP, ACNP-BC, FNP-BC, FAEN, CEN, CCRN
2:15 -3:15 p.m.		
Leadership	<b>The Implementation of a Behavioral Emergency Response Team</b> Objective: Recognize nursing as a vulnerable population with workplace violence and understand the role of a behavioral emergency response team.	Angela Bruccoli, MSN, RN, NEA-BC, CEN
Clinical	<b>It's Not SOS, It's SSSS – Sepsis, Stroke, STEMI, Psych Pitfalls</b> Objective: Discuss rapid recognition and identify key nursing actions to promote the best possible patient outcomes for sepsis, stroke, STEMI, and psychiatric emergencies.	Jean Proehl, MN, RN, CEN, CPEN, TCRN, FAEN, FAAN 1999 ENA President
Forensics	<b>Lessons Learned from a Serial Killer</b> Objective: Illustrate the importance of history and evidence review. Detailed case review of strangulation and sexual assault that highlight the work of the forensic nurse.	Rhonda Boyett, BSN, RN, CEN, SANE-A
3:30 -4:30 p.m.		
Leadership	<b>Safety and Security in the ED: How Operations, Communications and Design Can Keep ED RNs Safe</b> Objective: Identify and describe the top operational, organizational, and architectural decisions that will lead to a safer emergency department design.	Jon Huddy, AIA, NCARB, RA, M.Arch, BA Design
Clinical	<b>Emergency Nursing Hacks</b> Objective: Describe tricks of the trade for emergency nurses and evaluate non-standard techniques for safety.	Jean Proehl, MN, RN, CEN, CPEN, TCRN, FAEN, FAAN 1999 ENA President
Forensics	<b>From the Cradle to the Cane</b> Objective: Explore accidental verses intentional trauma in vulnerable populations.	Rhonda Boyett, BSN, RN, CEN, SANE-A
4:30-4:45 p.m. Break		
4:45-5:45 p.m. Plenary	<b>ER Battlefield Leadership: Leadership Lessons from the Civil War</b> Objective: Discuss the civil war leaders and speeches and communication styles. Recognize your own leadership style.	Gina Slobogin, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, BC-ADM, NHDP-BC, NEA-BC, CEN, TCRN, CPEN, CFRN, PHRN
7:00-10:00 p.m. <b>Sports Hero's Party</b> Show your team spirit- come as your favorite type of athlete, team player, or fan. Dinner and Dancing. Ticketed event <b>*event may be cancelled subject to pandemic restrictions</b>		
<b>Wednesday March 23, 2022</b>		
8:00-9:00 a.m. Registration and Breakfast		
9:00-9:15 a.m. Announcements		
9:15-10:15 a.m. Plenary	<b>It Could Never Happen to Me (Substance Misuse)</b> Objective: Discuss how substance use disorder can happen to anyone	Mitzi Averette, MSN, RN, CNE, CHSE
10:30 -11:30 a.m.		
Leadership	<b>Fireproofing Nurses: Reducing Burnout in ED Nurses</b> Objective: Identify critical points in the retention timeline and compare the Fire Triangle to the Burnout Triangle	Michele Lee, DNP, RN, CEN, NPD-BC

