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## Navigating the Future: 20 Years of Sustaining Excellence in APP Postgraduate Training

### **DAY ONE: Monday, July 14, 2025 (7:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m.)**



**7:30–8:30 a.m.** Breakfast, Networking and meet with Exhibitors

**8:30–8:45 a.m. Welcome and Overview of the Conference**

**Kerry Bamrick**, MBA, Executive Director of the Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers;  
**Patricia Dennehy**, DNP, NP-C, FAAN, Vice Chair of the Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Board of Directors and Chair of the Membership Committee

**8:45–9:30 a.m. Keynote Presentation—The APP Leadership Journey: A Personal Perspective**

**Presenter: Surani Kwan**, DNP, MBA, FNP-BC, FACHE, FAANP, West County Health Centers

**Moderator: Patricia Dennehy**, DNP, NP-C, FAAN, Vice Chair of the Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Board of Directors and Chair of the Membership Committee

**9:30–10:30 a.m. APP Leadership in Action: A Diverse Perspective**

**Presenters: Clair Kuriakose**, MBA, PA-C, FACHE, VP-Chief Advanced Practice Officer at the Center for Advanced Practice, Stanford Health Care;  
**Kristy Wiese**, MPP, Partner at Capitol Advocacy

**Moderator: Mitchel Erickson**, DNP, MS, BSN, BSc, ACNP-C; UCSF Geriatric Age-Friendly ED Consultant, Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Division of Geriatrics Clinical Professor at UCSF Department of Physiological Nursing

**10:30–11:15 a.m.** Poster Presentations and Refreshment Break with Exhibitors

**11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m. Networking Session** by Program Track/Type and Region

**12:00–1:00 p.m.** Lunch with Exhibitors

**1:00 p.m.** Move into the break-out rooms for—Track 1 New Programs and Track 2 Existing Programs

SESSION	TRACK ONE: New or Soon to be Implemented Programs	TRACK TWO: Existing Programs
<b>Session 1</b> <b>1:00–2:00 p.m.</b>	<p><b>Making the Case: Selling Your Program Financially</b></p> <p><b>Presenter: Alan Wengrofsky</b>, CPA, Chief Financial Officer at Community Healthcare Network</p> <p><b>Moderator: Mitchel Erickson</b>, DNP, MS, BSN, BSc, ACNP-C, UCSF Geriatric Age-Friendly ED Consultant, Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Division of Geriatrics Clinical Professor at UCSF Department of Physiological Nursing</p>	<p><b>Accreditation A–Z: When and How to Approach Accreditation and Re-Accreditation</b></p> <p><b>Presenters: Margaret Walsh</b>, MS, FNP-BC, Program Director, NP Residency in Primary Care for the Underserved, Institute for Family Health; <b>Stephanie Ngsee</b>, MSN, RN, FNP-BC, Associate Program Director, NP Fellowship at AltaMed; <b>Sandra Sanchez</b>, M.A.Ed., Project Coordinator, Medical Education Department at AltaMed</p> <p><b>Moderator: Shay Etheridge</b>, MBA, Accreditation Program Manager, Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers</p>
<b>Session 2</b> <b>2:15–3:15 p.m.</b>	<p><b>Curriculum Development and Design Selecting Your Curriculum Content and their Modalities</b></p> <p><b>Presenter: Milagros Pilla</b>, Fellowship Program Coordinator at Rhode Island Hospital</p> <p><b>Moderator: Natalie Raghu</b>, DNP, FNP-C, BC-ADM, APRN-FPA, Medical Director of Advanced Practice Providers at Erie Family Health Center</p>	<p><b>Managing the Struggling Learner</b></p> <p><b>Presenters: Garrett Matlick</b>, DNP, MPH, APRN, FNP-BC, PMHNP-BC, Clinical Program Director of Community Health Center, Inc.'s NP Residency Program; <b>Sarah Freiberg</b>, MSN, APRN, PMHNP-BC, Clinical Program Director of the PMHNP Program at Community Health Center, Inc.'s NP Residency Program</p> <p><b>Moderator: Shannon Fitzgerald</b>, MSN, ARNP, Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Board Member, Consultant &amp; Former Chief, Advanced Practice at Seattle Children's Hospital, Bainbridge Pediatrics</p>

**3:30–4:15 p.m. Panel Presentation—  
Understanding Your Program's Budget, ROI and How to be Financially Sustainable**

**Presenters: John Ringhis**, PMHNP-BC, NPP, Director, Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Fellowship Director, Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Division Director, Adult Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Clinic Adjunct Professor at Norton School of Medicine at SUNY Upstate Medical University; **Cate Brady**, MPAS, Senior Instructor, Program Director of APP Fellowship Gastroenterology and Hepatology Division at the University of Colorado

