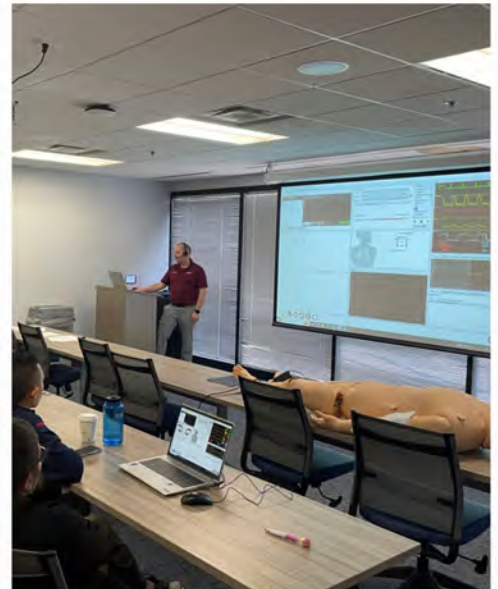


RWJBarnabas HEALTH

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At RWJBarnabas Health, the value that is placed on developing and supporting our professional nurses through education is unprecedented. We are constantly creating innovative ways to help educate our staff to ensure that outcomes and safety are always the priority. Our exceptional nursing practice is based upon providing structural empowerment for patient-family centered care, shared decision-making, autonomy, and clinical excellence. None of this wonderful work could be done without education, professional development and the support of our staff from The Center for Professional Development, Innovation and Research.

We know that as you review this catalog of educational offerings across the system, you will find many ways to give a voice to your ideals, to strive for personal, professional, and academic excellence. It is through your participation in these educational programs that will enable us to exceed our reputation as one of the most innovative and successful health care systems in the country.



Nancy Holecek, MAS, MHA, BSN, RN, FNAP

Executive Vice President

Chief Nursing Officer

RWJBarnabas Health

The Center for Professional Development, Innovation and Research at RWJBarnabas Health is dedicated to ensuring that members of the health care team have the resources to excel in this increasingly complex and challenging health care environment. We offer orientation programs, professional development, simulation, continuing education, leadership development classes and clinical skills validation across all of the specialties. We believe that excellence is possible through ongoing education, professional development and training.

Our team is highly skilled and knowledgeable. They are committed to providing ongoing opportunities to practice, learn and grow professionally.

This catalog highlights some of the courses that will be offered in 2025 across the health system. For additional education, professional development opportunities, please contact The Center for Professional Development, Innovation & Research at your facility.



Mary Beth Russell, PhD, MA, RN, NPDA-BC®, NEA-BC, FNAP, CPHQ

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The Center for Professional Development, Innovation and Research is committed to contributing toward the development of all staff in the provision of safe, competent and quality patient care by presenting educational activities that enhance clinical knowledge and skills. We extend to you the invitation to continue to grow in your career, and to take full advantage of these opportunities to be an active participant in the learning process.

Contact Hours

Contact hours will be provided as appropriate for each course.

Registration

You will be able to register for most classes through symplr, Survey Monkey and/or by contacting the course instructor (please read the course details for instructions). Please note: classes are subject to change or cancellation. If you would like additional information about a course, or to register, please do one of the following: refer to your hospital specific Center for Professional Development, Innovation, and Research intranet page; contact your Clinical Nurse Specialist/Clinical Nurse Educator, or contact the Course Instructor.

Course Fees

Courses that are open to non-employees will have the fee listed under the course information.

Please reach out to the Center for Professional Development, Innovation & Research or the Nursing Education Department at your respective facilities for further questions about courses, programs and educational opportunities or email CPDIR@rwjbh.org.