Clinical	<b>When Everything You Do is WRONG: Resuscitation in RV Failure</b> Objective: Identify right sided cardiac physiology from left sided physiology and common interventions or pharmacologic treatments in acute RV failure.	Jacob Miller, MS, MBA, APRN, ACNP, FNP, CNS, CCRN, CFRN, NRP, CCP-C, FP-C
Forensic	<b>"Suspicion" in the ED: Recognizing and Managing Patients Who Present Under "Suspicious" Circumstances</b> Objective: Discuss the identification of "suspicious" patients, provide appropriate care and address safety concerns in a way that supports successful law enforcement and judicial action.	Rae Wooten, BSN, RN, F-ABMDI
11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.		
Leadership	<b>ED RN Pathway: A Professional Growth Plan for Transitioning to Practice and Beyond</b> Objective: Define Transition to Practice Programs and explore the impact of the ED RN Pathway.	Michele Lee, DNP, RN, CEN, NPD-BC
Clinical	<b>(Don't) Hop to it: Intubating the Physiologically Difficult Airway</b> Objective: Differentiate anatomic from physiologic difficulties and formulate a treatment plan.	Jacob Miller, MS, MBA, APRN, ACNP, FNP, CNS, CCRN, CFRN, NRP, CCP-C, FP-C
Forensics	<b>Psychopathy or Psychosis</b> Objective: Learners will distinguish between mental illness from criminality.	Nina Beaman, EdD, MSN, CNE, RN, PMH-BC, RNC-AWHC, CMA (AAMA)
12:45-1:30 p.m. <b>Lunch (provided)</b>		
1:30-2:30 p.m.		
Leadership	<b>Crisis Standards of Care: Changing Care Expectations and Practices during a Crisis</b> Objective: Discuss health care provider resources, training, and communication strategies for crisis standards of care.	Audrey, Snyder, PhD, RN, CEN, CCRN, ACNP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN
Clinical	<b>"The Good, the Bad, &amp; the Ugly" Part I: History of Vaccinations</b> Objective: Discuss and describe the evolution of the practice of vaccination as well as the successes and failures of a variety of vaccination efforts in the eradication of preventable diseases.	Andrew Galvin, MSN, ACNP-BC, CEN
Forensic	<b>Cold Case</b> Objective: Identify three methods that law enforcement notifies victims in cold case sexual assault crimes.	Angie Alexander MSN, RN, CEN, SANE-A, SANE-P, AFN-BC
2:45-3:45p.m.		
Leadership	<b>Palliative Conversations &amp; Care</b> Objective: Identify patient situations where palliative vs. aggressive treatments may be an option.	Audrey, Snyder, PhD, RN, CEN, CCRN, ACNP-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN
Clinical	<b>"The Good, the Bad, &amp; the Ugly": Part II: COVID Vaccination Issues</b> Objective: Discuss the emergency of novel corona virus, development of corona virus vaccine, and safety concerns.	Andrew Galvin, MSN, ACNP-BC, CEN
Forensic	<b>Strangulation</b> Objective: Describe the physical assessment of strangulation and the importance of radiology imaging and how strangulation is a strong predictor of lethality in domestic violence/intimate partner violence.	Angie Alexander MSN, RN, CEN, SANE-A, SANE-P, AFN-BC
3:45-4:00 p.m. <b>Afternoon Break</b>		
4:00-5:15 p.m.		
Closing Plenary Door prizes	<b>The Neurobiology of Pleasure</b> Objective: Describe the neurobiology of relaxation and determine which techniques to use to decrease anxiety, relax or find pleasure.	Nina Beaman, EdD, MSN, CNE, RN, PMH-BC, RNC-AWHC, CMA (AAMA)

## Questions:

Conference:	Andrea Novak	sessprez@gmail.com	910-818-2249
Registration:	Valere Bilichka	valereanya@gmail.com	252-514-3601
Exhibitors:	Julie Jones	sess@sc-ena.org	843-860-0585
Education:	Ellen Ruja	ellenr1202@gmail.com	843-412-3954

## General Information

Agenda subject to change based on current Pandemic restrictions; SESS reserves the right to change/substitute speakers or convert to some web-based learning as need arises.

Children are not allowed in any SESS sponsored activity, classroom, or event. Childcare arrangements may be made through the hotel Concierge Services.

Dress Code: Please dress in Business Casual/Comfort mode, consider dressing in layers to accommodate for changes in room temperature that may be beyond our control to manage.

Special Needs: if you have special needs or require ADA assistance, please notify the Registrar a minimum of **30 days prior** to start of event in order for us to make reasonable accommodations.

## Cancellations/Refunds/Substitutes/Transfers

- Cancel before March 14, 2022, for full refund or one-time *transfer* to the 2023 SESS
- Cancel on or after March 14, 2002, and receive refund less 30% for admin fee
- No-show, no refund
- If you cannot attend, you may send a substitute in your place. Please notify Registrar with new attendee information.

