Save the Date: Accreditation Workshop for Nurse Residency Programs

June 9-10, 2020

(Postponed due to COVID-19 pandemic; further details are forthcoming.)

Sponsored by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) - a nationally recognized accrediting agency for baccalaureate, graduate, and residency nursing programs, the Accreditation Workshop for Nurse Residency Programs is designed to provide important information and guidance to entry-to-practice nurse residency program officials and faculty who are eager to learn about or are engaged in the CCNE accreditation process.

What types of residency programs does CCNE accredit?
At present, CCNE accredits entry-to-practice nurse residency programs serving all newly licensed RNs (including associate-prepared nurses) in all care settings. This workshop is designed for programs serving the entire spectrum of newly licensed RNs and settings. CCNE is developing a process to accredit nurse practitioner residency/fellowship programs; however, this workshop will not focus on those programs. Once launched, CCNE will offer a similar workshop for nurse practitioner residency/fellowship programs.

Who should attend?
The workshop is designed for three main audiences:
• Representatives of programs seeking information about the CCNE accreditation process.
• Administrators of nurse residency programs scheduled to host a CCNE on-site evaluation or submit a report to CCNE in the next 1-3 years.
• New administrators leading nurse residency programs currently accredited by CCNE.

What topics will be covered?
• In-depth review of the CCNE accreditation process, including the initial application, timeline, on-site evaluation, and interim reporting.
• Interpretation of the accreditation standards and key elements.
• Engagement in the self-study process and writing the self-study document.
• Identification of evidence to support compliance with the standards.
• Preparation for an on-site evaluation.

When and where will it be held?
Tuesday, June 9, 2020 and Wednesday, June 10, 2020 in Washington, DC.

How do I register?
Send an email to residency@ccneaccreditation.org to receive registration information and workshop updates.

Questions?
Contact Renée Kalan, CCNE Accreditation Manager, at 202-887-6791 x230 or rkalan@ccneaccreditation.org, for general questions about the workshop.