March 2024 Nurse & Physician Pediatric Champion Newsletter





Introduction to Resilience: Building Our Internal Resources

Project ECHO offers a guide to building resilience, reducing stress, and avoiding burnout. It is a free, interactive <u>workbook</u> for healthcare providers.

Pediatric Patient Care Classes

The Oregon Emergency Nurses Association is offering pediatric patient care classes to hospitals. See *OENA Peds Readiness* flyer for more details.

EMSC Advisory Committee Meeting & Vacancies

April 11, 2024 | 0900-1200

Hybrid: 800 NE Oregon Street, Room 177, Portland 97232

Zoom Meeting Link | Meeting ID: 160 676 5280 | Passcode: 817006

This is a public meeting and an opportunity to learn about EMSC Program activities.

Committee member vacancies:

Nurse with pediatric experience & Tribal EMS representative Apply HERE & Learn More About the Committee HERE

Pediatric Readiness Program Resources

Check out the Pediatric Readiness Program (www.pedsreadyprogram.org) website for recorded education sessions, including the very timely *Pediatric Fentanyl Exposures* session. There are also clinical pathways, job aids, point of care references, policies, as well as quality improvement tools for pain and sedation, weight in kilograms, and weight-based dosing.

<u>Registration</u> is open for the May 9th 1200-1300 education session, *Pediatric Readiness in the Emergency Department: Does it translate to better outcomes?* presented by Dr. Beech Burns. CME and CE available.

The Pediatric Readiness Program team includes representatives from Doernbecher, Randall and Providence. The team meets for an hour every other month. If you are interested in learning more or attending a future meeting, send an email me to rachel.l.ford@oha.oregon.gov.

Emergency Medical Services for Children (EMSC) Program Resources

The EMSC Program (<u>www.oregonemsc.org</u>) strengthens the Oregon EMS system through education, resources, and quality improvement initiatives. The EMSC Program supports EMS agency and hospital pediatric readiness efforts to become "Everyday Ready" to treat kids.

See the *Hospital Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator* section for resources like the <u>Disaster Preparedness Toolkit</u>, <u>ED Pediatric Readiness Checklist</u>, and <u>Pediatric Surge</u>.