

## Continuing Education Information

The South Central Kentucky Area Health Education Center is approved by the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN) as a provider of continuing education under the Provider Number 5-0026, expiration date 12-31-17. 3.0 contact hours will be awarded after attending the entire offering and completing evaluations. KBN # 5-0026-12-17-1138

Participants are required to have license number and last four digits of social security number available.



Sigma Theta Tau International  
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Area Health Education Center  
South Central Kentucky



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## 20th Annual Nursing Research Day

**Friday, April 21, 2017**

**12:30-4:00 pm (CDT)**

**The Medical Center/WKU Health  
Science Complex Auditorium**

**700 1st Avenue**

**Bowling Green, KY 42101**



**Tel: 270-745-2392**



# Improving Health Outcomes through Evidence-Based Practice

## Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this program, the participant should be able to:

Review current topics in nursing practice, research, and education.

Describe APRNs' knowledge of posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and screening practices.

Discuss the impact of skin cancer and melanoma education with UV photography on high school freshmen's tanning and sun protective attitudes and behaviors.

Describe OSD background and discuss the importance of worksite health promotion in hairdresser cosmetology students.

Describe a simulated patient care environment to promote observational skills in nursing students with the potential to impact patient safety.



Registration/Poster Presentations 12:30-1:00 pm

**Welcome** 1:00-1:15 pm

Liz Sturgeon, PhD, RN, CNE

Mary Bennett, PhD, APRN

Neale Chumbler, PhD

**Paper Presentations** 1:15-2:15 pm

Kimberly Link DNP, PMHNP-BC  
Primary Care APRNs' Knowledge of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder and Screening

Emiley Button MSN, ARNP-BC  
A Skin Cancer Educational Program: Knowledge, Behavior, and Attitudes of HS Freshmen

**Poster Presentations** 2:15-2:45 pm

Nursing 512 students/faculty

**Paper Presentations** 2:45-3:45 pm  
Kara Haughtigan DNP, MSN, APRN-BC  
Occupational Skin Disease Prevention: An Educational Intervention for Hairdresser Cosmetology Students

Kimberly Pharris MSN, RN  
Ensuring Patient Safety: A Lesson in Observation

**Closing comments** 3:45-4:00 pm

**Liz Sturgeon, PhD, RN, CNE**

Awards, Evaluations & Certificates

**Early Registration by April 7, 2017 \$20**

**Late Registration after April 7, 2017 \$30**

Please make your check payable to

Kappa Theta and send with completed registration form to:

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School of Nursing  
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**20th Annual**

**Nursing Research Day Registration Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant License #: \_\_\_\_\_

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