



## Education Programs

Today's hospitals and health systems face challenges that may impact their ability to deliver the best care possible for their patients – pressures from the Affordable Care Act, new technologies, new models of care, cost-containment measures and an aging population.

Delivering Continuing Education programs and Competency Models, The Center for the Advancement of Healthcare Professionals is here to build a healthcare workforce that is prepared to face challenges, today and for the future.

### Nurse Continuing Education (CE)

- ANCC accredited courses for healthcare professionals
- Interactive online courses
  - 175 RN/LPN – all specialties
  - 28 nursing support
  - 30 CCMC pre-approved courses
- Healthcare Reform Certificate
  - 7 courses (11 hours) State-required courses available
- 225,000 CE courses completed annually
- Over 400,000 registered RN.com users
- 100+ hospital clients utilizing RN.com for CE and knowledge competency assessments

### Pharmacist Continuing Education (CE)

- Interactive blended-style courses
- ACPE accredited courses for pharmacists and pharmacy techs
  - Over 20,000 courses completed annually
  - 72 total rotating webinars throughout 2014; all accredited for pharmacists
  - 66 accredited for technicians
  - 3 accredited for nurse practitioners
- 150,000 registered users
- State-required courses available
- Distance courses
  - 27 accredited for pharmacists
  - 24 accredited for technicians

## Competency Model

### Validation

- Exams reflect the essential knowledge for practice in each specialty
- Mastery of exam content assures that clinician has the knowledge required for competent practice
- Robust statistical procedures specific to mastery testing

### Evidence-Based

- Correct answers supported by expert clinicians, professional and healthcare organizations, and governmental agencies
- Measure knowledge of safety, infection control, national patient safety goals, and never events
- Expert clinicians validate allocation of exam questions

## Knowledge Competency Assessments

### Exams

- Over 40 nursing/nursing support and 20 allied exams that are updated every 2 years
- Created by a team of testing and subject matter experts
- Test mastery statistics run to determine reliability; subject matter expert reviews for validity
- Mastery statistics include; discrimination, difficulty and distractor analysis
- Updated to reflect changes in practice, new standards, other needed improvements

# Education Models

## Nursing

- Arrhythmia Interpretation
- Basic Medication Admin LPN
- Basic Medication Admin NICU
- Basic Medication Admin OR
- Basic Medication Admin Pediatric
- Basic Medication Admin Psychiatric
- Basic Medication Admin RN
- Cath Lab
- Critical Care (ICU)
- Critical Care Medication Calculations
- Dialysis
- Emergency
- Home Health
- Hospice
- IV Therapy
- Maternal Child
- Medication Calculation Review
- Med Surg RN
- NICU
- Oncology
- PACU
- Pediatric
- Pediatric ED
- Pediatric Home Health
- Perioperative
- PICU
- Post-Partum Nursery
- Progressive Care
- Psychiatric
- Telemetry
- Wound Care

## Nursing Support

- Cardiac Monitor Technician
- Certified Medication Aide
- Dialysis Technician
- LPN Skilled
- LPN/LVN Med Surg
- Medical Assistant
- Nursing Assistant
- Surgical Technician

## Allied

- Cardiac Interventional
- COTA
- CT Technologist
- Echo Technologist
- EEG Technologist
- Histology Technologist
- Mammography Technologist
- Medical Laboratory Technologist
- MRI Technologist
- Nuclear Medicine Technologist
- Occupational Therapist
- Physical Therapy
- Physical Therapy Assistant
- Polysomnographer
- Radiation Therapist
- Radiology Technologist
- Respiratory Therapist/PFT
- Sonographer
- Speech Language Pathologist
- Vascular Interventional Technologist



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