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**PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR**

TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, The Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses in the United States comprise our nation's largest health care profession; and

WHEREAS, The depth and breadth of the nursing profession meets the different emerging health care needs of the American population in a wide range of settings; and

WHEREAS, The American Nurses Association, and the National Federation of Licensed Practical Nurse's (NFLPN) acting as the voice for nurses of the country, are working to chart a new course for a healthy nation that relies on increasing delivery of primary and preventative healthcare; and a renewed emphasis on primary and preventative health care will require the better utilization of all of our nation's nursing resources, and

WHEREAS, Professional nursing has been demonstrated to be an indispensable component in the safety and quality of care of hospitalized patients; and the demand for licensed nursing services will be greater than ever because of the aging of the American population, the continuing expansion of life-sustaining technology, and the explosive growth of home health care services; and

WHEREAS, That more qualified licensed nurses will be needed in the future to meet the increasingly complex needs of health care consumers in this community; and

WHEREAS, The cost-effective, safe and quality health care services provided by nurses will be an ever more important component of the U.S. health care delivery system in the future; and

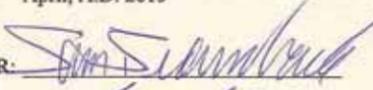
WHEREAS, Along with the Kansas State Board of Nursing and the Kansas State Nurses Association, the American Nurses Association, National Federation of Licensed Practical Nurses and Kansas Federation of Licensed Practical Nurses have declared the week of May 6th - 12th as NATIONAL NURSES WEEK 2015 with the theme "Ethical practice Quality Care" in celebration of the ways in which nurses strive to provide safe and high quality patient care and map out the way to improve our health care system:

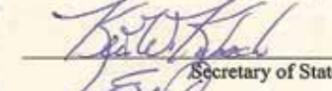
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sam Brownback, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby proclaim May 6 - 12, 2015 as

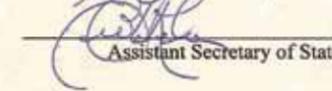
National Nurses Week

in Kansas and urge all Kansans to join in this observance.

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka
under the Great Seal of the
State this 21st day of
April, A.D. 2015

BY THE GOVERNOR: 


Secretary of State


Assistant Secretary of State



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National Nurses Week Proclamation Signing



From left to right: Frances Seymour-Hunter RN, KHPA; Betty Stewart RN, Investigator KSBN; Debra Qunitanilla RN, Investigator KSBN; Angella Herrman RN, KSNA President-Elect; Diane Glynn JD, RN, Practice Specialist KSBN; Deborah Stern RN, JD, KHA; Inge Reed CPM, Administrative Specialist KSBN; Terry Seik RN, MSN, NEA-BC, Chief Nursing Officer/VP Hays Medical Center; Carrie Saia BSN, RN, CEO Holton Community Hospital and Governor Sam Brownback, seated.

KSBN COMMITTEE REPORTS

December 2014 CNE Committee

The December CNE Committee was called to order December 9, 2014 at 8:45 a.m. in room 560 of the Landon State Office Building in Topeka by Judy Hiner, Chair. Agenda was amended to move the four LTP 5 year renewals under Unfinished Business to New Business. The minutes from the September 2014 meeting were approved as drafted.

D. Glynn reported IOA's were denied for being incomplete, submitted outside of renewal period, and did not meet the definition of CNE. Committee directed Board staff to create an instruction document that the Board can place on the website to assist individuals with the submission of their IOA's.

The following long term provider applications were approved pending submission of missing documents:

Prairie View, Inc.
Kansas Heart Hospital
Professional Continuing Education
Midwest Health Continuing Nursing Education

The following long term provider applications were approved as submitted:

Area Health Education Center-West

Long Term Providers not submitting annual reports will be sent a letter by Miriah. They will be told that their providerships are considered relinquished by inaction on their part. Copies of letter to be placed in their files and spreadsheets adjusted accordingly to reflect their status.

