



The SNI2023 Conference

BUILDING BRIDGES ACROSS THE GLOBE: SCHOOL NURSES RECONNECTING!

July 16 – 21, 2023

Northeastern University Egan Center, 120 Forsythe St., Boston, MA 02115

Specific Locations:

Sessions: Raytheon Egan Center, Behrakis Health Sciences Center

Breakfast and Lunch (when offered): International Village Dining Hall (IVDH)

Dorms: Sheraton/Northeastern, 39 Dalton St., Boston

Registration & Welcome Reception

Sunday, July 16, 2023, 3:00 – 6:00 pm

Sheraton/Northeastern Dorms Reception Room 1st Floor

Learning Outcomes: As a result of this conference, participants will be able to:

1. Identify most common urgent health concerns for youth internationally
2. Describe school nurses' practices to support students with health and safety challenges
3. Strengthen connections with school nurses around the globe

15.0 contact hours provided by the Northeastern University School of Nursing, accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation (ANCC). In order to obtain contact hours, participants need to participate in all sessions, missing no more than 5 minutes per hour, and complete an online evaluation within 2 weeks of the conference end.



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Monday, July 17, 2023

8:00 am	Breakfast Registration	IVDH Raytheon
9:00	Opening & Welcome Carmen Sceppa, MD, PhD, FGSA, Dean Bouvé College of Health Sciences NEUSHA & SNI2023 Planning Committee Karen Farrell, MEd, RN-C, CSN-NJ, SNI Lead Advisor	Raytheon
9:30	A Global Overview of the Status of Adolescent and Youth Health and Wellbeing Valentina Baltag, PhD, MD, MSc Unit Head, Adolescent and Young Adult Health World Health Organization	Raytheon
10:30	Break	
11:00	U.S. efforts to address health concerns for students Kathleen Ethier, PhD and Carmen Ashley, MPH, MCHES Division of Adolescent and School Health (DASH) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Raytheon
12:00 pm	Lunch	IVDH
1:00	ME/CFS/long COVID in youth Peter Rowe, MD Johns Hopkins Director Children’s Center Chronic Fatigue Clinic Professor of Pediatrics	Raytheon
2:00	Break	
2:15–3:45	Breakout Sessions	
	#1 <i>Global Child and Youth Homelessness</i> (Phillippa Venn-Brown) <i>Evaluating a Newly Developed Nursing Assessment Tool of School-aged Students Experiencing Homelessness</i> (Maria Anidi)	Raytheon
	#2 <i>Courageous Well-being for School Nurses</i> (Donna Gaffney) <i>Academic Partnerships post COVID-19</i> (Tracy Perron)	Egan 206
	#3 <i>Impact of Health Education on Hygiene during COVID-19</i> (Alenka Slapsak/Majda Smit) <i>Covid, the School Nurse Experience</i> (Eva Martinson)	Egan 306
	#4 <i>Diabetes Center Program to Support Schools</i> (Christine Lally) <i>Leadership Strategies for School Nurses</i> (Liz Flaherty, Nicole Kazarian)	Egan 440

Afternoon, Dinner, Evening – on your own

Tuesday, July 18, 2023

8:00 am	Breakfast	IVDH
9:00	Endometriosis Kip McKenzie, MD Mt. Auburn Hospital, Cambridge, MA Beth Israel Deaconess, Boston, MA Boston University, Northeastern University, Harvard Medical School	Raytheon
10:15	Break	
10:30	Poster Session Maria Anidi, DNP, MBA, RN; Charlotte Baker, BSc RN, BSC Hon; Cheryl Carpenter, MEd, BSN, RN, NCSN; Diane Davis, DNP, RN, CNL; Eva-Lena Einberg, PhD; Liz Flaherty, MS, RN, PHNA-BC; Lorena Gaskill, DNP, BA, RN; Hiromi Kawasaki, PhD; Nicole Kazarian, MS, RN; Christine Lally, RN, CDCES; Eva Martinsson, PhD; Daniel Guillen Martinez, PhD; Mika Nishiyama, MHS, RN; Shanyn Toulouse, DNP, MEd, RN, NCSN; Siobhan Parker; Tracy Perron, PhD, RN,CNE,CNS; Sawako Takahashi, RN; Andrea Tanner, PhD, RN, NCSN; Yuko Uchiyama; Jeanne Vetterstein	Behrakis 4 th floor
	Vendors/Exhibitors	Behrakis 4 th floor
12:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00-2:30	Breakout Sessions	
	#1 <i>Virtual Reality as a Teaching Resource</i> (Daniel G. Martinez) <i>EHR, A Nurses Perspective</i> , (Rita Casper, Bob Bundy)	Raytheon
	#2 <i>School Absence</i> (Jeanne Vetterstein, Tine Lohman, Anja Kreuteman) <i>School Nurse Role in Supporting Student Connectedness</i> (Ellen McCabe)	Egan 306
	#3 <i>Advancing Health Equity through Pediatric Vision Screening and Referral Programs</i> (Shanyn Toulouse) <i>Screening School-aged Children: Vision and Hearing</i> (Siobhan Parker)	Egan 440

