Hi Ohio NAPNAP Members

I hope your holidays were filled with family, friends, and fun! Now we enter into 2017 and return to the work we all value – caring for Ohio’s children. Ohio NAPNAP would like to assist you in your endeavors. Please take a look at the awards that your Ohio chapter offers to its’ members. We would love to have many award applications and nominations!

Working in the field of child maltreatment I have come to appreciate how important foundations and support are to all of us. I feel truly blessed to have had the unquestionable love and support of my parents growing up and I certainly hope my daughters feel the same. We continue to learn more about the effects of psychosocial traumas and the resultant toxic stress upon children. These effects often extend into adulthood resulting in mental and physical health care problems. These problems affect their ability to parent effectively continuing the cycle for another generation. We as pediatric nurse practitioners can make a difference!

We need to know our patients psychosocial histories as well as their medical histories!! I urge you to consistently perform psychosocial assessments of your families and screen for child maltreatment. We need to link families with appropriate interventions when a psychosocial concern is identified and certainly notify child protective services when a suspicion of child maltreatment is identified. You can help to make a difference for the children and families you care for!!

**Psychosocial assessment**

- Draw a family tree
- Mother’s name and age
- Father’s name and age
- Children they have together and ages
- Children they have with other partners and ages
- Who lives with the child
- Who lives in the home that child visits
- Parental drug / alcohol concerns
- Parental mental health / mental retardation
Parental involvement with law enforcement

Exposure to domestic violence

Parental child maltreatment history as a child

Sexual abuse/physical abuse/emotional abuse/neglect

Did you receive treatment?

Involvement with child protective services as a child

Parental concerns of sexual abuse/physical abuse or neglect for this child

Involvement with child protective services for the child or child’s siblings

Mental health / behavioral / developmental concerns for the child

Hope to see you all at our Spring Pharmacology Conference April 7/8 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Dublin!!
Membership

Heather Schober

Currently we have over 450 members of NAPNAP in Ohio. We would love to reach 500 members. Please get out the word about joining NAPNAP. Encourage your colleagues who are nonmembers to become a member. Here are some benefits to membership below.

What are the benefits of a NAPNAP membership?

Answer: Whether it’s access to CE courses, advocating for recognition and credibility of your profession or exclusive discounts on nationwide conferences, NAPNAP provides its members with many opportunities for growth, achievement and professional excellence. See our member benefits section!

- CE and pharmacology courses online at PedsCESM
- Free subscription to the Journal of Pediatric Health Care
- Special Interest Groups (SIGs)
- 50 Nationwide Chapters, 1 E-Chapter
- Daily coverage of pediatric healthcare news through NAPNAP Daily News
- Discounts on our annual conference registration
- Career Connection job center and Career Resource Guide
- Patient education resources
- Comprehensive member website
- Discounts on liability, health and disability insurances
- A network of over 8,500 members

https://www.napnap.org/member-faq

Clinical Practice

Sharon Juszli

“New” GAS Pharyngitis Clinical Practice Update

The research community attests it takes 17 years for new evidence to be put into clinical practice. Implementing the once a day amoxicillin dosing for Group A streptococcal pharyngitis (GAS) using the “new” clinical practice GAS guidelines published in 2012 this year will improve the research/practice implementation gap! Once a day dosing is recommended when possible to help improve medication compliance and I have found busy parents to be happy with this treatment option. Penicillin or amoxicillin remain the treatment of choice for treatment of GAS. For patients without penicillin allergy:
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- **Penicillin V (oral)**: children: 250 mg twice daily or 3 times daily, adolescents & adults: 250mg four times daily or 500 mg twice a day for 10 days
- **Amoxicillin (oral)**: 50 mg/kg once daily (max 1000mg) or 25mg/kg (max 500mg) twice daily for 10 days


**Program Advisor**

Jill Smith

**SAVE THE DATE: OHIO NAPNAP SPRING CONFERENCE**

**APRIL 7th-8th**

Spring 2017 OHIO NAPNAP will again host its pharmacology conference to include mandatory pharmacy and law CE’s.

This is a two day conference offering conference offering a total of 11 CEU’s (10 CEU's in pharmacology and 1 CEU in Law). This will be held in the Central Ohio area at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Dublin, Oh.

Mark your calendars now for this inaugural event!

Ohio NAPNAP is proud to announce that we have been awarded a three year renewal for our chapter to offer continuing education events and award the CE for the same. If you would like to be involved in planning a continuing education event, please contact me at jillpnp@yahoo.com or jsmith2@chmca.org
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SAVE THE DATE

Ohio NAPNAP Pharmacology Conference

Friday April 7th-Saturday April 8th, 2017

Crown Plaza Hotel
Dublin, Ohio

10 Pharmacology & 1 Law CEU will be awarded
Awards

2017 National Conference Scholarship Awardees.
Please join us in congratulating our 2017 National Conference Scholarship awardees. Each scholarship recipient will receive $1,500 to attend the 38th annual National conference on Pediatric Health Care in Denver, CO.

