PURPOSE
The purpose of this conference is to engage nurses and our transdisciplinary healthcare partners in a discussion about strategies and best practices for the translation of new nursing and healthcare knowledge into meaning and beneficial practice at the point of care.

TARGET AUDIENCE
Nurses and transdisciplinary healthcare practitioners at the point of care, Advanced Practice Nurses, Nursing and Healthcare Leaders, Students and Faculty of Nursing and the healthcare disciplines.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES
At the end of the educational program, participants will be able to:
1. Discuss strategies to create and sustain an infrastructure that supports nursing research and evidence-based practice.
2. Analyze relevant and feasible strategies for integrating and sustaining clinical inquiry and evidence-based health care practices in the patient care setting.
3. Examine findings and outcomes of selected nursing studies for their translation to nursing practice.
4. Critically appraise original research reports for practice implications within the context of evidence-based practice.
5. Engage in networking opportunities for evidence-based practice and research.

NURSING CONTACT HOURS
Applied for 6.5 Contact Hours

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TRAVEL DIRECTIONS
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7:30 – 8:00 AM
Registration/Breakfast

8:15 – 8:30 AM
Moderator
Stephen R. Marrone, EdD, RN-BC, CTN-A

Welcome
Debra D. Carey, MS
Chief Executive Officer
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Margaret G. Jackson, MA, RN
Assistant Vice President/Chief Nursing Officer
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Daisy Cruz-Richman, PhD, RN
Dean, SUNY Downstate College of Nursing

8:30 – 9:30 AM
KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Improving Quality of Care and Patient Outcomes with Evidence-based Practice and the ARCC Model
Bernadette Melnyk, PhD, RN, CPNP/PMHNP, FNAP, FAAN

9:30 – 10:30 AM
Funding Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice Projects During Fiscally Lean Times
Kathleen Leask Capitulo, DNSc, RN, FAAN, VHA-CM

10:30 – 11:00 AM
BREAK and Poster Session

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM
How Accelerated Nursing Students Learn
Edna Johnson Lewis, EdD, RN

11:45 – 1:00 PM
LUNCH (on your own)
Poster Session

1:00 – 1:45 PM
Responsible Conduct of Research
Alice Herb, JD, LL.M

1:45 – 2:30 PM Concurrent Sessions
A: Utilizing Team STEPPS Strategies and Relationship-Based Care to Develop Practice-Focused Quality and Safety Clinical Learning Competencies for BSN students in a Hospital Setting
Sheila Smyth-Giambanco, RN, MA, ACNS-BC

B: Courage: A Concept from Adaptation
Martha Whetsell, PhD, RN

2:30 – 3:00 PM
BREAK and Poster Session

3:00 PM – 3:45 PM Concurrent Sessions
A: Tele-Health/Tel-Medicine: Healthcare Fad or Healthcare Future
Joan Komolaf, PhD, RN

B: bedside report
Miranda Corcoran, RN, BSN, MA, NE-BC

3:45 – 4:30 PM Concurrent Sessions
A: Parental Acceptance of HPV -Human Papillomavirus Vaccine in 9-18 Year Old Girls
Diane Reynolds, EdD, OCN, CNE

B: Achieving Success in Delivering Diabetes Self-Management Education to a Diverse Patient Population
Hildegarde K. Payne, RN, MA, CDE

4:30 PM – 4:45 PM
Summary and Evaluation
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