



National Association of
Pediatric Nurse PractitionersSM
OHIO

Agenda

2025 Annual Statewide Conference

August 28-29, 2025

Renaissance Columbus Westerville-Polaris Hotel, Westerville, Ohio

Thursday, August 28

- 5:45-6:45 p.m.** **Registration** (Captain Ballroom/Pre-Function Area)
Exhibit Hall* (Admiral Ballroom C and D)
**Premier Partners & Signature Exhibitors and Sponsors Only*
- 6:45-7:00 p.m.** **Chapter President's Welcome & Mayor's Proclamation** (Captain Ballroom)
The Honorable Kenneth L. Wright | Mayor – City of Westerville
Dr. Coutanya M. Coombs | Vice-Mayor – City of Westerville
- 7:00-8:00 p.m.** **Dinner Symposium** (Captain Ballroom)
More Than Scratching the Surface: Atopic Dermatitis
Latanya T. Benjamin, MD, FAAD, FAAP
This Program is Supported by an Educational Grant From CeraVe and La Roche Posay
- 8:00-8:30 p.m.** **Break**
Exhibit Hall* (Admiral Ballroom C and D)
**Premier Partners & Signature Level Exhibitors Only*
Online Evaluation and CE Certificate*
**Complete the online evaluation to earn 1.0 contact hours of continuing education*
- 8:30-9:00 p.m.** **Dessert & Annual Awards Ceremony** (Captain Ballroom)
 - **Nurse Practitioner of the Year:** Jennifer Hayes, MSN, APRN, CPNP-PC
 - **Student of the Year:** Jennifer Huynh, BSN, RN
 - **Child Advocate of the Year:** Ohio State Highway Patrol
(Lieutenant Colonel Chuck Linek and Major David Brown)
 - **Presidential Commendation:** Keeley Harding, DNP, APRN, CNS, CPNP-AC/PC
 - **Certificates of Appreciation:** Current/Formal Board and Committee Members
- 9:00 p.m.** **Ohio Social**
Two-One Restaurant & Bar | Renaissance Hotel – Westerville
Join us for a casual mix & mingle with Ohio NAPNAP board and committee members at Two-One, the bar and restaurant with an outdoor patio, located inside the Renaissance hotel.

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Exhibit Hall (Admiral Ballroom C and D)
Poster Session (Port Meeting Room)
- 7:45-8:00 a.m.** **Welcome & Chapter President's Opening Remarks** (Captain Ballroom)
Beth Heuer, DNP, APRN, CPNP-PC, PMHS, FAANP – Continuing Education Chair
Keeley Harding, DNP, APRN, CNS, CPNP-AC/PC – President
- 8:00-9:00 a.m.** **Ohio Nursing Laws and Rules Update: Future Advocacy Opportunities**
Mandi Cafasso, DNP, APRN, CPNP-PC
This educational session fulfills the Ohio Category A continuing education requirement. An application has been approved for continuing education (CE #250829-1) contact hours for nurses.
- 9:00-10:30 a.m.** **Misunderstood: Pathological Demand Avoidance (PDA), PDAers, and PDA**
Donna Henderson, PsyD
- 10:30-11:00 a.m.** **Break**
Exhibit Hall (Admiral Ballroom C and D)
Poster Session (Port Meeting Room)
- 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** **Medical Marijuana: Implications for Nurses in Ohio**
Lori Catalano, MSN, PhD, JD, RN
This educational session fulfills the Ohio Category A continuing education requirement. An application has been approved for continuing education (CE #250424-1) contact hours for nurses.
- 12:00-1:15 p.m.** **Lunch Symposium: X-Linked Hypophosphatemia (XLH) Unveiled: A Guide to Diagnosis and Management**
Bonnie Smeryage, DNP, APRN, FNP-C
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- 1:15-2:00 p.m.** **Break**
Exhibit Hall (Admiral Ballroom C and D)
Poster Session (Port Meeting Room)
Exhibit Hall Interactive Game: Winners Announced
Gift Basket Drawing: Winner Announced
- 2:00-3:00 p.m.** **Irritability and Behavioral Problems: Clarifying Diagnosis and Focused Pharmacological/Non-Pharm Approaches**
Alexander Roberts, MS, APRN, PMHNP-BC
Shelley Sheppard, MSN, APRN, PMHNP-BC
- 3:00-3:45 p.m.** **Evidence-Based Rapid Podium Presentation Series**
Development of the 30-Month Neuromuscular Checklist
Megan Waldrop, MD
Introduction to Period Poverty: Increasing Access to Menstrual Care, Education, & Supplies (Days for Girls)
Beth Heuer, DNP, APRN, CPNP-PC, PMHS, FAANP
- 3:45-4:45 p.m.** **Pediatric Obesity: Diagnosis, Management, and the Emerging Role of Prescribing Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 (GLP-1) Receptor Agonists**
Lisa R. Schaaf, MSN, APRN, CPNP-PC
- 4:45 p.m.** **Closing Remarks | Online Evaluations and CE Certificates**
50:50 Raffle Drawing: Winner Announced

Additional Continuing Education Opportunities for Conference Attendees!

[Attend Live via Zoom or Watch the Recording](#)

All registered conference attendees will have the opportunity to earn **free** additional continuing education after the conference. **Two sessions** will be available to attend live via Zoom or view later as recordings. Stay tuned – more details will be shared after the conference!

Raising Your Voice in Support of Global Childhood Immunization Programs

Lindsay Cobb, BS

Senior Campaign Associate
United Nations Foundation
<https://shotatlife.org/>

Date: Friday, September 5, 2025

Time: 12:00-1:00 p.m. ET (noon)

Location: Live via Zoom (or watch the recording)

A Health Care Compliance Expert's Guide to Protecting Your Practice: Understanding Your Responsibilities in Documentation, Regulatory Investigations, and Risk Reduction

Michael Staples, CMBI

Founder | Regulatory and Legal Health Care Compliance Expert
Staples Compliance Solutions
staplescompliancesolutions.com

Date: Thursday, November 13, 2025

Time: 7:00-8:00 p.m. ET (noon)

Location: Live via Zoom (or watch the recording)

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