RWJBarnabas Health is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Provider Number P0695



The Institute for Nursing Excellence Locations

Eisenhower / Livingston

290 West Mount Pleasant Ave.

Suite 2280

Livingston, NJ 07039



Fort Monmouth

Squier Hall, Fort Monmouth

283 Sherrill Ave.

Oceanport, NJ 07757

Oceanport

RWJBarnabas Health Southern Business Office (SBO)

2 Crescent Place

CPDIR Classroom

Oceanport, NJ 07757

Rahway

Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital Rahway

865 Stone Street

5th Floor Simulation Lab

Rahway, NJ 07065

Basic Cardiac Rhythm / Tele Tech

Course Name: **Basic Cardiac Rhythm**
Course Objectives: At the end of this activity, the learner will be able to identify and use information obtained regarding the anatomy and physiology of the heart and conduction system to interpret various rhythms; successfully completing a posttest with a minimum score of 80%.
Target Audience: Registered Nurses requiring cardiac rhythm interpretation.
Dates(s): Must attend one set of dates
Eisenhower: 1/9 & 1/14; 2/6 & 2/11; 2/20 & 2/25; 3/5 & 3/12; 3/10 & 3/17; 4/3 & 4/8; 4/9 & 4/14; 4/17 & 4/22; 5/12 & 5/19; 6/16 & 6/19; 7/3 & 7/9; 7/22 & 7/28; 8/5 & 8/12; 8/25 & 8/28; 9/18 & 9/22; 10/2 & 10/7; 10/6 & 10/14; 10/15 & 10/21; 11/5 & 11/12; 11/13 & 11/17; 12/1 & 12/8; 12/9 & 12/11
SBO: 1/8 & 1/15; 1/23 & 1/30; 1/27 & 1/29; 2/12 & 2/18; 3/20 & 2/24; 4/15 & 4/21; 5/1 & 5/7; 6/4 & 6/12; 6/17 & 6/24; 7/14 & 7/21; 7/23 & 7/30; 8/18 & 8/20; 9/4 & 9/9/10; 9/8 & 9/15; 10/8 & 10/13; 10/16 & 10/22; 11/19 & 11/26; 12/15 & 12/17
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - System Business Office (SBO)
Course Contact: Swapnil Shah
Email Address: Swapnil.Shah@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr by Clinical Educator

Course Name: **Tele Tech**
Course Objectives: At the end of this activity, the learner will be able to identify and use information to interpret various rhythms; successfully completing a posttest with a minimum score of 80%.
Target Audience: UAPs needing to read telemetry strips.
Dates(s): Must attend one date
Eisenhower: 4/16; 7/16; 8/13; 12/10
SBO: 1/22; 2/19; 3/19; 5/14; 9/17; 10/15; 11/12
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - System Business Office (SBO)
Course Contact: Swapnil Shah
Email Address: Swapnil.Shah@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr by Clinical Educator

Certification Review

Course Name: **CNOR Review**
Course Objectives: Prepare OR eligible nurses to sit for CNOR certification exam through review and study plan.
Target Audience: OR Nurses
Dates(s): 3/20 - Eisenhower
10/20 - SBO
Time(s): 8:00am - 2:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - System Business Office (SBO)
Course Contact: Mary Koch
Email Address: Mary.Koch@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr

Course Name: **Critical Care Review Course**
Course Objectives: Learner will state steps to register for exam. Learner will state increased preparedness for certification exam.
Target Audience: RNs interested in sitting for their CCRN review exam.
Dates(s): Must attend one date
Fort Monmouth: 4/15
Eisenhower: 10/14
Time(s): 8:00am - 2:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Swapnil Shah
Email Address: Swapnil.Shah@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr

Course Name: **Electronic Fetal Monitoring Certification Review Course**
Course Objectives: Successful completion of certification
Target Audience: Maternal Child Health RNs
Dates(s): 3/17 - Fort Monmouth
6/3 - Eisenhower
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Emergency Nurse Certification Course**
Course Objectives: To provide a review course to prepare nurses to take the Board Certification for Emergency Nursing exam.
Target Audience: ER nurses preparing for CEN exam
Dates(s): Must attend all dates: 4/9, 4/16, 4/23, & 4/30
Time(s): 8:00am - 11:00am
Locations(s): Virtual
Course Contact: Michael Sanacore
Email Address: Michael.Sanacore@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr

Course Name: **Inpatient Obstetric Nursing Certification Review Course**
Course Objectives: Successful completion of certification examination
Target Audience: Maternal Child Health RNs
Dates(s): Fort Monmouth - 3/26 & 3/27
Eisenhower - 9/4 & 9/5
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Maternal Newborn Nursing Certification Review Course**
Course Objectives: Successful completion of certification examination
Target Audience: Maternal Child Health RNs
Dates(s): 1/8 & 1/9 - Eisenhower
4/15 4/16 - Fort Monmouth
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Medical-Surgical Nursing Review**
Course Objectives: Preparation for board certification exam.
Target Audience: Medical Surgical nurses with at least two years' experience preparing to sit for board certification exam.
Dates(s): Must attend one date:
Eisenhower - 6/11; 12/2
Fort Monmouth - 2/19; 9/23
Time(s): 8:00am-3:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Joseph Cagliostro
Email Address: Joseph.Cagliostro@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr

