** Transfusion Medicine Boot Camp   
 for Nurses   
 Patient Experiences – Lessons for Learning!**

**November 23, 2022, 0900 – 1200 hrs.**

**Program**

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| **Register Here** There is no fee to attend, however **registration is mandatory**.  Links to attend this Teams event on your computer  will be emailed to you on November 21, 2022. | |
| **0900 - 0920 hrs.** | **Welcome / Opening Remarks** *TBA* |
| **0920 - 1005 hrs.** | **Plenary Session: Transfusion Guidelines/Blood Administration** |
| **RBC Transfusions: Historical vs Best Practices**  *Jacob Pendergrast, MD, FRCPC, Associate Professor, University of Toronto*  *Medical Director, University Health Network Blood Transfusion Service* |
| **Documenting Transfusion: Dotting the i’s, Crossing the t’s**  *Donna Berta RN BScN, Nursing Clinical Project Coordinator, ORBCoN* |
| **Learning Objectives:**  1. To understand the origins of traditional RBC transfusion practices and why these have changed.  2. To define nursing actions to safety document blood transfusion. |
| **1005 -1015 hrs** | **Break** |
| **1015 – 1100 hrs** | **Plenary Session: Transfusion Reactions** |
|  | **Transfusion Associated Circulatory Overload (TACO) Clinical Perspectives**  *Sarah Hall, RN,**Transfusion Safety Officer, Lakeridge Health* |
|  | **Learning Objectives:**  1. To recognize the patient risk factors associated with TACO.  2. To identify a suspected TACO reaction based upon updated criteria. |
| **1100 -1110 hrs** | **Break** |
| **1110 -1155 hrs** | **Concurrent Sessions – select one** |
| **A: Massive Hemorrhage Protocol - Adults** |
| *Alison Armstrong RN, BScN, ENCC, Clinical Manager –  Regional Trauma Program & NSQIP, London Health Sciences Centre* |
| **Learning Objectives:**  *TBA* |
| **B: Massive Hemorrhage Protocol – Pediatrics** |
| *Christina Toppozini RN, BScN, MPH, Simulation Nurse Educator Children’s Hospital of Eastern Ontario* |
| **Learning Objectives:**  *TBA* |
| **C: All About Anemia and Iron** |
| *Anna Plant., RN., BScN., MScN. ONTraC Patient Blood Management Coordinator,*  *North Bay Regional Health Centre* |
| *Barbara Last, RN, Coordinator, Patient Blood Management Program, Ontario Transfusion Coordinators (ONTraC), Niagara Health* |
| **Learning Objectives:**  1. Familiarize yourself on the identification and causes of the different types of anemia.  2. Not only a quick fix: why you should use IV iron formulations for IDA. |
| **1155 – 1200 hrs.** | **Closing Remarks** |

**All sessions will be recorded and posted on ORBCoN’s website:**

[**https://transfusionontario.org/en/category/orbcon-resources/presentation-library/bloody-easy-nursing-transfusion-medicine-boot-camp/**](https://transfusionontario.org/en/category/orbcon-resources/presentation-library/bloody-easy-nursing-transfusion-medicine-boot-camp/)

**A link to the evaluation survey will be provided.   
Following the evaluation survey, a certificate of attendance and   
pre/post knowledge question answers with rationale will be available.**