Member Recipient: Margarita Diaz
Margarita practices as a PNP in Urgent Care at Nationwide Children’s Hospital main campus. She also works part-time as an RN at a free clinic and volunteers as a Spanish interpreter for the free clinic’s Eye Clinic at OSU. Margarita was born and raised in Columbia. Her passion is to serve underserved populations, especially the Hispanic minority. She affords the Hispanic community the opportunity for reduced urgent care wait times and the ability to communicate their healthcare needs in their native language to a provider with a true understanding of their culture.

Student Recipient: Eva Zimpelmann
Eva is a graduate PNP student at the University of Akron and a student member of Ohio NAPNAP. Volunteer activities include participation as a Family Education Committee Member in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit to develop safe sleep educational material for discharged families, and create the “Baby Bed Box” material to decrease SIDS prevalence in Cuyahoga County. Please look forward to Eva’s article on her experience at the NAPNAP conference in an upcoming newsletter!

2017 Award Opportunities

Please consider nominating yourself, or a deserving colleague for the following Ohio NAPNAP Special Recognition, or Monetary Awards. All application deadlines have been extended to February 28th, 2017. Applications and further details can be located at http://www.ohio-napnap.org/ Awards will be presented at the spring OH NAPNAP Pharmacology Conference April 7-8, 2017.

Special Recognition Awards:

Ohio NAPNAP member PNP of the Year
Ohio NAPNAP student PNP of the Year
Ohio NAPNAP Child Advocate of the Year

**Monetary Awards:**

Ohio NAPNAP Research Grant ($500)

Ohio NAPNAP Mental Health Scholarship ($1000)

**Ohio NAPNAP Service Grant ($100-$1000)**

The applicant must be a member of Ohio NAPNAP and currently practicing as a PNP/FNP. The applicant awarded the service grant must be willing to write an article for the Ohio NAPNAP newsletter describing the service project. The applicant must complete the application describing the service project and how the monies will be used. Ohio NAPNAP will award up to $1000 for a project.

The application should be submitted to the Awards Committee for consideration. The service grant will be awarded with the approval of the Ohio NAPNAP Board.
Ohio NAPNAP Service Grant Application

Ohio NAPNAP Mission: It is our belief that all children have a right to quality health care and the opportunity to develop in a safe and secure environment. The Ohio Chapter of NAPNAP promotes and supports the role of Pediatric Advanced Practice nursing in its efforts to optimize quality of life for children and their families.

To this end Ohio NAPNAP is offering to its members service grants ranging from $100 to $1000 dollars to provide pediatric outreach and service. For instance if you are providing dental education at a school and need monies to provide dental care items to students Ohio NAPNAP wants to assist you. Or perhaps you are providing care at a local homeless shelter and there is a need for clothing or toys for children; let Ohio NAPNAP know.

Date of Application: _________________________________________________________________
NAPNAP Member: ___________________________________________________________________
Phone: ____________________________________________________________________________
Email: _____________________________________________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________________________________________
Amount Requested: _________________________________________________________________
Anticipated start date: _______________________________________________________________
Description of project / need:
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Health Policy/Legislative

Mandi Cafasso

House Bill 216 was signed by the Governor on January 4th, but changes are not yet in effect. Once signed by the governor the bill has 90 days before it becomes law. Therefore, the effective date of HB 216 will be April 4, 2017. There are many changes the nurse practitioners should be aware of, but as always, the NP should check with his/her employer as to how the changes will affect the individuals practice.

As most are aware, HB 216, also known as the APRN Modernization bill was initially introduced as a bill with no barriers. After two long years of hard work, dedication and grassroots advocacy, we succeeded. Although the bill is not a “Full Practice Authority” bill as defined by the American Association of Nurse Practitioners, there are a number of wins that will make patient care more efficient and safer. Here is a synopsis of the outcome of the bill.

**CHANGES TO THE LICENSE**

1. There will now be two licenses to practice as an APRN in Ohio. The first will be an RN license and the second will be an APRN with designation as CRNA, CNM, CNS, or CNP.
2. CTP and CTP-E will be eliminated. A CNP, CNS and CNM will be awarded prescriptive authority with the APRN license.
3. There will be grandfathering of those currently in a CTP-E.
4. Beginning in 2017, APRN’s must have a total of 48 hours of CE. Twenty four hours (including 1 Law CE) for RN license and 24 hours (including 12 pharm CE) for APRN license.

