

WFNN Scientific Programme

	Sunday May 24	Monday May 25	Tuesday May 26	Wednesday May 27	
9:30 - 10:00	Morning Tea				
10:00 - 10:30	Poster Session 'A' & Exhibits	<p>CS 24 #95: Local History and the Neuroscience Nurse. Christine Eberhardie (UK)</p> <p>CS 25 #88: Cerebral Vasospasm Causing Cerebral Ischaemia. Caroline Thomas (AUS)</p> <p>CS 26 #135: Quality of Life and Caregiver Burden Following Aggressive Surgical Interventions for Severe Stroke. Theresa Green (Canada)</p> <p>CS 27 #147: Neuro Bowl: Making Stroke Education FUN. Lynn Stevens (USA)</p>	Poster Session 'B' & Exhibits	<p>CS 58 #178: Cerebral Malaria. Dare Domico (USA)</p> <p>CS 59 #3: Impact of Structured Empathy Oriented Family Counseling and Hope Perceived by the Family Members on Anxiety and Coping Responses Among the Family Members of Severe Head Injury Patients. Angela Gnanadurai (India)</p> <p>CS 60 #50: Relationship Between Patient-Centered Care and Patient Outcomes: A Pilot Project. Sonia Poochikian-Sarkissian (Canada)</p> <p>CS 61 #159: Neurologic Examination of the Older Adult. Michele Grigaitis (USA)</p>	
10:30 - 11:00	<p>CS 1 #27: Neuroinflammation and Chronic Pain. Angela Starkweather (USA)</p> <p>CS 2 #180: Sexuality Post Stroke: A Systematic Review of the Literature. Marianne Klinke (Iceland)</p> <p>CS 3 #174: Hair Removal for Placement of External Ventricular Drains: An Evidence Based Approach to Changing Practice. Laurie Baker (USA)</p>	<p>CS 28 #116: A Down Under Case Review of Paraneoplastic Limbic Encephalitis. Diane Lear (AUS)</p> <p>CS 29 #83: Eyes Wide Open: The Awake Craniotomy for Tumor Resection. Sharon Hoosain (Canada)</p> <p>CS 30 #133: Experiencing Positive Aspects in Caregiving in Parkinson's & Alzheimer's Disease. Barbara Habermann (USA)</p>	<p>CS 51 #163: Is it Time for an International Guideline for Using External Ventricular Drain (EVD) for Intracranial Pressure (ICP) Monitoring? Anna Blommengren (Sweden)</p> <p>CS 52 #173: Normal Pressure Hydrocephalus: Diagnosis, Treatment and Nursing Considerations. Michele Grigaitis (USA)</p> <p>CS 53 #91: Evaluation and Management of Combat-Related Concussion. Kimberly Meyer (USA)</p>	<p>CS 62 #148: Reflective Practice: An Innovation for Improving Emotional Intelligence Among Nurses. Sheila Koutsogiannopoulos (Canada)</p> <p>CS 63 #144: Founded on Tradition - The Nursing Bundle of Care. Mary King (USA)</p> <p>CS 64 #111: Are we Sure that Patients with Left and Right Sided Neoplasms Use the Same Coping Strategies Before Surgical Procedures? A Longitudinal Pre-operative Study. Alvise Palese (Italy)</p>	
10:30 - 11:50	<p>CS 4 WORKSHOP A #76: Head to Toe Nerves: Understanding your Assessment of Cranial Nerves and Spinal Cord Testing. Dawn Tymianski (Canada)</p>	<p>CS 31 WORKSHOP B #67: Brief Cases in Child Neurology Nursing. Jennifer Boyd (Canada)</p>	<p>CS 54 WORKSHOP C #41: Acute Cervical or Upper Thoracic Spinal Cord Injury. Carla Aresco (USA)</p>	<p>CS 65 WORKSHOP D #102: Healing Others while Healing Ourselves: A Workshop for Professional Health Care Providers. Cathy-Lee Benbow (Canada)</p>	
