

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Nursing Scholarship to Attend the 2009 AANS Annual Meeting

Nurses in the US, Canada and Mexico actively involved in the care of neurosurgical patients (e.g., ICU, OR, PACU, Acute or Subacute or special neuro units) are eligible to apply for the **Neurosurgical Nursing Scholarship** to attend the American Association of Neurological Surgeons' Annual Meeting from May 2-6, 2009 in San Diego, California.

Nursing contact hours have been applied for the specified breakfast seminars and practical clinics designed for nurses. Specific hours are subject to approval. An application for approval of nursing contact hours has been submitted to the Illinois Nurses Association Approver Unit.

PRACTICAL CLINICS

8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Sunday, May 3, 2009

- #020 Neuro Critical Care Update for the Practicing Neurosurgeon
- #023 Head Trauma: Current Treatments and Controversies with Hands-On Practical Session in Brain Monitoring and Techniques
- #024 Decision Making and the Spine Patient for Nurses, APRNs and PAs
- #036 Update on Spinal Surgery for the Practicing Neurosurgeon

BREAKFAST SEMINARS

7:30 – 9:30 A.M.

Monday, May 4, 2009

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| #109 Management of Vasospasm | #110 Management of Adult Scoliosis |
| #114 Management of Asymptomatic Vascular Lesion | #123 Pediatric Head Injury |

Tuesday, May 5, 2009

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| #203 Cerebral Neuromonitoring | #207 Coil vs. Clip for Intracranial Aneurysms |
| #214 Integrating Mid-Level Practitioners into your Practice | #220 Neurosurgical Decision Making in the Elderly |
| #225 Evaluation of the Child with a CSF shunt | |

Wednesday, May 6, 2009

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| #303 Lumbar Spine Fusion | #323 Management of Acute Spinal Cord Injury |
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AFTERNOON SESSIONS

Monday, May 4, 2009

- #128 Nurses' Luncheon: Aneurysm Surgery: The Sound and the Fury. Sponsored by Aesculap (limited seating - registration required). 1:00 – 2:45 p.m.
- #500 Neurotrama: Advancements in the Critical Care, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 5, 2009

- #501 Endovascular Management of Ischemic and Hemorrhagic Stroke, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

The Neurosurgical Nursing Scholarship is a maximum \$1500 grant to reimburse meeting expenses including:

- Transportation
- Hotel Stay
- Meals
- Registration Fees

Expenses over \$1500 are the responsibility of the attendee.

To apply:

AANS membership is not a pre-requisite to apply for the scholarship. Applicants should login to www.MyAANS.org and select "Grant/Scholarship Applications" from the left navigation bar, then select "2009 Neurosurgical Nursing Scholarship". If you have a question about your password, please contact cap@aans.org.

Applications must be completed and submitted by March 1, 2009.