



ANNUAL CONVENTION & INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION
LOUISVILLE, KY • MAY 16-21

Friday, May 15, 2015

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm **Registration**

National Academy of Infusion Therapy, Saturday, May 16, 2015

8:00 am - 5:30 pm **Registration**

10:00 am - 11:00 am **First-Time Attendee Orientation**

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Infusion Options for the Treatment of Pulmonary Hypertension	Infusion-Related Sentinel Events: Prevalence and Prevention
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1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Managing Multiple Infusion Therapies With Parenteral Nutrition	Challenges in the Management of Cystic Fibrosis
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2:00 pm - 2:30 pm **Break**

2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Management of the Adolescent Infusion Patient	Unit-Based Patient Safety Liaison Program to Improve Patient Outcomes
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3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Life-Threatening Sodium Imbalances: Identification and Treatment	Evolution of the Treatment for Hemophilia
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4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Superbugs: Impact on Mortality and Morbidity	Litigation Associated With Extravasation
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National Academy of Infusion Therapy, Sunday, May 17, 2015

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	Registration	
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Minimizing Occupational Exposure to Antineoplastic Agents	Non-Dialysis Uses of Arteriovenous Fistulas
9:00 am - 10:00 am	The Role of the Infusion Nurse in Chemoembolization	Identification and Management of Post-Thyroidectomy Hypocalcemia
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Break	
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Controversies in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Chronic Lyme Disease	The Paradigm Shift in the Use of Parenteral Nutrition
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Lunch Break	
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Early Recognition of the Acidotic Patient	Complexities of Treating Patients Living with Human Immunodeficiency Virus
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Challenges in the Management of Clostridium difficile Infection	Trauma-Induced Coagulopathy

Annual Meeting, Monday, May 18, 2015

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	Registration		
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Opening Session: Year in Review		
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Keynote Address		
10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Industrial Exhibition		
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Protecting Yourself from Health Care-Associated Infections	Successful Infusion Therapy in Older Adults	BACK TO BASICS TRACK Fluid and Electrolyte Imbalance: Interpretation and Assessment
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Antibiotic Drug Classification and Indications for Use	Holistic Care of Patients With Pancreatic Cancer	BACK TO BASICS TRACK Acid-Base Balance for Infusion Nurses
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Exploring Intravenous Fat Emulsion	Intraosseous Access Beyond the Emergency Room	BACK TO BASICS TRACK Infusion Strategies for Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid-Base Abnormalities

Annual Meeting, Tuesday, May 19, 2015

6:30 am - 5:00 pm	Registration			
7:00 am - 8:00 am	DAYBREAK SYMPOSIUM Needleless Connector Use: Data Validated by Experience and Function			
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Simulation for Infusion-Related Competency Assessment	Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia		
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Therapeutic Phlebotomy for the Management of Hematologic Disorders	The Role of Pharmacogenomics in Infusion Therapy		
10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Industrial Exhibition			
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Management of Severe Thyroid Imbalance	Infection Prevention Strategies for Alternate Care Settings	UNDERSTANDING THE NUMBERS TRACK The Comprehensive Metabolic Panel and Infusion Therapy	Oral Abstract Presentations
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Cancer Treatment Options: Apoptosis Pathways	Identification and Treatment of Hospital-Related Malnutrition	UNDERSTANDING THE NUMBERS TRACK Arterial Blood Gas Interpretation for the Bedside Nurse	Oral Abstract Presentations
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Optimizing Patient Outcomes With Vancomycin Administration	Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy Identification and Management	UNDERSTANDING THE NUMBERS TRACK Demystifying the Complete Blood Cell Count Differential	Infusion Nurses Society Research Priorities
7:30 pm - 10:30 pm	Celebration of Excellence			

Annual Meeting, Wednesday, May 20, 2015

6:30 am - 5:00 pm	Registration			
7:00 am - 8:00 am	DAYBREAK SYMPOSIUM Immunoglobulin Nursing: Competence Versus Confidence			
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Infection Prevention Challenges in the Home Care Setting	Nurse Navigators: History and Future Directions	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRACK Choosing the Best Advanced Degree for You	Infection Prevention Challenges in the Home Care Setting
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Hereditary Hemorrhagic Telangiectasia	Optimizing Parenteral Nutrition Management and Patient Outcomes Using Case Studies	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRACK Strategies for the Promotion of Your Nursing Career	
10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Industrial Exhibition			

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Preemptive Infusions to Avoid Hospitalizations	Infusion-Related Pharmacokinetics in the Obese Population	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRACK Navigating the Research Proposal Process
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Immunoglobulin Therapy for Primary Immune Deficiency Disease	Strategies to Decrease Pain Associated With Pediatric Vascular Access	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRACK Sharing Your Knowledge: Getting Your Idea Published
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Nurse Fatigue: Impact on Patient Outcomes	Best Practices for Implanted Vascular Access Ports	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRACK The Role of the Infusion Nurse in Aligning Products, Protocols, and Practice

Annual Meeting, Thursday, May 21, 2015

6:30 am - 3:00 pm	Registration	
7:00 am - 8:00 am	DAYBREAK SYMPOSIUM The Affordable Care Act and Product - Selection: The Clinician's Role	
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Presidential Address & Gavel Ceremony	
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Inflammatory Bowel Disease	Tubing Misconnections: Strategies to Prevent Patient Harm
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Parenteral Nutrition and the Cancer Patient	Situational Awareness to Promote Safety in the Health Care Setting
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Infusion Documentation and Billing Coding Guidelines	Allergy to Chemotherapy: The Desensitization Process
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch Break	
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	The Role of Computerized Provider Order Entry in Blood Product Utilization	Optimizing the Use of Midline Catheters
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Dehydration Management in Renal Failure	Infusion Management Strategies in the Long-Term Care Setting