KSBN will not be giving credit for BLS (Basic Life Support) as the committee re-reviewed regulation 60-9-106(e)(2) BLS is basic prep at the level of current licensure. ANCC also gives credit for in-services and KSBN does not, as it is basic and not designed to meet the Kansas definition of CNE.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:26 a.m.

December 2014 APRN Committee

The APRN Committee met December 9, 2014 and was called to order by Carol Bragdon, PhD, APRN, Chair at 1:30 pm in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building. The minutes from September 16, 2014 were approved.

It was moved to approve the following out of state schools and their courses:

- California State University – Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
- Concordia University – Wisconsin – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Cox College – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Goldfarb – Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Graceland University – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Midwestern State University – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Northern Kentucky University – Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
- University of North Carolina – Greensboro, Wake Forest Baptist Health –RNA
- University of Texas At Arlington – Adult Nurse Practitioner
- University of Wisconsin – Madison – Adult Nurse Practitioner

Carol Bragdon mentioned the ANCC will retire the exam for the Pediatric Clinical Nurse Specialist certification. Marilyn Douglass discussed the proposed amendment to HB 326 language.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:04 pm.

KSBN COMMITTEE REPORTS

Practice Committee

The Practice Committee met on March 24. The Joint Pain Management Guideline meeting has been postponed indefinitely. Attempts to reschedule are still being made. A new resource diagram created by KNEP was reviewed. It illustrates the relationships between practice, education and associations for nursing in Kansas. It will be recommended to the Board to adopt the diagram and place a link on the KSBN web page. A uniform roster sample was reviewed and it was recommended to make it available to all IV therapy providers. It will help standardize the information reported by providers.

December Finance Committee

The December Finance Committee was called to order December 10, 2014 at 8:32 a.m. in room 560 of the Landon State Office Building in Topeka by Bernard Becker, Chair. M. Blubaugh introduced Jennifer Ouellette the agencies new budget analyst. The minutes of the September 17, 2014 Finance Committee were approved as written.

KSBN had only one KORA request for this quarter which means there was not enough information to analyze the fees. The staff will continue to collect the information and bring back in March if there are more requests.

M. Blubaugh reported that the fee fund balance will go down due to the reduction of fees. The preliminary budget was approved for FY16 and FY17. There is a 4% budget reduction for the last months of FY15 for the state general fund agencies, but the fee fund agencies did not have a reduction. A. Guerrero reported that he may need onsite vendor assistance with the upgrade and migration to our licensure system. It was moved to authorize expenditures up to \$15,000 for vendor support for the upgrade and migration of license application.

The meeting adjourned at 8:51 A.M.

December 2014 Education Committee

The Education Committee met December 9, 2014 and was called to order by Brenda Moffitt, APRN, CNS-BC, Chair at 8:30 a.m. in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building. The minutes from September 16, 2014, 2014 were approved. Mary Blubaugh presented Carol Moreland's Education Specialist report.

The site visit report from Larned State Hospital MHT program was reviewed. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Larned State Hospital MHT Program with recommendations and to approve the program to admit up to 10 students annually.

The site visit report from Bethel College BSN Program was reviewed. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Bethel College BSN Program with recommendations and to approve the program for a period of time consistent with CCNE accreditation.

Hesston College presented an application for approval of a BSN Program. It was moved to approve the request from Hesston College to offer a BSN Program with a site visit to occur before approval is given to admit students.

The following schools presented major curriculum changes:

- Butler Community College ADN Program
- Neosho County Community College PN Program

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KSBN COMMITTEE REPORTS

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- Cloud County Community College ADN Program
- Fort Hays State University BSN Program
- Hutchinson Community College PN and ADN Programs
- Pratt Community College PN and ADN Programs
- University of Kansas School of Nursing, Graduate Midwifery Program
- Fort Scott Community College MHT Program

Eight petitions for permission to test/retest were reviewed and action taken.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:57 am.

