



# CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The ANCC Accreditation in Nursing Continuing Professional Development (NCPD) team is excited to announce the call for abstracts for the 2024 NCPD Summit is now OPEN!!

As an ANCC accredited provider of NCPD or an NCPD department in an organization that has Joint Accreditation, you have a unique opportunity to share your cutting-edge and innovative NCPD work by:

- Demonstrating how ANCC NCPD and Joint Accreditation criteria have helped you achieve strategic goals in nursing practice, team performance, and/or patient/system outcomes.
- Highlighting how the Outcomes-based Continuing Education (OB-CE)© model has been operationalized and implemented in your organization.
- Sharing research, quality improvement (QI), and evidence-based practice (EBP) findings related to NCPD accreditation and Joint Accreditation.
- Showcasing how your organization has leveraged team-based learning and the impact this had on your organization related to team skills/strategies, team-based performance, and patient and/or system outcomes.
- Podium and Poster Session presentations will be accepted for the 2024 NCPD Summit. Please select your interest in a poster and/or podium presentation within your abstract submission.

Please do not include any identifying information within the details of the abstract. Do not reference your organization name or provide specific names or titles. Abstracts that are submitted with identifying information may not be considered.



#### **Important Dates and Details for Abstract Submission**

- Abstract submissions will be accepted beginning December 1, 2023.
- The deadline for submissions is 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on February 29, 2024.
- You will be notified by May 15, 2024, regarding acceptance.
- All presenters will be required to register and attend the NCPD Summit at your own expense.
- If selected, you must be registered for the NCPD Summit by **June 1, 2024**. No compensation will be provided to session presenters.

#### **Considerations for All Abstract Submissions:**

- Presenters may also be asked to participate in a poster presentation and/or prerecord their presentation in an engaging video.
- Presenters may also be asked to participate in a panel discussion or working session.
- All selected podium presentations will be 10 minutes in length.
- If selected, incorporate active learning strategies or learner engagement methods and actionable strategies into your presentation.

#### **Abstract Categories**



#### **ACCRED Talks: Best Practice in Accreditation**

#### **Session Overview:**

Demonstrate how your organization supports and integrates best practices as an Accredited Provider of NCPD or Joint Accreditation.

#### **Topics of Interest:**

#### The abstract should address one of the three categories:

#### 1. Innovation in NCPD Accreditation

- How has your organization used innovation in accredited NCPD to remove barriers and build capacity to enhance and improve nursing practice?
- How can your best practice initiative be adapted into NCPD programs globally?
- What actionable strategies or takeaways would you like to share with your NCPD colleagues?

#### 2. Workforce Development

- How do the NCPD or Joint Accreditation criteria and educational activities strengthen workforce development within your organization?
- What strategies does your Provider Unit employ to promote and encourage workforce planning within your organization?
- What actionable strategies or takeaways would you like to share with your NCPD colleagues?

#### 3. Impact/Outcomes of Accreditation

- How has being accredited by ANCC or Joint Accreditation led to positive outcomes within your organization (i.e., retention, recruitment, revenue, ROI)
- How can your best practice initiative be adapted into NCPD programs globally?
- What actionable strategies or takeaways would you like to share with your NCPD colleagues?

References (if applicable): References should use the APA 7th edition.

**Submission Guidelines:** Abstracts should be 300 words or less and demonstrate which of the three categories the abstract addresses.





#### Times UP: Outcomes-Based CE (OB-CE)®

#### **Session Overview**

Show how your organization has utilized the outcomes-based CE model—learning in the absence of time—to integrate a learner/team-directed educational approach that incorporates performance/quality improvement expectations into learning experiences that can positively impact nursing practice and patient/systems outcomes.

Consider incorporating the learner who completed an OB-CE course when creating your abstract.

#### Abstract should include:

- 1. How has your organization implemented the outcomes-based CE model into practice?
- 2. How has outcomes-based CE impacted the professional development of your nurses in your organization and/or patient/system outcomes?
- 3. How were your learners integrated into the outcome-based CE planning process?
- 4. What key takeaways do you have to share with your peers within the NCPD landscape?

References (if applicable): References should use the APA 7th edition.

Submission Guidelines: Abstracts should be 300 words or less.



#### Scholarship Roadshow: Take us on a Ride

#### **Session Overview**

Show how you or your organization conducted research, QI or EBP that measurably impacted NCPD programming and/or operations as an Accredited Provider of NCPD or Joint Accreditation.

Show the relevance to NCPD practice, clinical practice, interprofessional practice and/or system/public health and/or future research.

