



A two-part Continuing Nursing Education workshop:

“Therapeutic and Ethical Implications of Genomics for Nursing Practice”

Saturday, April 14, 2012

Session One - 10:00-11:30 am CDT (arrive by 9:30 am to check in) - 1.5 Contact Hours

“Pharmacogenetics in Geriatrics and Adult Palliative Care” - This educational activity is designed for registered nurses and is devoted to discussions of the genetics of drugs commonly used in geriatrics and palliative care. Faculty will identify specific instances in which pharmacogenetic information might be used in treatment planning and this can help nurses to support the best care outcomes for each patient. Speakers: Kathryn Daniel, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, GNP-BC and Denise Cauble, RN, BSN, PhD (candidate).

Session Two - 1:00-2:30 pm CDT (arrive by 12:30 pm to check in) - 1.5 Contact Hours

“Current Ethical Issues Related to Genomics in Health Care” - Involving a Panel with members representing Institutional Review Boards, hospital chaplaincy services, and the legal profession, this educational session for registered nurses will present current views on the ethical, legal, and social issues related to genomics in healthcare. Nurses will be able to further their recognition of these ethical issues and explore how they can support patients and families appropriately. Audience participation, using the Second Life Chat function, will be encouraged. Panelists: Maynard Dyson, MD; Lekha Gopalakrishnan, PhD, JD; Rev. Steve Irwin, DMin; and Patricia Turpin, RN, PhD. Moderator: Patricia Newcomb, PhD, RN CPNP.

SESSIONS WILL BE HELD ONLINE IN THE VIRTUAL WORLD, SECOND LIFE.

To earn CE Contact Hours, you **MUST** register online. Registration fee for EACH session: \$15. If you don't need Contact Hours, you are welcome to attend at no charge.

The University of Texas at Arlington Center for Continuing Nursing Education is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Texas Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Visit www.uta.edu/secondlife/nursingce for more information and to register.
Questions? contact Patty Newcomb (pnewcomb@uta.edu)



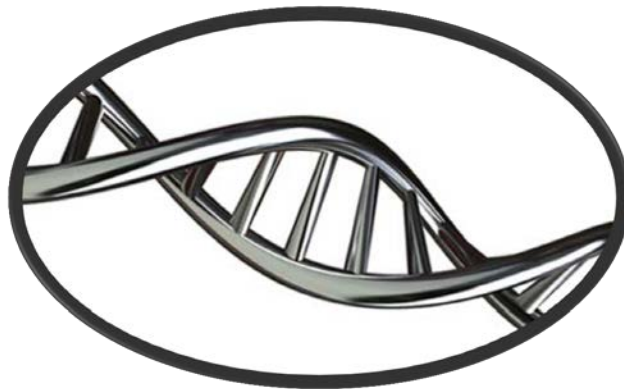
Call for Posters:

Therapeutic and Ethical Implications of Genomics for Nursing Practice

The Genomics Translational Research Lab at University of Texas – Arlington, College of Nursing invites submissions of poster abstracts for the Genomics and Nursing Practice Virtual Symposium on April 14, 2012. Posters on any aspect of genetics or genomics in nursing practice are welcome and may be research reports, literature reviews, or evidence-based practice projects. Presenters may cover a topic in general terms or in detail.

This year's symposium will include two sessions. The morning session will be devoted to the pharmacogenomics of drugs commonly used with elderly patients and in palliative care. The afternoon session will be a panel discussion of various perspectives on ownership of genetic material.

Posters (and abstracts) will be displayed in the UTA virtual exhibition Hall from 8AM to 4PM April 14, 2012 and will be listed in the program.



Abstracts may be submitted to Patricia Newcomb at pnewcomb@uta.edu

Deadline for abstract submission is **February 29, 2012**

Posters will be due April 10, 2012.