Welcome Note

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the scientific committee, we have the pleasure to invite you to attend the 1st National Nursing Symposium on “Inspired Nurses Do Extra Ordinary Things” that is scheduled to be held at InterContinental Hotel, Abu Dhabi on February 22, 2013.

This event will shed the light on exceptional nursing professionals who demonstrate clinical excellence and innovation and, who through initiatives, teamwork and nursing practice, improve the quality of patient care.

The conference aims to provide nursing practitioners with a forum to debate and share methods of building and promoting excellence in nursing practice. We believe that the scientific day will create an environment that fosters effective communication, form new relationships and explore opportunities for nurses to work collaboratively.

We therefore wish you all the best and hope to see you on February 22, 2013 to make the conference a success.

Please do not miss this outstanding opportunity

Conference Producer
Dr. Sara Gamal

Organized By:
CONFERENCE LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this educational activity, participants should be able to:

- Share a touching story from the real experience of a nurse dedicated to healing and caring
- Share something about the inspired nurse and the patients being helped every day
- Share information on the challenges faced by the nurse who goes to work and gives care!
- Provide a reminder of how critical nursing impacted upon the life or lives of others
- Tell of how teamwork impacts or has impacted care
- Express how a team member can transform and strengthen the team
- Highlight a moment that made the hard work worth it
- Share inspiring experience and how it helped the patient
- Practice on a day in the life of a Registered Nurse
- Share evidence based knowledge and its ability to change and improve practice
- Share an experience which changed or is changing patients’ life i.e. wound care, effective discharge planning, following up on the admission

KEY SPEAKERS

Ms. Marcia Hudson, Health Regulator, Nursing & Midwifery, Health Authority, Abu Dhabi
Mr. Nigel Haigh, Director of Nursing, Burjeel Hospital, Abu Dhabi
Ms. Yasma Osman, Director Operations and Training, Uniteam Medical Assistance, Abu Dhabi
Ms. Gulnaz Mir, Senior Charge Nurse/Unit Manager, Wound Care Services, Nursing, SKMC, Abu Dhabi
Ms. Theresa Diedericks, Senior Charge Nurse/Unit Manager, Nursing, SKMC, Abu Dhabi
Ms. Eman Al Thaher, Acting Nursing Manager, Jahili Health Center
Mr. Khalid Habaybia, Charge Nurse, PEDS Oncology, Acute Nursing, Tawam Hospital, Al Ain
Ms. Seham El Khamdi, Charge Nurse, Polyclinics-Diabetic Clinic, Nursing, Tawam Hospital, Al Ain
Ms. Gehan Karawan, Diabetes Educator, Al-Ain Hospital, Al Ain
Mr. Osama Qasim Al Diabat, Practice Development Nurse, Psychiatry Nursing, Rashid Hospital, Dubai
Ms. Salvacion Cruz, Wound Care Nurse at Sheikh Khalifa Medical City, Abu Dhabi

TARGET AUDIENCE

All Nursing Practitioners & Midwives

REGISTRATION FEE:

AED 300 before 15/02/2013
Late Registration & Onsite Registration Fee: AED 400

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CONFERENCE PROGRAM

07:30 - 08:15: Registration
08:15 - 08:30: Welcome & Introduction
   Ms. Marcia Hudson
   Health Regulator, Nursing & Midwifery, Health Authority, Abu Dhabi
08:30 - 09:05: Extra ordinary things that inspired nurses do
   Ms. Eman Ibrahim AL Thaher
   Acting Nursing Manager, Jahili Health Center
09:00 - 09:40: Effectiveness of integrated approach in improving self-management in Type 2 DM patients
   Ms. Gehan Karwan Sayed
   Diabetes Educator, Al-Ain Hospital, Al Ain
09:40 - 10:15: Does Nurses Support in Preventative Measures “Make a Difference”? 
   Ms. Gulnaz Tariq
   Senior Charge Nurse/Unit Manager, Wound Care Services, Nursing, SKMC, Abu Dhabi
   Ms. Salvacion Cruz
   Wound Care Nurse at Sheikh Khalifa Medical City, Abu Dhabi
10:15 - 10:25: Panel Discussion
10:25 - 10:40: Coffee Break
10:40 - 11:15: Professional Practice Model
   Mr. Khalid Habaybia
   Charge Nurse, PEDS Oncology, Acute Nursing, Tawam Hospital, Al Ain
11:15 – 11:50: Nurses and Midwife Developing a Competency Framework together
   Ms. Marcia Hudson
   Health Regulator, Nursing & Midwifery, Health Authority, Abu Dhabi
11:50 - 12:00: Panel Discussion
12:05 - 13:40: PRAYER AND LUNCH
13:40 - 14:15: Code Black
   Mr. Osama Qasim Al Diabat
   Practice Development Nurse, Psychiatry Nursing, Rashid Hospital, Dubai
14:15 - 14:50: ‘What does it take?’
   Mr. Nigel Haigh
   Director of Nursing, Burjeel Hospital, Abu Dhabi
14:50 - 15:25: A Holistic, Patient-Centered Approach Toward the Care of GDM
   Ms. Seham Elkhumaidi
   Charge Nurse, Polyclinics-Diabetic Clinic, Nursing, Tawam Hospital, Al Ain
15:25 - 15:45: Prayer & Coffee
15:45 - 16:15: Walk This Way
   Ms. Theresa Diedericks
   Senior Charge Nurse/Unit Manager, Nursing, SKMC, Abu Dhabi
16:15 - 16:50: Still Here - After All These Years!
   Ms. Yasma Osman
   Director Operations and Training, Uniteam Medical Assistance, Abu Dhabi
16:50 – 17:15: Discussion
17:15 - 17:20: THE NURSING AWARD
17:20 - 17:30: CLOSE AND APPRECIATION
DELEGATE REGISTRATION FORM

CONFERENCE NAME: The 1st National Nursing Symposium on ‘Inspired Nurses Do Extraordinary Things’

DATE: February 22, 2013

LOCATION: Intercontinental Hotel, Abu Dhabi

Pre-registration is required as limited seats are available

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