

CACCN “Critical Connections” Bulletin

July 2019



CANADIAN
ASSOCIATION OF
CRITICAL
CARE
NURSES

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DYNAMICS OF CRITICAL CARE™ 2019



September 16-18 * Halifax, NS

What's happening at Dynamics!

3 plus 1 day of education! 18 + CL hours!

Baxter Preconference Day!

Poster Reception! Networking!

Exhibits! Spacelabs Social! Pub Tour!

Registration/Brochure available!

REGISTER NOW!

click to go to the website or direct link:

<https://caccn.ca/events/dynamics-2019/delegate-registration/>

OFFICE CLOSED

July 12 to 26 inclusive

There will be no
telephone/email response
during this time

Dynamics 2019 cont.

Early Bird Rates available until
August 15 @ 1700 hrs. ET!

Presenters & Chapters: Tuition
coupons valid until August 15 @
1700 hrs. ET

Final registration September 2
@ 1700 hrs. ET

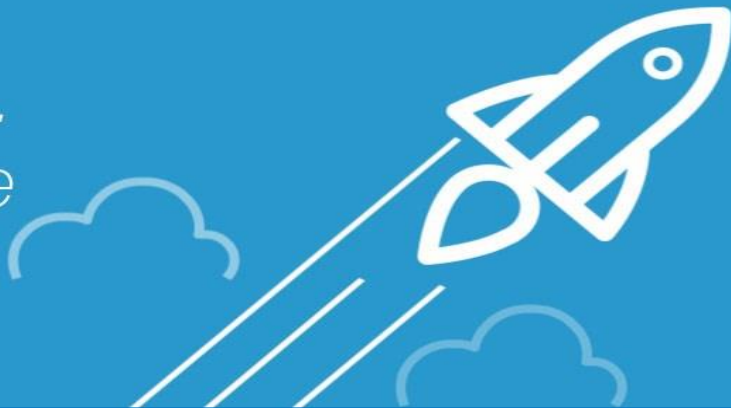
WestJet Travel: 309G5LJ

Accommodation available
Hotel Halifax @ \$199.00 per
night plus applicable taxes

Shuttle Service to Hotel
available for **booking**

caccn.ca/events/dynamics-2019/

*We have lift off....
Our new website
is now LIVE!*



<https://caccn.ca/>

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Password: if you have forgotten, select "Reset" under the sign in boxes

Great Job!

Congratulations to *Ian Dashnay*, London, ON, recipient of the Certification Bursary for Spring 2019 Initial Certification (value \$500).

Congratulations to the CACCN members who successfully completed the spring 2019 Examination and Renewal.

Members who provided permission for CNA to provide contact information will be recognized in the Fall Canadian Journal of Critical Care Nursing.



- [Influenza Immunization for Nurses](#)
- [Intra-professional Collaboration](#)

Dates to Remember

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| August 5 | Office Closure
Civic Holiday |
| August 12 | Hotel Halifax Room Block closes |
| August 15 | Dynamics Early Bird registration closes/Tuition coupons expire
1700 hrs. ET |
| Sept 2 | Office Closure - Labour Day |
| Sept 2 | Dynamics Registration closes
1700 hrs. ET |
| Sept 13-14 | Board Meetings |
| Sept 15 | Dynamics Preconference
Chapter Connections |
| Sept 16-18 | Dynamics 2019! |
| October 5 | Dynamics 2019 evaluation closes |
| October 15 | Dynamics 2020 Call for Abstracts opens |



Professional Development Committee

Position Statement Sub-Committee

Seeking members to join our committee
to review the CACCN Position Statement

Providing End of Life Care in the ICU.

If you are interested in participating,
please contact National Office
caccn@caccn.ca



Halifax Convention Centre
Halifax, NS
September 16, 2019
1200 hrs AST

Meeting information and voting for Board positions, if required, will be provided to all members a minimum of 21 days prior to the Annual General Meeting date. All Dynamics attendees are welcome to attend the AGM, however only active CACCN Members hold voting rights.