Course Name: **NCC High Risk NICU Review Course**
Course Objectives: Learner will successfully navigate registration for certification exam and have successful attempt for certification
Target Audience: Neonatal RN's
Dates(s): 3/12 & 3/13 - Fort Monmouth
4/10 & 4/11 - Location TBD
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name:	Oncology Certification Review Course
Course Objectives:	To provide experienced oncology nurses an overview of course topics addressed on the Oncology Certification Exam
Target Audience:	RNs and Advanced Practice Providers who are planning to take the OCN exam
Dates(s):	10/14 & 10/16
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:30pm
Locations(s):	Rutgers Cancer Institute - New Brunswick
Course Contact:	Raquel Lozada
Email Address:	rlozada@cinj.rutgers.edu
Registration:	Call 732-235-8784

Critical Care

Course Name:	Peri Anesthesia Conference
Course Objectives:	Networking and learning opportunity for Phase I and Phase II Registered Nurses. Topics include: Managing temperatures postoperatively- Hypothermia, Communication and Workflow in ward-like settings, Anesthesia Review; ASPAN Certification Review
Target Audience:	PACU nurses
Dates(s):	10/4
Time(s):	7:30am - 3:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
Course Contact:	Mary Koch
Email Address:	Mary.Koch@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Symplr
Course Name:	Ventilator Course
Course Objectives:	Return demonstration of skills necessary in the care of ventilated patients such as troubleshooting ventilator alarms and proficiently using a bag-valve-mask. Report one prevention technique related to Ventilator Associated Pneumonia (VAP)
Target Audience:	Registered Nurses
Dates(s):	2/27; 5/22 8/21; 12/18
Time(s):	8:00am - 10:30am
Locations(s):	Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center - Respiratory Conference Room
Course Contact:	Adriana Nashid
Email Address:	adriana.nashid@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Symplr - SBM1 2025 Ventilator Course

Emergency Department

Course Name:	Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course (ENPC)
Course Objectives:	To enhance nurses' ability to care for pediatric patients with innovative online modules supported by a revamped provider manual, preparing you for an interactive classroom experience.
Target Audience:	Emergency Nursing Pediatric Nurses
Dates(s):	Eisenhower: 3/18 & 3.19; 10/1 & 10/2 Fort Monmouth: 5/13 & 5/14; 11/11 & 11/12
Time(s):	08:00am-4:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Cathlyn Robinson
Email Address:	Cathlyn.Robinson@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Discuss with Clinical Educator before registering
Course Name:	ESI Triage
Course Objectives:	Define the process of triage with a historical perspective Examine common patient presentations in triage. Illustrate essential assessment elements for accurate triage. Identify types of implicit bias
Target Audience:	ED RNs with minimum 1 year experience
Dates(s):	<u>Must attend one date</u> 1/16/25; 4/16/24; 7/16/25; 10/15/25
Time(s):	8:00am - 11:00am
Locations(s):	Virtual - Zoom
Course Contact:	Jennifer Chaiken (RWJUH Hamilton)
Email Address:	Jennifer.Chaiken@rwjbh.org
Registration:	https://rwjbh-org.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_qSkV_TXgRvaK2SVkgA3kmQ
Course Name:	Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC)
Course Objectives:	This course provides the knowledge, critical thinking skills and hands-on training needed to keep trauma patients safe.
Target Audience:	Trauma Nurses and other Trauma personnel
Dates(s):	Eisenhower: 2/28 & 2/29; 6/17 & 6/18 Fort Monmouth: 4/15 & 4/16; 10/21 & 10/22
Time(s):	08:00am-4:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Cathlyn Robinson
Email Address:	Cathlyn.Robinson@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Discuss with Clinical Educator before registering

Foundations of Nursing

Course Name: Foundations of Critical Care Nursing

Course Objectives: The course facilitates the development of critical thinking, problem solving, communication and technical skills required to be successful as a Critical Care Nurse.