Investigative Committee

The Investigative Committee met on Monday and Tuesday March 23 and 24. Costs of actions information was presented and discussed. It was recommended to the Board that costs of action assessed in discipline matters be increased from \$70.00 to \$100.00. The last increase in costs was in approximately 1997. Review and discussion of the LMHT act continues. The 5 year legislative review process continues. At this meeting KSA 65-1121a and KAR60-3-101 were reviewed. No needed changes were identified.

THE CONDUCT OF BOARD MEETINGS



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15. The President is responsible for the conduct of the meeting and will enforce the rules of conduct.

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KSBN Committee Member Application

Committee: _____

Name: _____

Work Address: _____ Phone #: _____

Fax #: _____ e-mail: _____

Home Address: _____ Phone #: _____

License Category: RN LPN APRN LMHT

Years experience in active nursing practice: _____ Practice area: _____

Briefly list any qualifications and/or skills that you would bring to this position:

Please attach your vitae and return to the
 Kansas State Board of Nursing by **August 31, 2015**.
 Mailing address is
 KSBN Committee Application
 900 SW Jackson, Suite 1051
 Topeka, KS 66612-1230
 or via fax to (785) 296-3929 or
 by e-mail to mary.blubaugh@ksbn.state.ks.us

KSBN Committee Applications

Appointments are to be made for the KSBN committees after the September board meeting. The committees which will have vacancies are listed below. If an individual wishes to be considered for a committee, please complete the application, attach your vitae and return to the Kansas State Board of Nursing by August 31, 2015.

Applications may be faxed to (785) 296-3929, e-mailed to mary.blubaugh@ksbn.state.ks.us or mail to KSBN Committee Application, 900 SW Jackson, Suite 1051, Topeka, KS 66612-1230.

Continuing Nursing Education Committee - 2 positions
 Qualifications: CNE Provider

Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Committee - 2 positions
 Qualifications: Licensed as an APRN in the category of:
 Position 1: RNA
 Position 2: NP

Education Committee -2 positions
 Qualifications:
 Position 1: Represent Masters of Science Nursing Program
 Position 2: Represent Associate Degree Nursing Program

Practice/IV Therapy Committee - 4 positions
 Qualifications: Engaged in practice and/or IV Therapy

Nursing License Renewal Schedule

If your license expires on: (Please refer to the Check Status of Expiration to verify your expirations date.)	You should receive your renewal notice postcard by:	Your properly completed renewal application should be in the Board office by:
July 31, 2015	May 15, 2015	June 15, 2015
August 31, 2015	June 15, 2015	July 15, 2015
September 30, 2015	July 15, 2015	August 15, 2015
October 31, 2015	August 15, 2015	September 15, 2015
November 30, 2015	September 15, 2015	October 15, 2015
December 31, 2015	October 15, 2015	November 15, 2015



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EDUCATION		785-296-3782
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Vacant		
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Unlicensed Practice

The following individuals were fined for unlicensed practice for practicing for six (6) calendar months or more in Kansas without a license, or had a second or subsequent unlicensed practice.

Mary Lee
#23-24340-041
Caldwell, KS 67022
21 months/\$1000

Tiffany Hamm
#14-75054-061
Olathe, KS 66061
25 months/\$1000

Lyndi Babb
#14-91000-091
Kearney, MO 64060
16 months/\$800

Sarah Nelson
#24-39614-021
Topeka, KS 66619
2nd offense/\$100

Cheryl Ratliff
#13-31297-082
Leawood, KS 66224
50 months/\$1000

False/Inaccurate Information

The following individuals were fined for providing false/inaccurate information in the KSBN renewal licensing process a second or subsequent time and were fined \$200.00

Patricia Burnett
#24-39552-122
Mulvane, KS 67110

Sally Percell
#24-11959-021
Wichita, KS 67204

Ameenah Johnson
#14-110802-011
Killeen, TX 76549

Frednand Mwisomba
#24-40105-112
Kansas City, MO 64117

Meredith Lewis
#23-35164-022
Olathe, KS 66212

Richard Vargas
#23-37423-122
Wichita, KS 67207

Daniel Reynolds
#14-97293-041
Kansas City, MO 64112

Mary Simpson
#13-114112-041
Lawrence, KS 66047

Betty Brigance
#24-26863-031
Leavenworth, KS 66048

ADDRESS CHANGE

You can use your user ID and password to change your address on-line OR send us the change of address in writing. Please submit within 30 days of address change. You may mail your address change to Kansas State Board of Nursing; 900 SW Jackson St, Ste 1051; Topeka, KS 66612-1230. The Address Change form is available at www.ksbn.org/forms.

