ENDING THE HEALTHCARE WORKPLACE VIOLENCE EPIDEMIC

Making the New Cal/OSHA Standard Work for Nurses

WINTER 2018 — CALIFORNIA

NOVEMBER 26 — SANTA ROSA
DECEMBER 18 — LOS ANGELES
DECEMBER 18 — LONG BEACH

FOR DIRECT-CARE AND STAFF RNs — Provided by California Nurses Association. Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP754 for 3 contact hours.

155 Grand Avenue  |  Oakland CA 94612
COURSE DESCRIPTION
Workplace violence has reached epidemic proportions in hospitals and other healthcare settings. Healthcare workers in inpatient facilities are five to twelve times more likely to experience non-fatal workplace violence than workers in the United States overall. Studies have shown that nurses who experience workplace violence report high levels of stress and symptoms of trauma, decreased job performance and efficiency — all of which can reduce the quality of patient care in addition to impacting nurses’ lives and health. One study found that 61 percent of nurses who experience violence on the job consider leaving their jobs.

Employers can — and should — prevent workplace violence in healthcare settings. California’s state OSHA program, Cal/OSHA, recently passed the Workplace Violence Prevention in Health Care Standard (Calif. Code of Regulations Title 8 Sect. 3342). With a final effective date of April 1, 2018, this standard requires that employers create comprehensive, unit-specific workplace violence prevention plans with the active involvement of direct-care employees. This class will review the expansive requirements of the Cal/OSHA standard. We will then discuss roles for nurses in ensuring that employers provide a safe environment with appropriate and effective workplace violence prevention.

COURSE OBJECTIVES
Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:
1. Describe the elements of the Cal/OSHA Workplace Violence Prevention in Health Care Standard.
2. Discuss nurses’ role in ensuring a safe environment for patient care.

INSTRUCTOR
Jane Thomason

GENERAL INFORMATION
CNA/NNU reserves the right to substitute qualified faculty for those listed. Continental breakfast and lunch will be served. Absolutely no recording or videotaping of courses allowed. Attendees must remain for the full class to receive CE credit (3 CEHs).

REGISTRATION & FEE INFORMATION
Register early as space may be limited and pre-registration is required. Please register no later than one week before the class. Registrants should arrive 15 minutes prior to class and sign-in.
CE courses are free to California Nurses Association/National Nurses United members and student nurses. For direct-care and staff RNs. Participants will be notified by U.S. mail and by email if a course is cancelled.

FALL 2018 CALIFORNIA DATES & LOCATIONS

Tuesday, November 26 — Santa Rosa
10:00 am – 1:30 pm
Courtyard by Marriott Santa Rosa
175 Railroad Street, Santa Rosa CA 95401

Tuesday, December 18 — Los Angeles
10:00 am – 1:30 pm
Marriott Los Angeles L.A. LIVE
900 W Olympic Boulevard, Los Angeles CA 90015

Tuesday, December 18 — Long Beach
4:30 – 8:00 pm
Long Beach Marriott
4700 Airport Plaza Drive, Long Beach, CA 90815

Please note, class times vary.

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A completed form is necessary to insure registration. Please print legibly.

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Day Phone/Voicemail: (______) __________________________
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Job Classification: __________________________
RN License #: __________________________

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