Target Audience: New to practice Critical Care nurses

Dates(s): Cohort 1: 1/17, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, and 2/4 - Eisenhower
Cohort 2: 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25, and 4/1 - Fort Monmouth
Cohort 3: 5/6, 5/13, 5/27, 6/3, and 6/10 - Eisenhower
Cohort 4: 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, and 7/29 - Fort Monmouth
Cohort 5: 9/2, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23, and 9/30 - Eisenhower
Cohort 6: 11/4, 11/11, 11/18, 11/25, and 12/3 - Fort Monmouth

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Swapnil Shah

Email Address: Swapnil.Shah@rwjbh.org

Registration: Symplr by Clinical Educator

Course Name: Foundations of Emergency Nursing

Course Objectives: The course facilitates the development of critical thinking, problem solving, communication and technical skills required to be successful as an Emergency Nurse.

Target Audience: New to practice ER nurses

Dates(s): Cohort 1: 1/8, 1/15, 1/22, 1/29, and 2/5 - Eisenhower
Cohort 2: 3/5, 3/15, 3/19, 3/16, and 4/2 - Fort Monmouth
Cohort 3: 4/30, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, and 5/28 - Eisenhower
Cohort 4: 6/26, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16, and 7/23 - Fort Monmouth
Cohort 5: 8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17 and 9/24 - Eisenhower
Cohort 6: 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18 and 12/2 - Eisenhower
Cohort 7: 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, and 12/3 - Fort Monmouth

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michael Sanacore

Email Address: Michael.Sanacore@rwjbh.org

Registration: Symplr by Clinical Educator

Course Name: Foundations of Medical Surgical Nursing

Course Objectives: Foundations of Medical/Surgical Nursing is designed to provide a competency-based and knowledge-driven learning program for the specialty of med-surg nursing that follows the ANA and Academy of Medical-Surgical Nurses scope and standard of practice.

Target Audience: New to practice Medical-Surgical nurses

Dates(s): Learner will attend one pair of dates:
Eisenhower: 1/14 & 1/23; 4/29 & 5/5; 7/8 & 7/15; 10/3 & 10/17
Fort Monmouth: 1/14 & 1/21; 5/1 & 5/6; 7/7 & 7/17; 10/14 & 10/20

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Joseph Cagliostro

Email Address: Joseph.Cagliostro@rwjbh.org

Registration: Symplr by Clinical Educator

Course Name:	Foundations of Neonatal Intensive Care Unit Nursing
Course Objectives:	In-depth understanding of the skills and procedural care for common to complex therapies for sick and fragile newborns.
Target Audience:	Level II, Level III nursery RNs and special care nursery nurses
Dates(s):	Cohort 11: 2/4, 2/5, 2/10, 2/11, 2/12, 2/13, 2/18, 2/19, 3/3, 3/4, & 3/5 Cohort 12: 4/25, 5/6, 5/7, 5/8, 5/9, 5/20, 5/21, 5/22, 5/23, 5/28, 5/29, & 5/30 Cohort 13: 9/15, 9/17, 9/17, 9/18, 9/19, 9/30, 10/8, 10/9, 10/14, 10/15, 10/17, & 10/24 Cohort 14: 11/17, 11/18, 11/19, 11/20, 11/21, 11/24, 12/15, 12/16, 12/17, 12/18, 12/19, & 12/22
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Michelle Dickerson
Email Address:	Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Have Clinical Educator email instructor
Course Name:	Foundations of Oncology Nursing
Course Objectives:	Foundations of Oncology Nursing is designed as a comprehensive didactic program to prepare oncology nurses for clinical practice.
Target Audience:	New to practice Oncology nurses
Dates(s):	Cohort 1: 2/24 & 3/4 - Eisenhower Cohort 2: 9/9 & 9/16 - Fort Monmouth Cohort 3: 11/11 & 11/18 - Eisenhower
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Joseph Cagliostro
Email Address:	Joseph.Cagliostro@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Symplr by Clinical Educator
Course Name:	Foundations of Pediatric Nursing
Course Objectives:	Prepare novice pediatric nurses for entry into practice.
Target Audience:	New to practice pediatric nurses
Dates(s):	January Cohort: 1/16, 1/17, 1/28 & 1/29 - NBI March Cohort: 3/4, 3/5, 3/24, and 3/26 - RWJUH NB & Children's Specialized April Cohort: 4/29, 5/12, 5/19 & 5/21 - RWJUH NB & Children's Specialized July Cohort: 7/10, 7/11, 7/14 & 7/15 - NBI September Cohort: 9/8, 9/15, 9/22 & 9/24 - RWJUH NB & Children's Specialized November Cohort: 11/4, 11/10, 11/17 & 11/19 - RWJUH NB & Children's Specialized
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	RWJUH New Brunswick Children's Socialized Hospital Newark Beth Israel Medical Center
Course Contact:	Marybeth Gartland
Email Address:	Marybeth.Gartland@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Have Clinical Educator email instructor

