Pediatric Learning Solutions' Course Alignment with CPN® Exam Content Outline.

The following Pediatric Learning Solutions courses align to focus areas of the Certified Pediatric Nurse (CPN®) exam content outline. These courses support candidates by delivering foundational content and are an additional respected preparatory resource for candidates to consider prior to their CPN exam. Go to the Pediatric Nursing Certification Board site for more information on the CPN exam.
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- **Comprehensive Assessment of the Neonate**

- **Assessment of the Critically Ill Child**

- **Pain Management:**
  - Assessment of Pain
  - Pharmacological Management of Pediatric Pain
  - Non-Pharmacological Therapies in the Management of Pediatric Pain
  - Pain Pathophysiology

- **Pain Technologies:**
  - PCA & Epidural Analgesia

- **Basic Medication Calculation**

- **Advanced Medication Calculation**

- **High-Alert Medications**

- **Medication Error Reduction**

- **Arrhythmia Recognition:** Analyzing the ECG Rhythm Strip

- **Emergency Response for the Non-ALS Care Provider**

- **Clinical Delegation**

- **Caring for the Behaviorally Challenged Patient**

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- **Pediatric Nutrition Overview**

- **Pediatric Peripheral IV Care & Management**

- **Management of PIV Complications in the Pediatric Patient**

- **Central Lines in the Neonate**

- **Lower Airway Diseases**

- **Caring for a Child with a Tracheostomy**

- **Cystic Fibrosis**

- **Nursing Management of Chest Tubes**

- **Basic Principles of Oxygen Therapy, Specialty Gases and Noninvasive Ventilation**

- **Chest X-Ray Interpretation**

- **Fluids and Electrolytes:**
  - Laboratory Assessment
  - Physical Assessment
  - Physiological Differences
  - Replacement Therapy
  - Water Intoxication and Fluid Shift

- **Fluids and Electrolyte Imbalance:**
  - Dehydration

- **Glucose Homeostasis in the Neonate**

- **Pediatric Sepsis**

- **Neonatal Sepsis**

- **Management of MDROs in the Health Care Setting (Clinical)**

- **Anthrax:** What Clinicians Need to Know

- **Preventing Surgical Site Infections**

- **Preventing Ventilator-Associated Pneumonia**

- **Preventing Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI)**

- **Tuberculosis**

- **General Post-Op Care of the Transplant Patient**

- **Care of the Pediatric Patient in Shock**

- **Pediatric Toxicology Exposure**

- **Pediatric Abdominal Trauma**

- **Pediatric Orthopedic Trauma**

- **Pediatric Spinal Column/Cord Injuries**

- **Pediatric Thoracic Trauma**

- **Pediatric Traumatic Brain Injury**

- **Pediatric Burn Wounds**

- **The Deadly Triad of Trauma**

- **Procedural Sedation in the Pediatric Patient**

- **Status Epilepticus**

- **Thermoregulation of the Newborn Infant**

- **Meningitis and Encephalitis**

- **Hydrocephalus**

- **Neonatal Seizures**

- **Blood Administration:**
  - Administration of Blood and Blood Components
  - Blood Components
  - Transfusion Reaction
  - Exchange Transfusion

- **Thrombocytopenia:** ITP and HIT/T (Coming 2017)

- **Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation**

- **Chemotherapy General Principles and Safety**

- **Sickle Cell Crisis**

- **Hemophilia:** An Overview

- **Acquired Heart Disease**

- **Congestive Heart Failure**

- **Congenital Heart Disease:** An Overview

- **Acyanotic Defects**

- **Congenital Heart Disease:** Cyanotic Defects

- **Developmental Care of the Newborn**

- **Management of the Difficult Airway**

- **Metabolic Disorders of the Newborn**

- **Diabetes Mellitus**

- **Diabetes Ketoacidosis**

- **Child Abuse and Neglect**

- **Care of the Pediatric Patient with Suicidal Ideation (Coming 2017)**

- **Renal Failure in the Pediatric Patient**

- **Peritoneal Dialysis**

- **Preventing Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI)**

- **Introduction to Pediatric Pressure Injuries**

- **Pressure Injuries in the Pediatric Population: Staging and Care**

- **Pressure Injuries Staging Assessment**

- **Pediatric Restraint and Seclusion**

- **Preventing Pediatric Falls**