11:00 - 11:50	<p>CS 5 #5: Evaluation and Treatment for Neurological Patients with Spasticity. Ellen Barker (USA)</p> <p>CS 6 #9: Building Capacitance in the Neurosciences in a Developing Country - Tanzania. Karen March (USA)</p> <p>CS 7 #37: Ripples From a Stone Skipping Across the Lake: Stories of the Meaning of Being Diagnosed with Huntington's Disease. Rose Rossi Schwartz (USA)</p>	<p>CS 32 #160: The Nursing Management of Patients Receiving High Dose Chemotherapy and Autologous Stem Cell Transplant for the Treatment of Multiple Sclerosis. Marjorie Bowman (Canada)</p> <p>CS 33 #132: Ictal Assessment: Development and Implementation in the Epilepsy Monitoring Unit and Beyond. Madona Plueger (USA)</p> <p>CS 34 #73: Acute Ischemic Stroke Care in the United States and United Kingdom. Janice Hinkle (UK)</p>	<p>CS 55 #182: Paediatric MS. Carolien van 't Hoff (Holland)</p> <p>CS 56 #64: Moya Moya Disease: Understanding this Complex Cerebrovascular Disorder and the Implications in Neuroscience Nursing Care. Dawn Tymianski (Canada)</p> <p>CS 57 #152: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly: A Brain Tumor Pathology Review. Kathleen Lupica (USA)</p>	<p>CS 66 #82: Spinal Cord Injury: A Team Approach. Jessica Baronas (USA)</p> <p>CS 67 #105: Stroke in Children. Susan Carroll (USA)</p> <p>CS 68 #92: Vision and Vestibular Dysfunction Following Traumatic Brain Injury. Kimberley Meyer (USA)</p>	
11:50 - 13:30	Boxed Lunch - 90 minute Break + table top talks		Boxed Lunch - 90 minute Break		
13:30 - 14:00	<p>CS 8 #6: Cavernous Malformation: Nursing Impact on Quality Patient Care. Herta Yu (Canada)</p> <p>CS 9 #8: Management of Needle Electrodes Used for Electromyography. Nursing Practice Experience. Elizabeth Padilla Puente (Cuba)</p> <p>CS 10 #13: Epilepsy Surgery in Children. Lindy May (UK)</p> <p>CS 11 #20: The Evolution of the Way of Looking at Deep Brain Stimulation in the Subthalamic Nucleus for Parkinson's Disease Patients: From Motor Symptoms to Quality of Life. Winnie Depaepe (Belgium)</p>	<p>CS 35 #108: von Hippel Lindau Disease. Karen Coleman (Canada)</p> <p>CS 36 #125: What are Patient's Experiences of Discharge Home from Hospital Following Lumbar Spine Surgery? Ruth Trout (UK)</p> <p>CS 37 #68: World First Novel Approach To Treat a Nurse with Osteogenesis Imperfecta and Basilar Invagination. Emma Everingham (AUS)</p> <p>CS 38 #185: The Family Field: A Model and Case Study of Infant Neuromuscular Changes Secondary to Emotional Resolution in Sibling. Mia Kalef (Canada)</p>	Hospital Tours, Optional Excursions or Free Afternoon	<p>CS 69 #112: Unbuckling the Stroke Belt: How Nurses Help Improve Stroke Care in Their Region. Lynn Stevens (USA)</p> <p>CS 70 #141: New Communication Initiatives for Neurosurgical Patients From New Caledonia. Emma Everingham (AUS)</p> <p>CS 71 #42: Management of Diplopia in the Acute Neurological Setting. Sara Stephenson (USA)</p> <p>CS 72 #96: Balloon Kyphoplasty, a New Treatment for Patients with Vertebral Compression Fractures. Joris Vanthournout (Belgium)</p>	
14:00 - 14:30	<p>CS 12 #21: Exploring the Safety of Nurse-Initiated Chest Percussion in Patients at Risk of Intracranial Hypertension. DaiWai Olsen (USA)</p> <p>CS 13 #22: Degenerative Neurologic Disease: Who Cares? Steve Smith (UK)</p> <p>CS 14 #36: The Educational Quality of a DVD for Patient and Partner Concerning Prevention of Shoulder Pain After Stroke. Jan-Willem Hoving (NED)</p> <p>CS 15 #52: Carotid and Vertebral Dissection After Chiropractic Manipulation. Susan Fowler (USA)</p>	<p>CS 39 #71: Restraint Minimization in the Acute