Course Name:	Foundations of Perinatal Nursing
Course Objectives:	Foundations of Perinatal Nursing is designed as a comprehensive program covering concepts from preconception to postpartum.
Target Audience:	Antepartum, mother baby, labor and delivery, postpartum nurses
Dates(s):	Cohort 18: 1/27, 1/28, 1/29, 1/30, 1/31, 2/3, 2/24, 2/25, 2/26, 2/27, 2/28, & 3/5 Cohort 19: 3/31, 4/1, 4/2, 4/3, 4/4, 4/7, 4/28, 4/29, 4/30, 5/1, 5/2, & 5/5 Cohort 20: 6/23, 6/24, 6/25, 6/26, 6/27, 6/30, 7/21, 7/22, 7/23, 7/24, 7/25, & 7/28 Cohort 21: 9/22, 9/23, 9/24, 9/25, 9/26, 9/29, 10/16, 10/20, 10/21, 10/22, 10/24, & 10/24 Cohort 22: 11/17, 11/18, 11/19, 11/20, 11/21, 11/24, 12/15, 12/16, 12/17, 12/18, 12/19, & 12/22
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower Campus The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Michelle Dickerson
Email Address:	Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Have Clinical Educator email instructor
Course Name:	Foundations of Perioperative Nursing
Course Objectives:	Prepare novice OR nurses for entry into practice.
Target Audience:	New to practice OR nurses
Dates(s):	January Cohort: 1/27, 1/28, 1/30, 1/31, 2/4, 2/6, 2/7, 2/11, 2/13, 2/14, 2/18, 2/20, 2/21, 2/25, 2/27, & 2/28 - Rahway March Cohort: 3/24, 3/25, 3/27, 3/28, 4/1, 4/3, 4/4, 4/8, 4/10, 4/11, 4/15, 4/17, 4/18, 4/22, 4/24, & 4/25 - Fort Monmouth June Cohort: 6/16, 6/17, 6/19, 6/20, 6/24, 6/26, 6/27, 7/1, 7/3, 7/8, 7/10, 7/11, 7/14, 7/15, 7/17, 7/18, & 7/22 - Rahway September Cohort: 9/22, 9/23, 9/25, 9/26, 9/30, 10/2, 10/3, 10/7, 10/9, 10/10, 10/14, 10/16, 10/17, 10/21, 10/23, & 10/24
Time(s):	07:00am-3:00pm (first day starts at 8:00am)
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - RWJUH Rahway, 5th Floor The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Mary Koch
Email Address:	Mary.Koch@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Have Clinical Educator email instructor
Course Name:	Foundations of PICU Nursing
Course Objectives:	Prepare novice PICU nurses for entry into practice.
Target Audience:	New to practice PICU nurses
Dates(s):	February Cohort: 2/24, 2/25, & 3/6 - RWJUH New Brunswick May Cohort: 3/13, 3/20, & 3/29 - NBI August Cohort: 8/27, 9/4, & 9/9 - Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center November Cohort: 11/11, 11/18, & 11/20 - NBI
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center RWJUH New Brunswick Newark Beth Israel Medical Center
Course Contact:	Marybeth Gartland
Email Address:	Marybeth.Gartland@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Have Clinical Educator email instructor

Medical / Surgical / Telemetry

Course Name: **Adult Intermediate Care Class**

Course Objectives: The Adult Intermediate Care class prepares staff nurses to care for patients that are moderately stable with less complexity than an intensive care unit patient but require moderate resources and require intermediate nursing vigilance or are stable with a high potential for becoming unstable and require an intensity of care.

