



**NAON**  
National Association of  
Orthopaedic Nurses

## NAON Orthopaedic Nursing Review Course Host Information

### Program Target Audience

Nurses and other health professionals who are interested in a comprehensive overview of orthopaedic conditions and diseases.

### Purpose

Explore how the orthopaedic nurse applies critical thinking skills to assess, plan, implement and evaluate care for the various health issues of adult spine disorders, degenerative joint disease, inflammatory disease, metabolic bone disease, musculoskeletal tumors, pediatric/neuromuscular/congenital orthopaedics, operative orthopaedics, orthopaedic complications and orthopaedic trauma and sports injuries. It is an excellent review for those planning to take the Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Exam and those wanting to enhance their orthopaedic knowledge base. Contact hours are provided to attendees.

### NAON Orthopaedic Nursing Review Course Topics

- Degenerative Diseases of the Joints and Spine
- Inflammatory Diseases
- Metabolic Bone Disorders
- Pediatric, Congenital, and Neuromuscular Disorders
- Musculoskeletal Tumors: Orthopaedic Oncology
- Orthopaedics in the Operating Room
- Orthopaedic Trauma and Sports Injuries

### Course Objectives

- Degenerative Diseases of the Joints and Spine
  - Describe the signs and symptoms, surgical and non-surgical interventions, and nursing plans of care for individuals with degenerative joint disease
- Inflammatory Diseases
  - Differentiate the clinical signs and symptoms and nursing plans of care for patients with selected inflammatory disease processes
- Metabolic Bone Disorders
  - Compare treatment options and nursing management of metabolic bone disorders
- Pediatric, Congenital, and Neuromuscular Disorders
  - Develop therapeutic nursing interventions for children with pediatric, congenital and neuromuscular disorders
- Musculoskeletal Tumors: Orthopaedic Oncology
  - Create appropriate nursing plans of care (surgical and non-surgical) for patients with musculoskeletal tumors

- Orthopaedics in the Operating Room
  - Identify nursing plans of care for the orthopaedic patients during the pre-, intra-, and post-operative periods
- Orthopaedic Trauma and Sports Injuries
  - Describe common traumatic injuries and nursing plans of care for such patients
  - Determine preventative measures for common sports injuries

## Contact Hours

The course is a one day event offering 7.50 contact hours for each participant who attends the entire course. These contact hours are Category A as designated by the Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Board.

The National Association of Orthopaedic Nurses (NAON) is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center Commission on Accreditation (ANCC-COA).

In order for attendees to receive their contact hour certificate, they must be present for the full course.

## Course Fees

### *Hosting a 1 Day Course*

The NAON fee to host a one-day course is \$4,000. *This fee is for all courses being held on the continental US. There may be additional charges for courses being held outside of the continental US.*

This fee includes:

- Speaker expenses
- Contact hours for each attendee
- NAON staff coordination
- Marketing on the NAON Web site and in the NAON News

### *Hosting 2 Courses Over 2 Days*

The NAON fee to host two courses over two days is \$6,500. *This fee is for all courses being held on the continental US. There may be additional charges for courses being held outside of the continental US.*

This fee includes:

Day 1:

- Speaker expenses
- Contact hours for each attendee
- NAON staff coordination
- Marketing on the NAON Web site and in the NAON News

Day 2:

- Speaker expenses
- Contact hours for each attendee
- NAON staff coordination
- Marketing on the NAON Web site and in the NAON News

### **As the host your facility will be responsible for**

- Meeting Room
- AV equipment
- Food and Beverage (if offered)
- Registration processing
- Speaker hotel accommodations (1-2 nights – dependent upon location and flight availability)

### **How to Book a Program for Your Facility or Chapter**

- Contact NAON with the preferred dates and the location (city and state) of the review course.
- NAON will secure a speaker based on geographical proximity to course location and presenter's availability.
- NAON will send a contract to the host once the date and presenter are confirmed. Host sends a signed copy of the contract to NAON.
- Host makes arrangements for review course including AV equipment, food and beverage, registration, and speaker hotel accommodation.
- NAON will provide instructions on how to access the online course evaluation and obtain the contact hour certificate. Host will distribute these instructions to all attendees.

To begin hosting an Orthopaedic Nursing Review Course for you facility please contact NAON at [naon@orthonurse.org](mailto:naon@orthonurse.org) or 312-321-3708.