Navi gating the Highway of Health Care:
Patient Engagement and Care Coordination

Conference Purpose
Nurses must drive the design of the future of health care. Clinicians, administrators and faculty have a role in creating an evidence-based health care structure that meets current and evolving patient needs. This program will address the national call to action for care coordination that meets patient needs across the continuum. Nurses are in a position to promote preventive, primary, acute, emergency and tertiary care, while shifting the focus away from the physical location of a health care setting.

Conference participants will learn strategies for applying evidence to meet complex health needs, innovative strategies for care across the continuum, network with EBP experts and enthusiasts and learn cutting edge information to apply in a wide range of settings. A variety of clinical issues will be discussed based on abstracts accepted for podium or poster presentations. This program is designed to guide your journey to improved evidence-based care.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS DEADLINE - Wednesday, October 10, 2018

You are invited to submit an abstract for a podium or poster presentation on 1) evidence-based practice (EBP), 2) clinical research, 3) synthesis report or 4) nurse residency EBP project from supporting organizations. Of particular interest are abstracts related to the conference purpose and theme as well as innovative EBP projects or topics.

Guidelines for Abstract Submission
• Prepare abstract using the templates provided at uihc.org/ebp-conference.
• Abstract and references each limited to no more than 500 words.
• Completed work will be considered for a podium presentation and in-progress work will be considered for a poster presentation.
• Abstracts will be blinded for review and acceptance notices will be sent in late November.
• Nurse residency coordinators may submit up to two EBP poster abstracts that are selected and supported by their respective organization.
• For each accepted presentation, one author will receive a registration discount. All other costs and arrangements shall be assumed by the presenter. Accepted podium and poster presenters must submit payment for conference registration fee by mid-December and must register and attend the conference.

Abstract Submission Process
1. Complete the appropriate template provided at uihc.org/ebp-conference.

Visit uihc.org/ebp-conference for conference details as they are finalized.

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