Target Audience: Registered Nurses

Dates(s): 2/13; 4/10; 6/11; 8/13; 10/9; 12/10

Time(s): 8:00am - 12:30pm

Locations(s): RWJUH New Brunswick - East Tower Training Suite - 8th Floor

Course Contact: Katie Jacobson (RWJUH New Brunswick)

Email Address: Katrina.Jacobson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Symplr

Course Name: **Advanced Stepdown Course**

Course Objectives: Demonstrate applicable skills including medication administration, giving SBAR reports, and setting up arterial lines. Apply learned safe nursing care of different types of surgical patients admitted in the Surgical Stepdown Units including postoperative Whipples, DIEPs, gender affirming surgeries, and thoracotomies. Demonstrate knowledge of safe patient care practice of stepdown patients by passing the post-test with a grade of 80% or greater

Target Audience: Step-down Registered Nurses

Dates(s): 1/30 & 1/31; 4/24 & 4/25; 9/24 & 9/25

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center - Classroom 3130

Course Contact: Leticia Rodriguez (Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center)

Email Address: Leticia.Rodriguez@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Joint and Orthopedic Course**

Course Objectives: At the conclusion of the course, learners will demonstrate knowledge of spinal and orthopedic surgery precautions and nursing care. At the conclusion of the course, learners will be able to summarize safe discharge of the joint and orthopedic patient. At the conclusion of the course, learners will be able to identify post op complications that need escalation.

Target Audience: Nurses caring for patients post operatively from joint surgeries.

Dates(s): 2/25; 5/20; 10/2

Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm

Locations(s): Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center - Classroom 3130

Course Contact: Julia Kennedy (Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center)

Email Address: julia.kennedy@rwjbh.org

Registration: Symplr - SBM1 2025 Joint & Orthopedic Course

Course Name: **Mobility Advocate Training**

Course Objectives: Learners will understand the importance of mobilizing patients, learners will properly assess patients' mobility status using JH-AMP, Learners will demonstrate successful and safe mobilization of patients.

Target Audience: All staff interested in mobilization

Dates(s): 1/14; 4/29; 7/15; 10/28

Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm

Locations(s): Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center - Classroom 3130

Course Contact: Christine Guvener (Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center)

Email Address: christine.guvener@rwjbh.org

Registration: Symplr

Course Name: **Peritoneal Dialysis Course**
Course Objectives: Learn PD basics. Demonstrate use of the PD cyclor and PD flush/manual PD.
Target Audience: Registered Nurses
Dates(s): 2/5; 3/5; 4/22; 6/13; 8/15; 10/17; 12/12
Time(s): 1:00pm – 4:00pm
Locations(s): RWJUH New Brunswick - East Tower Training Suite - 8th Floor
Course Contact: Katie Jacobson (RWJUH New Brunswick)
Email Address: Katrina.Jacobson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr - RWJBH NB Peritoneal Dialysis Course

Course Name: Peritoneal Dialysis Course
Course Objectives: Learn PD basics. Demonstrate use of the PD cyclor and PD flush/manual PD.
Target Audience: Nurses caring for patients on CAPD, CCPD
Dates(s): 2/11/25; 7/22/25; 11/20/25
Time(s): 9:00am – 1:00pm
Locations(s): Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center – Classroom 3130
Course Contact: Julia Kennedy (Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center)
Email Address: julia.kennedy@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr - SBM1 2025 Peritoneal Dialysis

Course Name: **Renal Step-Down Course**
Course Objectives: Demonstrate three applicable nursing skills involved in caring for a patient in renal failure including symptom management and treatments. Apply two learned safe nursing care to kidney donor patients including the pre-transplant workup, day of surgery management, pain management, and discharge criteria. Participate in two case study analysis on management of immediate post-transplant patients with potential complications. Identify two medications associated with kidney transplants including induction medications, maintenance medications, immunosuppressives, and anti-rejection medications.
Target Audience: Any medical surgical nurse, specifically those nurses caring for post-op kidney transplant patients, patients on peritoneal dialysis, and patients with ESRD.
Dates(s): 2/18; 6/24; 10/30
Time(s): 9:00am – 1:00pm
Locations(s): Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center – Classroom 3130
Course Contact: Julia Kennedy (Cooperman Barnabas Medical Center)
Email Address: julia.kennedy@rwjbh.org
Registration: Symplr - SBM1 2025 Renal Step Down Course