#### **Abstract should include:**

- 1. How did you or your organization conduct research, QI, or EBP for NCPD programming and/or operations as an Accredited Provider of NCPD or Joint Accreditation?
- 2. The abstract should include the following:
  - **a. Introduction:** "Why was this research or initiative chosen? What unsolved problem or opportunity for improvement are you addressing?"
  - **b. Methods:** "How did you study this problem?" (Research) or "What was your clinical question?" (EBP) or "How did you identify relevant measures to track?" (QI)
  - **c. Results:** "Report the data, analyses and/or outcomes."
  - **d. Discussion:** "How do you interpret the results or outcomes?"
  - **e.** Conclusion: "What is the relevance to NCPD practice.
- 3. How might your findings inspire or impact ANCC Accredited NCPD providers globally?
- 4. What key takeaways do you have to share with your peers within the NCPD landscape?

References (if applicable): References should use the APA 7th edition.

**Submission Guidelines:** Abstracts should be 500 words or less.





#### **Team Spirit: Team Based Learning**

#### **Session Overview**

Showcase how you have leveraged team-based learning and the impact this had on your organization (team-based performance, patient, and system outcomes).

#### Abstract should include:

- 1. How have you ensured interprofessional collaboration to meet learners needs?
- 2. How did you assess team-based needs and planned educational activities that incorporate team-based learning strategies?
- 3. Discuss how team-based learning outcomes contribute to the strategic goals of theorganization.
- 4. How has team-based learning impacted the professional development of your nurses in your organization and/or patient/system outcomes?

References (if applicable): References should use the APA 7th edition.

Submission Guidelines: Abstracts should be 300 words or less.



### Well-being in Nursing and Professional Development: Nurturing the Nurturer

#### **Session Overview:**

This session explores the critical link between the well-being of nurses and their continuous professional growth. Nurses are pivotal in the healthcare ecosystem, and their well-being is essential. This session provides a platform to demonstrate how to enhance the well-being of nursing professionals while promoting their ongoing professional development. The abstract should demonstrate how accredited NCPD has impacted one or more of the following topic areas.

#### **Topics of Interest:**

- **1. Nurse Burnout Prevention:** Strategies and interventions to prevent burnout and promote mental health among nurses.
- **2. Resilience in Nursing:** Building resilience skills to cope with the demands of the nursing profession.
- **3. Self-Care Practices:** Practical self-care techniques for nurses to maintain physical and emotional health.
- 4. Work-Life Balance: Achieving a healthy balance between work and personal life demands.
- **5. Nursing:** Career pathways, skill development, and opportunities for advancement in nursing.
- **6. Mentorship and Coaching:** The role of mentorship and coaching in nurses' professional development and well-being.
- **7.** Patient-Centered Care: How nurse well-being contributes to improved patient outcomes and satisfaction.
- **8. Innovations in Nursing Education:** Creative approaches to nursing education and training that enhance both well-being and professional growth.
- **9. Technology and Healthcare:** The use of technology in nursing practice, education, and its impact on well-being.
- **10. Ethical Challenges:** Addressing ethical dilemmas and moral distress in nursing practice and its impact on nurse well-being.

References (if applicable): References should use the APA 7th edition.

Submission Guidelines: Abstracts should be 300 words or less.



#### **Submission Steps and Instructions**

- Please do not include any identifying information within the details of the abstract. Do not reference your organization name or provide specific names or titles. Abstracts that are submitted with identifying information will not be considered.
- Abstracts should be grammatically correct, with no spelling errors.
- If the abstract being submitted has been presented elsewhere please include when and where the material has been submitted or presented on the submission form. Be prepared to alter the abstract to fit the target audience.
- Abstracts must be submitted under one of the five abstract categories.
- To submit your abstract, click appropriate button below!

## SUBMIT AN ABSTRACT

#### **Important Dates to Remember**

- February 29th The deadline for abstract submissions is 11:59 pm Eastern
- May 15th Notification of acceptance will be sent
- June 1st Acceptance deadline via email and registration of event
- August 12th Final Slides and handout/tool due by 12:00pm (noon) ET
  Slides submitted must be in final draft. Edits will not be allowed after the submission deadline.
- October 28th & 29th NCPD Summit

For questions please email: accreditation@ana.org

#### **Selection Criteria**

Abstract selection will be based on a **blinded** peer review and considered based on how well the abstract fulfills the overall identified objectives of the selected abstract category for the ANCC NCPD Summit 2024. There is no limit on the number of abstracts that may be submitted by an individual or organization.