**Moderator: Alan Wengrofsky**, CPA, Chief Financial Officer at Community Healthcare Network

**4:15–5:00 p.m. Current Evaluation of the Healthcare Landscape**

**6:00 p.m. Social Networking Event in Denver**

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### **DAY TWO: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 (7:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.)**

**7:30–8:00 a.m.** Movement Activity  
Hotel Rooftop Gym—1 mile outdoor walk/run

**8:30–9:00 a.m.** Breakfast and Networking

**9:00–9:15 a.m.** **Welcome Back and Overview of Day 2**  
**Shay Etheridge**, MBA, Accreditation Manager, Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers

**9:15–10:15 a.m.** **Artificial Intelligence in Training and Clinical Practice Panel**  
**Presenters:** **Grace H. Sun**, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, Professor, Director of Evidence Based Practice at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing; **Kay Burke**, MBA, BSN, RN, NE-BC and VP, Chief Nursing Informatics Officer, UCSF Health Informatics, Clinical Associate at UCSF School of Nursing  
**Moderator:** **Jill Terrien**, PhD, ANP-BC, Associate Dean Interprofessional & Community Partnerships, Associate Professor Nursing and Medicine at UMass Chan Medical School Tan Chingfen Graduate School of Nursing

**10:15–11:00 a.m.** **Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Accreditation Presentation**  
**Presenters:** **Ann Marie Hart**, PhD, FNP-BC, FAANP, Professor, DNP Program Director Chair at Fay W. Whitney School of Nursing at University of Wyoming, Chair of the Accreditation Commission, Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers; **DoQuyen Huynh**, DNP, FNP, ARNP, FAAN, Vice Chair of the Accreditation Commission, Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers  
**Moderator:** **Carlin Chi**, MD, Family Physician, Medical Director at Petaluma Health Center

**11:00–11:30 a.m.** Poster Presentations and Refreshment Break with Exhibitors

**11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m.** **Evaluations and Research: How to Engage, What Do We Know Now, and Where Should We Go in the Future**  
**Presenter:** **Monica K. O'Reilly-Jacob**, PhD, APRN, FNP-BC, FAAN, Assistant Professor of Nursing at the Columbia School of Nursing  
**Moderator:** **Margaret Flinter**, PhD, APRN, FNP-C, FAAN, FAANP, Chairperson of the Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Board of Directors and Senior Vice President & Clinical Director at Moses/Weitzman Health System and Community Health Center, Inc.

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<b>Session 1</b> <b>1:00–2:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Fundamental Requirements of a Successful APP Postgraduate Training Program</b> <b>Presenter:</b> <b>Ginger Vaughn-Pullin</b> , DNP, FNP-BC, Director of Quality, Director of Clinical Programs at Sam Rodgers Health Center <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Lisa Budka</b> , FNP-BC; Residency Program Director at HealthLinc	<b>Maximizing Technology to Manage Your Program</b> <b>Presenter:</b> <b>Danise Seaters</b> , MS, ACNP-BC, Director of Advanced Practice Education and Fellowships <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Jill Terrien</b> , PhD, ANP-BC, Associate Dean Interprofessional & Community Partnerships, Associate Professor Nursing and Medicine at UMass Chan Medical School Tan Chingfen Graduate School of Nursing
<b>Session 2</b> <b>2:15–3:15 p.m.</b>	<b>How to Test Competencies, Structure Your Evaluations and Gather Metrics</b> <b>Presenter:</b> <b>Cate Brady</b> , MPAS, Senior Instructor, Program Director of APP Fellowship Gastroenterology and Hepatology Division at University of Colorado <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Danielle Herbert</b> , DNP, MBA, MSN, ANP-BC, Assistant Professor/Coordinator, Primary Care NP Track, Tan Chingfen Graduate School of Nursing at UMass Chan Medical School	<b>An Innovative Preceptor Platform and Supporting Your Preceptors</b> <b>Presenter:</b> <b>Stephania Dottin</b> , NP, Nurse Practitioner Director of the NP Fellowship Program at Oak Street Health <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Nicole Seagriff</b> , DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, Vice President Western Region at Community Health Center, Inc.

**3:30–4:15 p.m.** **The Power of Emotional Intelligence: Building Resiliency, Preventing Burnout, and Promoting Wellness in Postgraduate Training**  
**Presenter:** **Lisa Budka**, FNP-BC, Residency Program Director at HealthLinc  
**Moderator:** **Gregory Rys**, DNP, FNP-BC, Director of Family Nurse Practitioner Residency at Bassett Healthcare Network

**4:15 p.m.** **Closing and Wrap-up**  
**Patricia Dennehy**, DNP, NP-C, FAAN, Vice Chair of the Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Board of Directors and Chair of the Membership Committee; **Margaret Flinter**, PhD, APRN, FNP-C, FAAN, FAANP, Chairperson of the Consortium for Advanced Practice Providers Board of Directors and Senior Vice President & Clinical Director at Moses/Weitzman Health System and Community Health Center, Inc.