Course Name: **Step-Down Course**
Course Objectives: At the end of the class the learner will be able to describe the care of patients admitted for cardiac and pulmonary disorders and the post cardiac surgery population.
Target Audience: RNs caring for patient in the Stepdown clinical setting
Dates(s): 3/17; 6/19; 8/11; 11/3
Time(s): 8:00am – 4:00pm
Locations(s): Jersey City Medical Center- CPRIR Classroom: 350 Montgomery St. Jersey City
Course Contact: Kristen Wadams (JCMC)
Email Address: Kristen.wadams@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email: Justin.Loo@rwjbh.org

Neonatal/ Perinatal

Course Name: **Advanced Electronic Fetal Monitoring (EFM)**

Course Objectives: This course addresses advanced principles of EFM for knowledge assessment validation of complex fetal monitoring tracings, clinical interventions, and communication and risk management principles.

Target Audience: Labor & Delivery, mother baby, and antepartum Nurses

Dates(s): Must attend one date

6/9; 11/4

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower

The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Care of the Substance Exposed Neonate**

Course Objectives: Learner will state one risk factor for substance exposure, one symptom of substance exposure, one long-term sequelae of substance exposure, and one element of scoring tool

Target Audience: Registered Nurses

Dates(s): 6/20

Time(s): 8:00am - 1:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Care of the Neonatal Surgical Patient**

Course Objectives: Learner will understand nursing priorities for care of neonatal patient surgical patient for most common surgical procedures to include assessment, interventions, escalation, and documentation

Target Audience: Neonatal Registered Nurses

Dates(s): 8/6

Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Intermediate Electronic Fetal Monitoring (EFM)**

Course Objectives: Addresses principles of fetal heart monitoring for knowledge assessment validation of fetal monitoring tracings, physiologically based clinical interventions, and communication and risk management principles.

Target Audience: Labor & Delivery and Antepartum Nurses

Dates(s): Must attend one date

Eisenhower: 3/10; 3/19; 5/19; 6/17; 7/17; 9/8

Fort Monmouth: 3/24; 4/9; 6/5; 7/10; 7/15; 8/8; 10/2; 11/5; 12/11

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: L and D: The New Critical Care

Course Objectives: Understanding of hemodynamic changes, cardiac complications, hypertensive disorders, and sepsis complications related to pregnancy and postpartum

Target Audience: Registered Nurses

Dates(s): 2/6; 6/18; 12/4

Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm

Locations(s): Virtual - Zoom

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: Neonatal Code Simulations

Course Objectives: Learner will successfully navigate registration for certification exam and have successful attempt for certification.

Target Audience: Neonatal RNs

Dates(s): 3/12 - Eisenhower

6/16 - Fort Monmouth

Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower

The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: Neonatal Developmental Care Principles

Course Objectives: Learner will state environmental and care principles affecting neurodevelopmental outcomes of neonate and demonstrate supportive positioning techniques

Target Audience: Neonatal RNs

Dates(s): 1/16 - Fort Monmouth

8/11 - Eisenhower

Time(s): 8:00am - 1:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower

The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: Obstetrics Safety Course

Course Objectives: An interactive course to advance your understanding and management of hypertensive crisis, hemorrhages, and sepsis