**CHANGES TO PRESCRIBING**

5. Drug Formulary will be EXCLUSIONARY ONLY and will only list drugs that cannot be prescribed by the APRN.
6. Restrictions on furnishing samples have been eliminated.
7. Collaborating MD ratio of 3:1 has been expanded to 5:1.
8. Schedule 2 medications can now be prescribed to residents in assisted living.

**CHANGES TO THE SCA**

9. Standard Care Arrangement (SCA) no longer requires a procedure for chart review or a policy for care of infants up to 12 months. Additionally, there are no longer recommendations that the collaborating MD see children from birth to 3 years.
10. Upon termination of the collaborative agreement by the physician, the NP will have 120 days to find a new collaborator.
11. A copy of SCA no longer has to be at all work sites. The SCA must be kept of file by the employer.
12. A certified psychiatric clinical nurse specialist may collaborate with a psychiatric certified physician or a family medicine physician, internal medicine physician or pediatrician. THIS IS CURRENTLY FOR CNS only and DOES NOT INCLUDE Psych CNP. (OAAPN is working on this- it was thought to be a technical issue)

ADVOCACY FOR OUR ROLE
13. Ohio Board of Nursing is required to form and APRN Advisory Committee to advise the board on APRN practice issues.
14. APRN’s and PA’s who provide care for school age children with diabetes will be able to write orders that are followed by healthcare providers at the schools.
15. Advance Pharmacology course will be valid for five years instead of three.

As you can see there are a number of great changes. As a new general assembly ensues we will continue to pursue changes to law and rule that impact patient care. Please let me know if you have any questions, Mandi.cafassopnp@gmail.com

REMEMBER THESE CHANGES ARE NOT IN EFFECT UNTIL APRIL 4, 2017. ALWAYS CHECK WITH YOUR EMPLOYER FOR ACCEPTANCE OF THESE CHANGES.

Education

Jennifer Brubaker

3/9/17 - 3/12/2017
Cincinnati Children’s Pediatric Urology Workshop
Westin Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
Cost: $100 ($50 single day)

3/16/17 - 3/19/17
Clinical Accupressure
Cleveland Clinic Marymount Hospital
Early bird price 695$ before 2/13, then 795$ after
To register or for more information on the event or payment plans available, call the International Alliance of Healthcare Educators at 800.311.9204, ext. 2, or email
3/24/2017
Cleveland Clinic Children’s Neonatal Nursing Conference
Lerner Research Institute
Room: NA5-08
9500 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44195
Cost $85
http://my.clevelandclinic.org/services/nursing-institute/conference-continuing-education/neonatal-nursing

3/31/2017
Rainbow Babies and Children’s Hospital
Pediatric APRN Pharmacology and Practice Update
Wolstein Research Building Auditorium
2103 Cornell Rd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44106

4/6/17-4/7/17
Cleveland Clinic Oncology Nursing Conference
The Westin Cleveland Downtown
777 St. Clair Ave.
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Cost $75-$250
http://my.clevelandclinic.org/services/nursing-institute/conference-continuing-education/oncology-nursing-conference

4/7/17-4/8/17
Ohio NAPNAP Spring Conference
Dublin Ohio
http://www.ohio-napnap.org/

4/22/2017
Cincinnati Children’s Pediatric Update Conference
Cincinnati Children’s Main Campus, Cincinnati, OH
Cost $100 prior to 4/1/17, $125 after 4/1/17
4/28/17
Nationwide Children’s Hospital CME Department Presents: 2017 Annual Pediatric Infectious Disease Conference
Nationwide Children’s Hospital - Education Center - Stecker
575 S. 18th Street
Columbus, OH 43206
7:30 AM - 4:30 PM
http://www.nationwidechildrens.org/courses-conferences

5/4/17-5/5/17
Nationwide Children’s Annual Pediatric Asthma Conference
Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center
100 Green Meadows Drive South
Lewis Center, Ohio 43035
(866) 233-9393
https://cmetracker.net/NCH/Files/Brochures/35531.pdf

5/4/17-5/5/17
Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Advanced Practice Provider Pediatric Neurosurgery Conference
Cincinnati, Ohio
Cost 200-360$

5/17/17-5/19/17
2017 Neonatal/Perinatal Conference
Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center
Columbus, OH 43085
http://www.nationwidechildrens.org/courses-conferences

10/27/17-10/28/17
American Academy of Pediatrics Ohio Chapter Annual meeting
Crowne Plaza Dublin
http://ohioaap.org/AnnualMeeting
If you have any ideas for the newsletter, please feel free to contact me at virginia.cox@nationwidechildrens.org
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Ohio NAPNAP Board Roster 2016-2018

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The NEXT NEWSLETTER WILL BE OUT May 1st, 2017