If you do not have access to a computer please include the following information in your written request:

First and Last Name
(please print complete names)

Kansas Nursing License Number(s)

Social Security Number _____

Old Address and New Address
(complete Street Address with Apt #, City, State, and Zip)

Home phone number and Work Phone number

Date the New Address is in Effect

Sign and date your request

We are unable to accept your request to change your address from information delivered over the phone or via an email. All requests must be received in writing and include a signature.

BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

2015 Board Meeting

- June 16 & 17
- September 15 & 16
- December 8 & 9

WALL CERTIFICATES

Wall Certificates suitable for framing are available through the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Certificates are available to those RNs/LPNs/LMHTs/NPs/CNSs/NMWs/RNAs who hold a permanent Kansas license. To obtain a certificate, please complete the following form.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Certificate of Qualification (License) Number: _____

Original Date of Issue: _____

Each certificate is \$10.00.

Please submit order form to:
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Landon State Office Building
900 SW Jackson, Suite 1051
Topeka, KS 66612-1230

DISCIPLINE CASES

Drug & Alcohol Violation

Timur Abdullayev
Lindsborg, KS 67456
License #23-33521-021
Case #13-2006-3
License Revoked 2/11/2015

Mary Barba
Topeka, KS 66605
License #23-36338-082
Case #14-1360-8
License Revoked 3/23/2015

Teresea Berry
Wichita, KS 67216
License #13-78166-011
Case #12-2192-5
License Revoked 2/9/2015

Michelle Brown
Colby, KS 67701
License #23-33990-082
Case #13-2234-2
License Revoked 2/11/2015

Brandy Cummins
Atchison, KS 66002
License #23-39516-101
Case #14-2203-9
Reinstatement application
Denied 2/2/2015

Andrew Fountain
Hill City, KS 67642
License #13-124423-072
Case #14-403-2
License Revoked 3/24/2015

Kerry Helten
Wichita, KS 67212
License #13-114113-082
Case #12-1175-5
License Suspended w/ Stay
2/9/2015

Sarah Maddux
Wichita, KS 67203
License #23-31666-091
Case #13-1613-5
Reinstatement application
Denied 1/14/15

Michelle Maina
Carl Junction, MO 64834
License Applicant
Case #14-1480-0
Endorsement application
Denied 2/2/2015

Jennifer Marrs
Mound City, KS 66056
License #13-116119-082
Case #13-569-0
License Revoked 2/25/2015

Tiffany McKeel
Grain Valley, MO 64029
License Applicant
Case #14-2172-0
Endorsement application
Denied 3/16/2015

Teresa Murphy
Abilene, KS 67410
License #23-36855-012
Case #13-1725-9 & 09-345-9
Reinstatement application
Denied 1/21/2015

Traci Owens
Wichita, KS 67203
License #13-87761-082
Case #12-1805-6
License Suspended w/ Stay
1/13/2015

Samantha Roubison
Lenexa, KS 66215
License #23-28175-121
Case #12-2267-8
License Revoked 4/1/2015

Mark Sutter
Plainville, KS 67663
License #13-84110-121
Case #14-967-3
License Revoked 3/23/2015

Fraud or Deceit Violation

Genevieve Easterling
Chalmette, LA 70043
License #24-43717-102
Case #14-1300-0
License Revoked 3/3/2015

Deanna Evans
Meriden, KS 66512
License #23-24149-052
Case #13-1130-8
License Revoked 4/7/2015

