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OCTOBER 15-17, 2021

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Reasons Not to Miss!

- ✓ Attend the largest national conference specifically for nurse practitioners and advanced practice nurses working in acute care from the convenience of your home with our Digital Conference platform.
- ✓ Three full days of dynamic conference General Sessions and an interactive Exhibit Hall
- ✓ 60-day on-demand access to all General Sessions and the Exhibit Hall after the conclusion of the conference so that you can see any presentation that you missed or want to revisit.
- ✓ Flexibility to access content at your own pace, allowing you to easily balance commitments such as work or childcare.
- ✓ Stay up to date on today's most recent issues, trends, and evidence-based practice guidelines.
- ✓ Maximize advanced pharmacology contact hours required for national recertification.
- ✓ Visit the interactive digital Exhibit Hall to explore all of the latest technologies, pharmaceuticals, medical devices, career opportunities, and other products in today's market. Participate in the Exhibit Hall Scavenger Hunt by visiting each booth to qualify to win a FREE NPAC 2022 Registration!
- ✓ Barkley & Associates, Inc. is approved as a provider of nurse practitioner continuing education by the American Association of Nurse Practitioners. AANP Provider Number 080518. This activity has been approved for **22.5** contact hours of continuing education (which includes **12.5** hours of pharmacology and **2** hours of advanced procedures).

Conference Fees

Attendee Registration Fees					
Holiday Super Sale! Registered by January 4, 2021	Early Bird Registered by April 5, 2021	Standard Registered by July 5, 2021	Regular Registered by August 23, 2021	Final Registered by September 27, 2021	Last Minute Registered after September 27, 2021
\$299	\$349	\$399	\$449	\$499	\$529

Digital Conference

This conference will be offered as an online digital event. Login instructions will be emailed to attendees 1 week before the conference. Included in your registration is 60-days on-demand access to the General Session recordings after the initial 3-day conference so that you can see any presentation that you missed or want to revisit.

Once you log in, you will have access to the General Sessions and the interactive Exhibit Hall. Each General Session will broadcast online according to the schedule outlined in the conference agenda in your own time zone (see page 4).

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\$349	\$449

*Proof of student status required. School transcript or student ID with date is acceptable.

Important Dates

Super Sale Registration Ends	January 4, 2021
Early Bird Registration Ends	April 5, 2021
Standard Registration Ends	July 5, 2021
Regular Registration Ends	August 23, 2021
Final Registration Ends	September 27, 2021
Last Minute Registration Begins	After September 27, 2021
No Refund Period	After October 1, 2021
First Day of NPAC	Friday, October 15, 2021

Registration Information

Simply go to <https://npac.npcourses.com/NPAC2021> to register.

If you do not receive an email receipt within 2 business days, please email Barkley@NPcourses.com.

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Registration must be completed online. Please make your check out to "NPAC Conference" and mail your check with a copy of your registration confirmation to the following address:

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Email: Barkley@NPcourses.com

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Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.,
Pacific Time in California

General Information

Contact Hours/Pharmacology

This conference is approved for **22.5** hours of continuing education (which includes **12.5** hours of pharmacology and **2** hours of advanced procedures). This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation Standards of the American Association of Nurse Practitioners (AANP).

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All NP state regulatory agencies (i.e., State Boards of Nursing) and all national certifying bodies (e.g., ANCC, AANP, AACN, PNCB, and NCC) recognize and accept AANP CE credit for recertification!

Conference Handouts

All attendees have access to each General Session PowerPoint PDF, located in the digital portal for each presentation session. Login information to access the platform will be sent 1 week prior to the conference.

For your convenience, a printed and bound conference manual featuring PowerPoint PDFs for all General Sessions is available for a \$50 purchase with free shipping. The manual will be mailed to your home address approximately 2 weeks prior to the conference.

Exhibit Hall

As you plan your NPAC schedule, don't forget to leave time to visit the interactive Exhibit Hall. You'll find many exhibits with representatives ready to showcase the best of their company's products. Take full advantage of the opportunity to learn about the latest technologies, pharmaceuticals, medical devices, career opportunities, and other products in today's market.

Participate in the Exhibit Hall Scavenger Hunt by visiting all the exhibit booths to qualify for a chance to win a FREE 2022 NPAC Registration!

Is your hospital, employer, or organization interested in exhibiting? Please email NPAC@npcourses.com for more details.

"I absolutely loved these Pharmacology Updates!"