Watch for your AGM email in August
or visit:

[CACCN AGM 2019](#)



Publications

- [Research Article Women's experience of maternity high-dependency care following a complicated birth: A cross-sectional study](#)
- [Meaningful experiences and end-of-life care in the intensive care unit: A qualitative study](#)
- [Relationship of symptoms associated with ICU-survivorship: An integrative literature review](#)
- [Coping with moral distress – The experiences of intensive care nurses: An interpretive descriptive study](#)
- [Cohort study to determine the risk of pressure ulcers and developing a care bundle within a paediatric intensive care unit setting](#)
- [A mixed methods exploration of intensive care unit nurses' perception of handling oxygen therapy to critically ill patients](#)
- [E-learning or lectures to increase knowledge about congenital heart disease in infants: A comparative interventional study](#)
- [Assessment of nurse-patient communication and patient satisfaction from nursing care](#)



CERTIFICATION

Certification Applications
Deadline
September 30, 2019

Renewal deadline
November 1, 2019

GET CERTIFIED Visit the [CNA Website](#)

CACCN MEMBERS!
20% Discount Voucher*

Contact National Office
caccn@caccn.ca

CERTIFICATION RESOURCES

1. Adult Certification Online Review Modules
2. Certification Study Guide (2017)
3. Becoming Certified: CNA Specialty Examination - CACCN Tips for Writing Success
4. Paediatric Certification Review Course

Sign in [caccn.ca](#)

CERTIFICATION BURSARY!

Writing your certification exam in the fall or renewing your certification?

Apply for the bursary. CACCN will be drawing the following in November 2019:

- \$500 Fall Initial Certification
- \$250 X 4 Spring/Fall Renewal Certification!

Recipients are selected by random draw from the applications received.

APPLY NOW

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CANADIAN JOURNAL OF CRITICAL CARE NURSING™

Information for Authors

Authors with manuscripts in the review system will be contacted in the coming weeks regarding the status of your manuscript.

We appreciate your patience! Should you have any questions, please contact cjccneditor@caccn.ca

Congratulations!

Effective June 1, 2019 for a two-year term:

- **Dr, Brandi Vanderspank-Wright**, PhD RN CNCC(C), Director/Co-Chair of the Professional Development Committee has been appointed to **Chief Editor**.
- **Myriam Breau**, PhD (student), MScN, RN from New Brunswick, has been appointed to **Co-Editor**
- **Michelle House-Kokan**, MSN, RN, CNCC(C) from British Columbia, has been appointed to **Co-Editor**



Resources

AACN: [Bold Voices](#)

Canadian Blood Services
[Professional Education](#)

Canadian Critical Care Society:
[Articles](#) and [Guidelines](#)

[ISMP Canada Safety Bulletins](#)



Loop Group Presentation
[Mobility in the ICU](#)

Presented

Sarah Crowe and **Karen Webb-Anderson**
CACCN Members

[Medical Assistance in Dying](#)
Online Learning Modules available

Nestle Health Sciences
[Podcast Clinical Nutrition Notes](#)
[Nutritional Resources](#)

[NavMe eBook](#)

Navigating Medical Emergencies –
An Interactive Guide to Patient Management.

WFPICCS - OPEN Pediatrics -
[Quick Concept Videos](#)
[PocketDoc for Pneumonia](#)

WFCCN
[Clinical Guidelines](#)



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**YOUR MEMBER BENEFITS
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LOVE THEM!**

As a CACCN member you have joined critical care nursing professionals across the country in the pursuit of career excellence. Your membership with CACCN entitles you to:

- **Best Practices, Education, Professional Development and Continuing Learning Hours** through webinars, educational events, and our national Dynamics of Critical Care™ Conference.
- **Certification resources:** study guide, preparing for the exam and systems review webinars. We have resources for adult and paediatric certification!
- **Standards for Critical Care Nursing Practice** (5th Ed).
- **Position statements** on issues relevant to you!
- **Career Opportunities:** Dynamic Career Connections.
- **Networking and peer community** – you will come face-to-face with critical care nurses working at the bedside, in education, research, leadership, organ donation and more.
- Latest critical care nursing articles through the **Canadian Journal of Critical Care Nursing™** (CJCCN) and opportunities for critical care nurses to publish.
- **E-news bulletin:** up to date information through our website and monthly e-newsletter.
- **Advocacy and promotion:** CACCN is the voice of critical care nurses in Canada working with our critical care colleagues on issues related to issues relevant to critical care in Canada.
- **Volunteering and leadership opportunities:** Members are encouraged to participate at all levels of CACCN from serving on the Board of Directors, volunteering for a National Committee or sub-committee or volunteering at the Chapter level! As well, many members contribute to the educational programs offered at the Chapter and National level.
- **Recognition:** Our Awards, Bursaries and Grants celebrate the achievements of our critical care colleagues in nursing.

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[Membership Referral Program](#)