Gina Figures
Cherryvale, KS 67335
License #23-28110-031
Case #13-407-6
License Revoked 3/23/2015

Ricky Hensley
Texhoma, OK 73949
License #14-89968-111
Case #14-1600-0 & 04-888-0
Reinstatement Application
Denied 1/20/2015

Cynthia Keys
Wichita, KS 67215
License #13-104898-021
Case #10-1368-5
License Revoked 1/14/2015

Penny Lawson
Belton, MO 64012
License #14-89245-032
Case #14-233-0
License Revoked 2/11/2015

Diane McCoy
Kansas City, KS 66106
License #23-31373-021
Case #13-745-7
License Revoked 6/24/2014

Barbara Mosley
Milwaukee, WI 53223
License #23-4817-032
Case #14-657-0
Reinstatement Denied
12/11/2014

Nereida Paredes
Bazine, KS 67516
Never Licensed
Case #14-1119-2
Initial Application Denied
2/17/2015

Rochelle Rodriguez
San Antonio, TX 78231
License #24-35660-062
Case #09-132-7, 10-816-7,
12-837-0, 12-094-7
License Revoked 2/11/2015

DISCIPLINE CASES

Mental Incompetence Violation

Betty Howe
Salina, KS 67401
License #13-64433-122
Case #13-2239-3
License Revoked 1/2/2015

Robertson Machaira
Redding, CA 96002
License #14-111245-101
Case #11-330-0
License Revoked 2/11/15

Patricia Russell
Lansing, KS 66043
License #23-26499-061
Case #11-992-9
License Revoked 3/9/2015

Jane Spurgeon
Ames, IA 50010
Never Licensed
Case #14-888-0
Endorsement Application
Denied 1/14/2015

Michael Taylor
Vassar, KS 66543
License #23-34995-111
Case #10-1390-8
License Revoked 1/14/2015

Unprofessional Conduct Violation

Mary Chargois
Kansas City, MO 64117
License #13-70934-042
Case #14-983-0
License Suspended w/ Stay
2/5/2015

Julia Diekemper
Saint Louis, MO 63109
License #14-100432-071
Case #13-843-0
License Revoked 3/3/2015

Sicily Freisner
Overland Park, KS 66212
License #14-124909-051
Case #13-354-7
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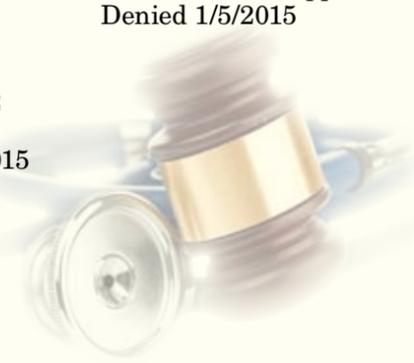
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Kansas Nurse Assistance Program

What is KNAP?

KNAP is a professional assistance program designed to assist all nurses and mental health technicians who have a problem or illness that has or could impair their ability to practice safely.

The Goal of KNAP

Mental and physical illness, including alcohol and other drug addiction, can potentially impair

practice and health. We estimate that at any given time, approximately 10% of the population is affected. This same percentage is thought to be true of healthcare professionals.

Alcohol and other drug addiction, as well as mental and physical illnesses, are treatable. KNAP works with the program participants to obtain an evaluation, treatment (if indicated), and monitoring throughout the recovery process.

Referrals

Self-referrals to the program are encouraged, but referrals may be made by a family member, a friend, employer or anyone concerned about the nurse/LMHT.

Anonymous referrals are not accepted. A person may call for information or advice without giving their name, however. Referrals may be made by calling 913-236-7575.

KNAP Providers

- Confidential services to Kansas RNs, LPNs, and LMHTs experiencing problems and illnesses which could lead to impaired practice.
- Interventions, assessments, referrals for evaluation and treatment (if indicated.)
- On-going monitoring through random urine drug screens, contact with employers and monthly groups.