-NPAC 2019 Attendee

Conference Schedule

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2021

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.	Visit Exhibit Hall
7:30 a.m. - 7:50 a.m.	Welcome and Introduction to the Conference Thomas W. Barkley, Jr., PhD, ACNP-BC, ANP, FAANP (0.33 contact hours)
7:50 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Opening Keynote Address: Nurse Practitioners Optimizing Outcomes in Acute Settings Cindy L. Munro, PhD, ANP-BC, FAAN, FAANP, FAAS (1.17 contact hours; 0.25 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
9:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.	Break: Visit Exhibit Hall
9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Infectious Diseases in Acute Care 2021 Thomas W. Barkley, Jr., PhD, ACNP-BC, ANP, FAANP (1.25 contact hours; 0.75 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Intriguing Cardiothoracic Surgery Cases: New Assessment, Diagnostic, and Management Considerations Megan Shifrin, DNP, ACNP-BC (1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology, 0.5 hours of Advanced Procedures)
11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Lunch Break: Visit Exhibit Hall
12:30 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.	Acute Management and Prevention of COPD Susan Corbridge, PhD, ACNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN (1.25 contact hours; 1.0 hour of Advanced Pharmacology, 1.25 hours of Advanced Procedures)
1:45 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Dealing with the Acute Psychiatric/Mentally Ill Patient in Crisis: Call Psych!?? Meredith Ann Holmes, MSN, PMHNP-BC (1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.	Break: Visit Exhibit Hall
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Neuroradiology: From the ED to the ICU to the Floor and More! Susan C. Yeager, MS, ACNP-BC, CCRN, FNCS (1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology, 0.25 hours of Advanced Procedures)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2021

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.	Visit Exhibit Hall
7:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.	Issues, Trends, and Practice Challenges for All NPs in Acute Care Julie Stanik-Hutt, PhD, ACNP-BC, GNP-BC, CCNS, FAANP, FAAN (1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
8:45 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Palliative Care: Tapping into the Max in Acute Care Janet Leahy, MSN, ACNP-BC, ACHPN (1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	Break: Visit Exhibit Hall
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Pancreatitis in the Acutely Ill: The Latest Tracy Daum, DNP, AGACNP-BC (1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Lunch Break: Visit Exhibit Hall

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- 12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.** **Staying on Top of Shock**
Lynn Kelso, MSN, ACNP-BC, FCCM, FAANP
(1.25 contact hours; 0.75 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 1:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.** **Updates in Emergency Medicine**
Nancy Denke, DNP, ACNP-BC, FNP-BC, FAEN
(1.25 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 2:45 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.** **Break: Visit Exhibit Hall**
- 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.** **Mary Jane, Boom, Smack, Hop? Street Drugs: The Down and Dirty**
Elizabeth VandeWaa, PhD
(1.0 contact hour; 1.0 hour of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.** **Managing Multidrug Resistant Pathogens (Part 1)**
Lawrence Carey, Pharm D
(0.5 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2021

- 6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.** **Visit Exhibit Hall**
- 7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.** **Managing Multidrug Resistant Pathogens (Part 2)**
Lawrence Carey, Pharm D
(0.75 contact hour; 0.75 hour of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.** **Alcohol and Substance Abuse Withdrawal in the Hospitalized Patient**
Elizabeth VandeWaa, PhD
(1.0 contact hours; 1.0 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 9:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.** **Break: Visit Exhibit Hall**
- 9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.** **Biologics in Acute Care - For What?**
Elizabeth VandeWaa, PhD
(0.5 contact hours; 0.5 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.** **Sodium Imbalances in the Hospitalized Patient: What to Do?**
Lawrence Carey, Pharm D
(0.75 contact hours; 0.75 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.** **Updates in the Treatment of COVID-19**
Elizabeth VandeWaa, PhD
Lawrence Carey, Pharm D
(0.75 contact hours; 0.75 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.** **Lunch Break: Visit Exhibit Hall**
- 12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.** **Sepsis Update: Pharmacology Implications**
Lawrence Carey, Pharm D
(1.0 contact hours; 1.0 hours of Advanced Pharmacology)
- 1:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.** **Conference Summary, Future Directives, and Evaluations**
Thomas W. Barkley, Jr., PhD, ACNP-BC, ANP, FAANP
(0.25 contact hours)

PHARMACOLOGY

12.5 Contact Hours

TOTAL CE

22.5 Contact Hours

ADVANCED PROCEDURES

2.0 Contact Hours

"I really enjoyed the informative topics and outstanding speakers!"

-NPAC 2018 Attendee

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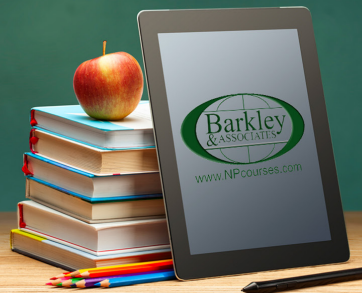
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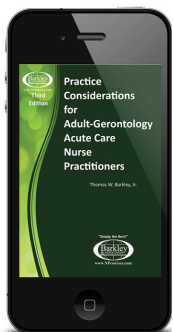
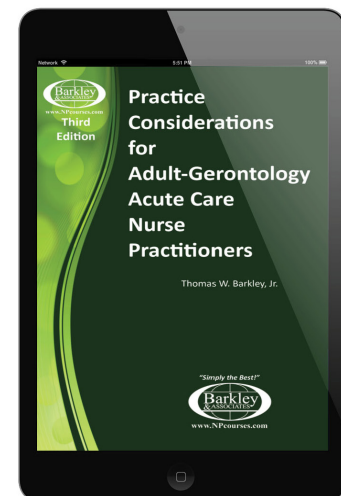
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