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Wednesday, July 19, 2023

8:00 am	Breakfast	IVDH
9:00	<p>Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Panel Kate King, DNP, MS, RN, LSN President, National Association of School Nurses</p> <p>Brenda Lormil, MSN, FNP-BC Equity Nurse Practitioner, MGH Cancer Center Founder, Haitian American Medication Association</p> <p>Brianna Cormos, MEd, BSN, RN School Nurse, Public Schools of Brookline, Massachusetts</p>	Raytheon
10:15	Break	
10:45	<p>Update on Adolescent Sexual & Reproductive Health and Access to Care Katherine Simmonds, PhD, MPH, RN, WHNP-BC, FAAN Roux Institute/NU Bouvé College of Health Sciences School of Nursing</p> <p>Engaging School Nurses to Address the Needs of Survivors of Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting (FGM/C) Catherine Cox, BA & Mildrine Tulyse, MSN, FNP-BC, SANE Sahiyo U.S</p>	Raytheon
12:15 pm	<p>LUNCH Lunch for SNI Steering Committee - 2 reps from each country</p>	IVDH Egan 440
1:30-3:00	Breakout Sessions	
	<p>#1 <i>Whole School Asthma Approach</i> (Charlotte Baker) <i>School Nurse Outcomes: How do we measure our value and effectiveness?</i> (Lisa Chalmers, Eva-Lena Einberg, Erin Maughan)</p>	Raytheon
	<p>#2 <i>Challenges of Caring for Medically Complex Students</i> (Ikuku Tomomatsu) <i>Ensuring Children with Complex Medical needs Can Access Mainstream Education in Japanese Schools during COVID-19.</i>(Beverley Anne Yamamoto) (will be presented by Ikuku Tomomatsu)</p>	Egan 206
	<p>#3 <i>Incorporating Social Development Assessment and Intervention into the School Office Visit</i> (Ellen McCabe/Nakia Best) <i>Youth Mental Health First Aid Training</i> (Tracy Perron)</p>	Egan 306
	<p>#4 <i>Adolescent Experiences of Stress-focus Interviews</i> (Eva-Lena Einberg) <i>Pediatric Post-surgical Opioid Persistence and Misuse: Implications and Strategies for School Nurses</i> (Diane Davis)</p>	Egan 440
6:00-9:00	<p>Celebration Dinner Cruise – Boston Harbor Cruises <i>Hornblower Sensation, 200 Seaport Boulevard</i></p>	

Thursday July 20, 2023

- 8:00 am **Breakfast** IVDH
- 9:00 **Environment Health: What School Nurses Need to Know to Make a Difference** Raytheon
Emily Zimmerman, PhD, CCC-SLP & Julia Varshavsky, PhD, MPH
Northeastern University Child's Environmental Health Center
- 10:00 **Preventing Violence Against Children and Youth: Global Status and the Role of Healthcare Providers** Raytheon
Valentina Baltag, PhD, MD, MSc
Unit Head, Adolescent and Young Adult Health
World Health Organization
- School Safety through a Public Health Approach**
Robin Cogan, MEd, BA, RN, NCSN, FNASN, FAAN
New Jersey School Nurse, Author Relentless School Nurse blog
- 11:15 **Break**
- 11:45-1:00 pm **School Nursing around the Globe: Similarities and Differences** Raytheon
Erin Maughan, PhD, MS, RN, PHNA-BC, FNASN, FAAN
Associate Professor, George Mason University, Virginia
- Lisa Chalmers, MPH, RN
Director Health & Wellbeing, Barker College, Australia
- Eva Martinsson, PhD, RN
Faculty of Health Sciences, Kristianstad University, Sweden
- Cherry Rose Barnuevo-Riñoza, RN
Head School Nurse
Canadian International School

Lunch & afternoon/evening activities on your own

Boston & Cambridge Official Activities Guide 2023:

https://gbcvb.dcatalog.com/v/Official_Visitors_Guide_2022_2023/?page=1



Friday, July 21, 2023

8:00 am	Breakfast	IVDH
9:00	Announcements SNI Planning & Steering Committees	Raytheon
9:30	Mental Health Challenges & Promising Efforts Valentina Baltag, PhD, MD, MSc Unit Head, Adolescent and Young Adult Health World Health Organization	
10:30 – 11:00	Closing Ceremony Kate King, DNP, MS, RN, LSN President, National Association of School Nurses 2023 SNI Planning Committee	Raytheon