Causes for Concern

Job Function

- Narcotics discrepancies, e.g.: incorrect counts, alteration of narcotic containers, increased patient reports of ineffective pain control, discrepancies on records or frequent corrections of records, unusual amounts of narcotics wasted, significant variations in the quantity of narcotics ordered for technician's unit or shift.
- Fluctuations in the quality of work performance.
- Irresponsible behavior from someone previously conscientious and responsible.
- Requests to work shifts that are the least supervised.
- Inordinate interest in patients' pain control medications.

Behavior

- Increasing isolation from colleagues, friends and family and avoiding social activities.
- Complaints from others about work performance or alcohol or drug use.
- Mood swings, irritability or depression, or suicide threats or attempts, perhaps caused by accidental overdose.

Physical Symptoms

- Obvious intoxication such as swaying, staggering or slurred speech.
- Odor of alcohol on breath or the excessive use of breath-fresheners or perfume to disguise the odor of alcohol.

KNAP is supported by funds from the Board of Nursing and, in small part, by fees charged to the participants.

For further information
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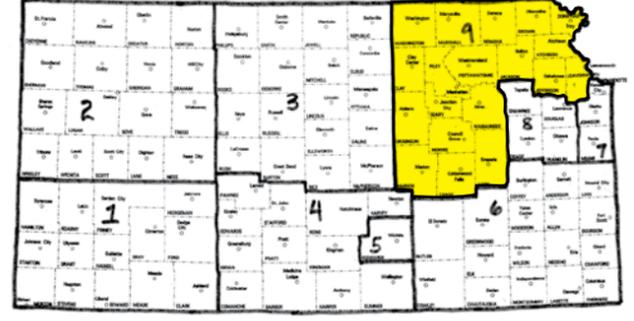
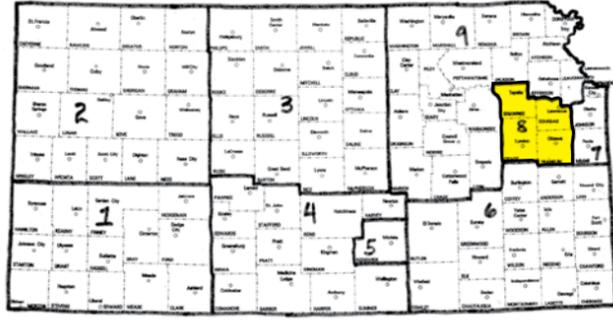
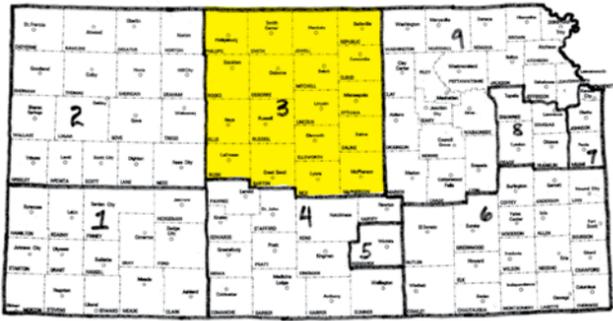
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REGION III

September 24, 2015, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Salina, KS Intermediate Fetal Monitoring: An In-depth Review. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or ext 375. Fac: Crystal Young, RN, MSN. Aud: RN, LPN. This course will be taught following the Association of Women's Health, Obstetrical, Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN) curriculum. The attendees will receive basic fetal monitoring and discuss in detail intermediate fetal monitoring guidelines and practicum education. Fee: \$87.00. Reg. by: September 21, 2015. Contact Hours: 8.

REGION VIII

July 18 & 25, 2015, 9:00 am-7:00 pm both days, Baldwin City, KS Healing Touch Level One. Spon: The Light Center, 1542 Woodson Rd., Baldwin City, KS 66006. Contact: Robin Goff, 785-255-4583. Fac: Robin Goff, BSN, MAV, CHTP, CHTI. Aud: RN, LPN. A comprehensive course in energetic healing with practice of numerous hands-on techniques which can be applied in all nursing settings and can lead to an international certification. Fee: \$275.00. Reg. by: July 11, 2015. Contact Hours: 18.