Neurosurgical Setting. Jeanne Barr (AUS)</p> <p>CS 40 #78: Does Underpinning Evidence Influence Neurological Observations? Claire Mavin (UK)</p> <p>CS 41 #79: Toolkit for Management of Agitation in Children Post Brain Injury. Maria Rossomacha (Canada)</p> <p>CS 42 #113: Estimate of Nursing Quality in a Cohort of Neurological Patients - A Cross Sectional Study. Danijela Ivkovic (Serbia)</p>		<p>CS 73 #168: Managing Agitation Effectively and Consistently. Wendy Blackburn (Canada)</p> <p>CS 74 #106: To Sleep, to Dream - But Not if You Are in a Hospital. Mary King (USA)</p> <p>CS 75 #146: Patient Initiated Care, the Answer to MS Out-Patient Stagnation? Kim Bakker (NED)</p> <p>CS 76 #142: Slit Ventricle Syndrome. Herta Yu (Canada)</p>	
14:30 - 15:00	Afternoon Tea - 30 minute Break			Afternoon Tea - 30 minute Break	
15:00 - 15:30	<p>CS 16 #123: Swedish PD Patients and Their Spouses Wishes and Experiences of Care in Relation to DBS Treatment. Anna-Lena Törnqvist (Sweden)</p> <p>CS 17 #58: A Collaborative Approach in Developing a Standardization of Halo Care. Angela Sarro (Canada)</p> <p>CS 18 #59: Neurofibromatosis: Diagnosis, Pathophysiology and Surgical Treatment. Paula DeMasi (USA)</p> <p>CS 19 #61: "SPIN & SPEW" - Vertigo and the Role of the Neuro-Otology Nurse. Marilla Pereira (AUS)</p>	<p>CS 43 #86: An Assessment of the Economic Costs of Neurodependency Nursing Care: A Challenge for Service Delivery. Elaine Pierce (UK)</p> <p>CS 44 #171: The History of Neuroscience Nursing in Canada. Deborah Holtom (Canada)</p> <p>CS 45 #97: Transition to Community Living and the Impact of Telehomecare on Individuals with Moderate to Severe Acquired Brain Injury and Their Family Caregivers. Diane Duff (Canada)</p> <p>CS 46 #110: Incoercible Hiccupping in the Neurosurgery Setting: Patient Experience. Alvise Palese (Italy)</p>		<p>CS 77 #74: Evidence Based Nursing: the Creation of an Information Map for Patients Treated in a Halo Jacket Based on a Systematic Review. Wendy Sterckx (Belgium)</p> <p>CS 78 #100: Developing a National Stroke Nursing Workshop: From Pilot to National Roll-out. Linda Kelloway (Canada)</p> <p>CS 79 #49: Acquired Brain Injury and the Emotional, Behavioural and Cognitive Sequelae: the Family Experience. Mary Braine (UK)</p> <p>CS 80 #181: The Role of Braden Scale Risk Assessment in Pressure Ulcer Prevention - Our Experience. Nada Rapajic (Serbia)</p>	
15:30 - 16:30	<p>CS 20 #34: Myasthenia Gravis: Issues, Solution and New Horizons. Marilyn Ricci (USA)</p> <p>CS 21 #24: Epilepsy Epidemic in Cameroon: Is it a 'Pig' problem? Irene Elliot (Canada/Cameroon)</p> <p>CS 22 #43: Partners in Oral Care: Registered Nurses and Registered Dental Hygienists From Neuro ICU to Rehab. Cindy Kleiman (USA)</p> <p>CS 23 #81: Autonomy and Beneficence: Ethical Constructs in Acute Stroke Care and Moral Dilemmas for Nursing. A Case Study. Theresa Green (Canada)</p>	<p>CS 47 #183: Nursing Management of Severe Head Trauma. Therese Bachman (USA)</p> <p>CS 48 #93: SEX is Brain Work. Function and Dysfunction of the Chemical Process. Andre Houtman (Belgium)</p> <p>CS 49 #104: Screening for Mild Traumatic Brain Injury/Concussion in the US Military. Selina Doncevic (USA)</p> <p>CS 50 #172: Making it RIGHT with Right Brain Teaching and Learning of NEURO. Marye Dorsey Kellermann (USA)</p>	CLOSING CEREMONY		