

Schedule at a Glance

Wednesday, Sept. 13

11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. General Registration, Sponsor Showcase Lunch and Silent Auction

1-1:15 p.m. Opening Ceremony (Connect to Purpose)

1:15-2:15 p.m. Opening Keynote - Innovative Approaches to Workforce Development and Partnerships

Tracy Suber EdD, MSN/Ed, RN, Vice President Education, Phoebe Health System

2:15-2:30 p.m. Break

2:30-3:30 p.m. **Get to Know Your Neighbor** (Roundtable)

3:30-5:30 p.m. Sponsor Showcase Reception and Silent Auction

Thursday, Sept. 14

7:30-8:45 a.m. Sponsor Tradeshow Breakfast

9–9:15 a.m. Connect to Purpose

9:15-10:30 a.m. Embracing Generational Differences: A Key Retention Factor (Panel Discussion)

Georgia F. Jackson, DNP, MPH, RN, NE-BC, Director, Workforce Development & Patient-Family Centered Care, Emory University Hospital, Emory Wesley Woods Hospital, Emory

University Orthopaedics & Spine Hospital

Ashley Bryson, RN, Clinical Manager Surgical Specialties, Atrium Health Floyd Connor John Flynn, BSN, RN, Unit Dir., Surgical Oncology, Emory University Hospital Samantha Henry, MBA, BSN, RN, Unit Dir., Emory University Hospital/Emory Healthcare

10:30-10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m.-noon The Business of Nursing

Levi Campbell, MS, RN, Regional Vice President, Qualivis

Noon-1 p.m. Member Luncheon

1:30-2:30 p.m. The State of Nursing in Georgia

Anna Adams, MBA, Executive Vice President, External Affairs, Georgia Hospital

Association

Tammy Bryant, MSN, RN, President of Georgia Board of Nursing and Director of

Curriculum for Allied Health for the Technical College System of Georgia

Natara Taylor, BSN, RN, Executive Dir., Georgia Board of Nursing

2:30-2:45 p.m. Break

2:45-4 p.m. Innovation in Care Delivery through Complex Relational Leadership: Nurse Leader Skills

for Now and the Future

Nancye R. Feistritzer, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, Vice President Emory Healthcare Center for Care

Delivery and Innovation, Chief Nursing Officer Emory University Operating Unit

8–10 p.m. Evening Entertainment

Friday, Sept. 15

7:30-8:30 a.m. Connect to Purpose/Annual Business Meeting Breakfast

8:30-9:45 a.m. Situational Awareness and Workplace Violence

Justin Guck, Owner & CEO, Southeastern Tactical

9:45-10 a.m. Break

10-11 a.m. Positively Speaking: The Power of Leader Language in Creating a Positive Culture

Barbara Burnes, MS, RN, CPXP, Leadership Training & Development Professional, Atrium

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^{*}Information on learning objectives and continuing education credit will be announced as it becomes available.