REGION IX

September 22, 2015, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Clay Center, KS Metabolic Syndrome vs Type 2 Diabetes. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or ext 375. Fac: Emilie Hagen, ARNP-CNS, CDE, CCM. Aud: RN, LPN. Metabolic Syndrome will be defined and how it relates to Type 2 Diabetes. Diabetes is everywhere and seems to be increasing every

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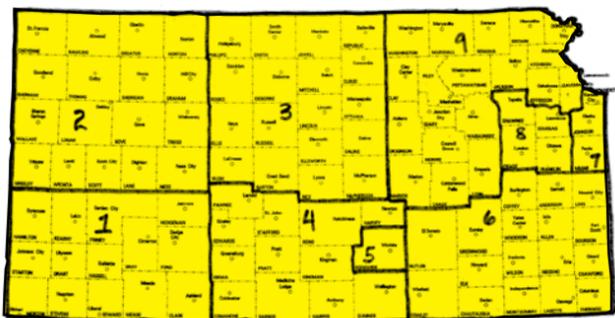
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year. The focus of this workshop is a practical real world approach to assisting individuals with their attempt to fit Diabetes into their lifestyle. Fee: \$87.00. Reg. by: September 18, 2015. Contact Hours: 8.

September 30, 2015, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Abilene, KS

The Art and Science of Aromatherapy. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or ext 375. Fac: Jan Dyer, LPN, MS Natural Health. Aud: RN, LPN. This class will explain and introduce the use of essential oils in the treatment of acute and chronic illnesses. Participants will learn the safe application of oils and the healing properties of several commonly used oils. Essential oil constituents, the history of essential oil use, and the present day use in

the clinical environment will be explored and discussed. Fee: \$87.00. Reg. by: September 28, 2015. Contact Hours: 8.



STATEWIDE

August 8, 2015, 8:00 am-3:00 p.m., Wichita, KS

Spanish Today for Medical Professionals. Spon: Zinta Inspired Language/Spanish Horizons, 1855 S. Rock Road, Suite 129, Wichita, KS 67207. Contact: Kerry Smith, 316-932-2361. Aud: RN, LPN, LMHT. Employees who work in the medical field gain the ability to quickly use targeted and practical occupational Spanish phrases and basic Spanish knowledge with interpersonal and cross-cultural training in this fun and interactive 6 hour seminar. Fee: \$145.00. Reg. by: NLT 72 hrs before seminar w/o late fee. Contact Hours: 6.8.

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September 11, 2015, 8:00 am-4:00 pm, Wichita, KS

30th Annual Townsend Cardiovascular Nursing Symposium. Spon: Wesley Medical Center, 550 North Hillside, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Diane Braitsch, RN, Symposium Director, 316-962-3080. Fac: Bobbie Leeper, RN, Kiersten Henry, RN, Wassim Shaheen, MD. Aud: RN, LPN. Topics for this one day symposium featuring both national and local speakers will include: Cardiac Update 2015, Caring for the Obese Cardiovascular Patient, Trends in the Treatment of Cardiogenic Shock, Treatment for Pulmonary Embolism and 90 is the New 60: Geriatric CV Case Studies. Fee: Call for symposium brochure. Reg. by: N/A. Contact Hours: 7.5.

October 21-22, 2015, 8:00 am-5:00 pm both days, Wichita, KS

APHON (Pediatric) Chemotherapy and Biotherapy Provider Class. Spon: Wesley Medical Center, 550 North Hillside, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Linda Long, 316-962-3080. Fac: Courtney Beirne, APRN, FNP-C, CPHON. Aud: RNs with minimum of 6 months experience in Oncology. Provides knowledge base and key principles to safely and competently administer chemotherapy and biotherapy to children and adolescents. Fee: \$200.00, \$160.00 for WMC and HCA employees. Reg. by: September 18, 2015. Contact Hours: 13.75