Target Audience: Registered Nurses

Dates(s): Eisenhower - 3/18; 4/17; 8/18

Fort Monmouth - 1/15; 6/12; 10/10

Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm

Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower

The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth

Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson

Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org

Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Perinatal MOUD**
Course Objectives: Learner will state one symptom of MOUD; Learner will state one element of COWS assessment; Learner will state process for activating Peer Recovery Specialist
Target Audience: Perinatal RNs
Dates(s): 1/6; 2/6; 3/20; 11/6
Time(s): 1/6 - 9a-11a; 2/6 - 1p-3p; 3/20 - 8a-10a; 11/6 - 8a-10a
Locations(s): Virtual - Zoom
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Small Babies and Big Care**
Course Objectives: Learner will successfully navigate registration for certification exam and have successful attempt for certification.
Target Audience: Neonatal RNs
Dates(s): 3/6 - Eisenhower
9/12 - Fort Monmouth
Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **S.T.A.B.L.E.**
Course Objectives: Discuss glucose management of sick newborns, detrimental effects of hypothermia, HIE, respiratory illnesses of newborns, causes and treatment of hypovolemic and septic shock, identify risk factors for sepsis, and emotional support for families of sick newborn
Target Audience: Registered Nurses
Dates(s): Must attend one date
Eisenhower - 1/22; 7/14; 10/28
Fort Monmouth - 4/14; 8/12
Time(s): 8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower
The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Course Name: **Ventilator and Respiratory Support of the Neonate**
Course Objectives: Learner will successfully navigate registration for certification exam and have successful attempt for certification.
Target Audience: Neonatal RNs
Dates(s): 9/10
Time(s): 8:00am - 12:00pm
Locations(s): The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact: Michelle Dickerson
Email Address: Michelle.Dickerson@rwjbh.org
Registration: Email course contact

Professional Development

Course Name:	Annual Lois Pollack Pediatric Nursing Conference
Course Objectives:	Attendees will receive education regarding Pediatric topics.
Target Audience:	Nurses, Child Life, Case Managers
Dates(s):	4/2
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	RWJUH New Brunswick - Courtyard
Course Contact:	Rebecca Ramos
Email Address:	rebecca.ramos@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Email course contact
Course Name:	Charge Nurse Workshop
Course Objectives:	Learners will have increased knowledge of the charge nurse role and responsibilities and apply positive techniques and tools to function effectively in the charge nurse role.
Target Audience:	RWJUH Registered Nurses with an interest in the charge nurse role and in advancing leadership skills.
Dates(s):	2/18; 6/3; 9/11; 12/4
Time(s):	8:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	RWJUH New Brunswick - East Tower Training Suite - 8th Floor
Course Contact:	Donna Prete
Email Address:	Donna.prete2@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Symplr: RWJUH Charge Nurse Workshop 2025
Course Name:	Foundations of Simulation
Course Objectives:	A course for educators looking to learn ways to effectively integrate simulation into their curriculums. Understanding the relationship between simulation fidelity and learning objectives. Developing simulation scenarios that align with learning objectives. Assessing the effectiveness of simulation-based training.
Target Audience:	Nursing and Health Professions Educators
Dates(s):	<u>Must attend one date</u> Eisenhower: 3/24; 9/23 Fort Monmouth: 9/17; 12/15
Time(s):	9:00am - 4:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Kevin Kurzweil / Evan Holtz
Email Address:	CPDIR@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Symplr
Course Name:	OR Symposium
Course Objectives:	Networking and Learning Opportunity for Operating Room Registered Nurses and Surgical Technologists. Topics include: High stress communication, Team Steps Utilizing High Reliability Tools for Safety, Multiple Generations in the Workplace Self-Care
Target Audience:	Perioperative nurses
Dates(s):	10/25
Time(s):	7:30am - 3:00pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Mary Koch
Email Address:	Mary.Koch@rwjbh.org
Registration:	Symplr

Course Name:	Preceptor Program
Course Objectives:	Learners will have increased knowledge of the preceptor role and responsibilities and apply positive techniques and tools to function effectively in the preceptor role.
Target Audience:	Registered Nurses
Dates(s):	Must attend one date: Virtual: 1/7; 2/4; 4/3; 6/10; 8/18; 9/18; 11/18; 12/11 Fort Monmouth: 3/4; 5/15; 7/21; 10/16
Time(s):	9am - 1:30pm
Locations(s):	Virtual - Zoom The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Marybeth Gartland & Danielle Hilliard
Email Address:	Marybeth.Gartland@RWJBH.org , Danielle.Hilliard@RWJBH.org
Registration:	Symplr - RWJBH System Preceptor Program
Course Name:	Pressure Injury/Wound Symposium
Course Objectives:	To review pressure injury staging, pressure injury prevention, wound identification and treatment, and documentation of wounds in EPIC.
Target Audience:	Registered Nurses
Dates(s):	3/7 - Eisenhower 10/3 - Fort Monmouth
Time(s):	8:30am - 1:30pm
Locations(s):	The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Eisenhower The Institute for Nursing Excellence - Fort Monmouth
Course Contact:	Kimberly McKevitt (RWJUH Somerset)
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Registration:	Symplr