

Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice Committee**Meeting Date: April 11, 2019****Time: 1030 - 1130****Place: Cos Cob Conference Room**

P=Present, A=Absent, E=Excused

ATTENDANCE						
P	Anne Swallow, DNP, RN	E	Denise Scherer, DNP, RN, CNOR		GUESTS	
P	Donna Belcinski, MLS	P	Priscilla Sterne, DNP, RNC	P	Jane Curto, RN, Med Oncology	
P	Lynn Carbino, BSN, RN			P	Kasey Connor, RN, Surgery	
E	Claire Carter, MSN, RN					
E	Carol Ann Doherty, BSN, RN, CRN					
A	Emily Kopas, RN					
P	Alison Kris, PhD, RN					
A	Ann Marie McGrory, MSN, RN					
E	Maureen Revel, RN					

Agenda/Topic	Discussion	Action
Welcome to Members and Guests. Review of March 2017 Meeting Minutes	March Meeting Minutes reviewed and accepted.	Approved
New Business	<p>October 2019 Magnet Conference Submit 10 abstracts</p> <p>Thursday Meeting Date – Low participation at the new Thursday Meeting/Time. Request for additional ideas to increase staff membership. Is there a best day of the week/time?</p> <p>11th Annual Janet Parkosewich YNHHS NR & EBP Conference: Summary review of annual conference held at Yale West Campus on March 27, 2019: Great overall conference. 24 Greenwich Hospital staff attended. Same # as last year. Beth Beckman, YNHHS, SVP and Chief Nursing Executive attended this conference and spoke to the attendees. New nursing position within the YNHHS.</p> <p><u>Conference Podium Presentations by GH nurses:</u> Nurse Residency Panel Sara May, BSN, RN and Kim Jensen, BSN, RN Use of Anti-Nausea Bracelets in Patients Post Joint Replacement Surgery. An EBP project presented on behalf of their entire EBP team.</p>	<p>Priscilla to contact RN's regarding abstracts to submit for 2019 Magnet conference. NR Committee members can assist with poster preparation once there is a response from Magnet on the 10 submissions.</p> <p>Chair will communicate with YNHHS NR & EBP Committee to place Donna on the membership list and meeting invitations.</p> <p>Members encourage to participate and attend the annual conference.</p>

Scholarly Work of YNHHS Nurses

Maureen Revel, BSN, RN, EFM, Patient Safety Coordinator

Focus of the Month: Promoting Education and Practice Change for Nurses in the Women's and Children's Nursing Unit.

Posters Displayed by Organization	#
Bridgeport Hospital	4
Greenwich Hospital	5
Yale-New Haven Hospital	16
Lawrence + Memorial Hospital	2

Conference Poster Winners by GH staff. CONGRATULATIONS!

1st Prize: Using the "P" Word: Improving Nurse Efficacy for Palliative care Provision through Simulation.

Gina Trovato RN, MSN, RN, CHPN and Nicole Generales, BSN, RN, CHPN

3rd Prize: Self Care Habits of Night Shift Nurses

Gina Trovato, RN, MSN, CHPN (Principal Investigator) and Night Shift Nurses

2019 GH NR & EBP Committee Goals

Anne Swallow led conversation about goal direction for committee as we are challenged by low attendance at monthly meetings. Open comments requested for improvement and setting realistic committee goals.

Ideas and comments shared at meeting:

- Change meeting day of week and time to a Wednesday as all Shared Governance Meetings are on Wednesdays. May increase participation as staff may be more likely attend another meeting on the same day. Time management.
- Promote more attendance/membership with use of LCD screensaver. Consider using a photo with brief message.
- Consider asking Jan Loomis, IRB Administrator to conduct a brief oral presentation at Nursing Leadership on IRB process.
- Have a group of nurses share their work at one-day presentation over a few hours. May increase attendance by offering 2-3 hour program. Easier for nurses to come for a few hours versus a single hour.
- Consider having all nurses who are interested/engaged in QI/EBP project also attend GH NR & EBP committee meetings. Increase knowledge, growth and development, and sharing of unit-based ideas or

Will send out Marge Funk Award nomination criteria with meeting minutes.

Anne will re-send article and review tool as requested:

Astroth, K.S., Woith, W.M., Jenkins, S.H. & Hesson-McInnis, M.S. (2017). A measure of facilitators and barriers to rapid response team activation. *Applied Nursing Research*, 33, 175-179.

concerns.

GH Nursing Research/ EBP/QI Project Update:

Priscilla reviewed some ongoing work/projects that may be part of the Magnet document.

Nurse Research Consultant Update:

Alison reviewed the various consults in progress with staff nurses. 8 consults in progress at various stages. Alison also commented on the great work and enthusiasm of our nursing staff. We collectively thanked her for the ongoing support and positive contribution to nursing professional development at Greenwich Hospital.

YNHHS Multi-Site Study Replication:

1. Family Presence during Codes. Primary GH investigator; Denise Scherer, DNP, RN.

Anne reviewed the 4/8/19 Research Study PI Meeting with members. Discussed the IRB of record for the YNHHS. At present it appears all DN's will submit to their own IRB. More to come.

All PI's will take HIPAA and Human Subjects online CITI training. Plan for a research YNHH website with helpful resources.

Also listed 10 articles from their literature review for PI's to review.

Asked each PI to form their own DN workgroup for this project. Will f/u with Denise Scherer regarding a GH team.

2. Nurse's Decision Making in Rapid Response Team (RRT) Activation; Priscilla Sterne, DNP, RN-BC Primary GH Investigator.

Priscilla indicated that the survey is still open as Yale New Haven Hospital requested an extension on the survey completion date.

YNHHS HR & EBP Committee Update:

Major focus on evaluation of 11th Annual JP NR Conference and when to start planning team for 2020 program as everyone thought it should be earlier.

Nursing Research Presentations

Creation of Educational Material for Patient Families and Caregivers of End-of-Life Patients During the End-of-Life Treatment Process

Presented by Jane Curto, BSN, RN, CHPN, OCN, Medical Oncology Unit

Project Purpose: The purpose of the nursing research study was to assess caregiver and patient families knowledge on care for the end of life patient and support for family and caregivers. Development of the pamphlet Navigating End of Life Care

Spine Basics Class

	<p>Presented by Kasey Connor, BSN, RN. Project purpose: The purpose of the nursing research study was to assess nurse's comfort level in caring for post-op spinal fusion patients and develop a care map for education.</p> <p>Recap and Closing Remarks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Reviewed today's meeting in brief.- Reminder of an opportunity to submit nursing abstracts to CT Nursing Research Alliance for the Annual NR and EBP Conference in October 2019. Abstracts due April 30, 2019. Contact Anne Swallow for assistance with writing/submitting abstracts.- Next YNHHS EBP Mentor Class open for registration. Offered at GH on June 10th, 2019. All day class.	
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Respectfully submitted by,

Anne Swallow RN, NR & EBP Committee Chair

Next Meeting Date: May 9, 2019, 1030 – 1130; *Glenville Conference Room

***Room Change**