## 2022 SESS Registration Fees\*

\*Multiple discounts do not apply \*\* Note there are 3 types of Fees- Early, Late, and On-Site

<b>Early Registration: Register and Pay Between 11/1/2021- 2/1/2022</b>	ENA Member	Non-ENA Member
<b>Pre-session A:</b> Ultrasonography Guided Peripheral IV Access- <b>select one</b> of the following to attend: ____ Session I: 8-12 p.m. ____ Session II: 1-5 p.m.	\$80	\$80
<b>Pre-session B:</b> Adult Escape Room	\$80	\$80
<b>Pre-session C:</b> Pediatric Escape Room	\$80	\$80
Attend 2 Pre-sessions	\$145	\$145
<b>2-day SESS</b>	\$350	\$375
Group Discount 2-day SESS for 3 or more attendees registering together on one form of payment	\$300	\$325
Full-time Student (undergraduate)/Retired RN Fee- 2-day SESS	\$300	\$300
Tuesday Only SESS includes dinner party	\$200	\$225
Wednesday Only SESS	\$175	\$200
<b>Combos:</b>		
2-day SESS & Ultrasonography Guided Peripheral IV Access - select one of the following to attend: ____ Session I: 8-12 pm ____ Session II: 1-5 pm	\$400	\$425

2-day SESS & Adult Escape Room	\$400	\$425
2-day SESS & Pediatric Escape Room	\$400	\$425
2-day SESS & 2 Pre-Sessions	\$480	\$505
2-day NON-RN Guest Fee to attend conference, no credit awarded	\$225	\$225

<b>Late Registration: Register and Pay <i>On or After 2/2/2022- 3/16/2022</i></b>	ENA Member	Non-ENA Member
Pre-session A: Ultrasonography Guided Peripheral IV Access - select one of the following to attend: ____ Session I: 8-12 pm ____ Session II: 1-5 pm	\$80	\$80
Pre-session B: Adult Escape Room	\$80	\$80
Pre-session C: Pediatric Escape Room	\$80	\$80
Attend 2 Pre-sessions	\$145	\$145
<b>2-day SESS</b>	\$375	\$400
Group Discount 2-day SESS for 3 or more attendees registering together on one form of payment	\$350	\$ 375
Full-time Student (undergraduate)/Retired RN Fee- 2-day SESS	\$325	\$325
Tuesday Only SESS includes dinner party	\$225	\$250
Wednesday Only SESS	\$200	\$225
Guest Ticket for Tuesday Night Party	\$75	\$75
<b>Combos: Register <i>On or After 2/2/2022- 3/16/2022</i></b>		
2-day SESS & Ultrasonography Guided Peripheral IV Access - select one of the following to attend: ____ Session I: 8-12 pm ____ Session II: 1-5 pm	\$425	\$450
2-day SESS & Adult Escape Room	\$425	\$450
2-day SESS & Pediatric Escape Room	\$425	\$450
2-day SESS & 2 Pre-Sessions	\$505	\$530
2-day NON-RN Guest Fee to attend conference, no credit awarded	\$225	\$225

- **Online registration is not available after March 16, 2022. However, you may still register at the conference location starting on Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>.** Late Registrations will be taken at the Registration Table at the start of each conference day. Access to pre-sessions will be as space allows.
- For On-site and Late registrations, please **add \$25** to the posted regular fee for the type of event you want to attend.

**22<sup>nd</sup> Annual SESS Registration Form**  
**Early Registration Deadline: February 1, 2022**

Register online at: <http://sess.nursingnetwork.com>

**Please Print or Type**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current ENA Member # (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Full-time Undergraduate Student: Include ID with registration

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: State: Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer City: Employer State: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs/Food Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Please do NOT share my work information with colleagues or exhibitors

***Please check which of the following you will be attending:***

***Pre-Session(s) Only: Select up to 2 of the following:***

Ultrasonography IV  Session I  Session II

Adult Escape Room (am)

Pediatric Escape Room (pm)

**2-Day SESS (includes party ticket)**

Tuesday Only

Wednesday Only

**SESS Combo Options: (check box above for which Pre- Session time)**

2-day SESS & 2 Pre-Sessions (Identify in above boxes)

2-day SESS & IV Ultrasonography

2-day SESS & Adult Escape Room

2-day SESS & Pediatric Escape Room

**Guest Information:** A guest is a **non-RN** participant. Not eligible for CPD contact hours, tote bag.

I will bring number of Guests who will attend the conference

Conference Guest Names(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Guest party ticket \$75 (not attending any classes or meals)

**PAYMENT:** \$ Total Amount Enclosed or Charge to my Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to **"SESS"** Mail check with your completed registration to:

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New Bern, NC 28560

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