

SCHOOL NURSE 2026-2027 WEBINAR SERIES



Integrating Mental and Behavioral Health into School Nursing Practice

Date: September 24, 2026 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speaker: Amanda Baldwin, MSN, RN, NCSN

School nurses are uniquely positioned to identify and support students with mental and behavioral health needs, yet our role within school systems is often underutilized. This session will explore practical ways school nurses can incorporate mental health assessment, early intervention, care coordination, and collaboration into their practice while strengthening their role within MTSS, crisis response, and IEP/504 teams.



Vaping, Synthetic Drugs, and Emerging Substance Threats (1 hour special)

Date: October 22, 2026 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speaker: Rebekah French, DNP, FNP-C

Vaping and substance use among youth continue to evolve, creating new challenges for schools and school health professionals. This presentation will review the prevalence and health risks associated with vaping, nicotine addiction, synthetic drugs, and cannabis products. Participants will learn how students access these products, warning signs and symptoms to monitor, and the potential for overdose and other serious health consequences. The session will discuss evidence-based response strategies, the importance of stocking naloxone alongside AEDs in schools, and developing a coordinated plan for prevention, preparedness, and intervention to help protect student health and safety.



Teaching Health to Students: Best Practices and Supports

Date: November 12, 2026 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speaker: Jenny M. Gormley, DNP, MSN, BA, RN, NCSN, FNASN

In this webinar, Dr. Gormley will share best practices and resources for school nurses to use when teaching health topics and skills to students, both individually and in the classroom. Her goal is to validate and encourage the important function and responsibilities that school nurses have for supporting students making healthy choices.



Beyond Charting: Getting the Most Out of Your EHR

Date: December 10, 2026 - 2:00pm Eastern

**Speakers: Marc Patterson, Strategic Account Executive, PSNI, LLC
& Jennifer Rolinson, BSN, RN, MSW, Assistant Nurse Supervisor**

Join us to explore how school nurses can transform routine documentation into meaningful health data. This session will demonstrate how EHR data can help identify student health trends, inform decision-making and resource allocation, strengthen compliance, and highlight the impact of school nursing on student outcomes.



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The Only Nurse in the Building: Understanding and Addressing Isolation in School Nursing

Date: January 21, 2027 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speakers: Jacquie Falco, MSN, RN, NCSN & Karlee Dana, MSN, RN

This session examines two distinct forms of isolation in school nursing, clinical and role-based, and draws on the professional literature to show that the experience is structural rather than personal. Participants will leave with practical strategies for establishing clinical consultation resources beyond their school and professional connection within it, along with a single concrete action to take that week.



Getting It Right from the Start: Assessment Before the Plan

Date: February 18, 2027 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speaker: Jennifer Norton, MSN, RN, NCSN

This webinar explores the essential components of school nurse assessment, including collecting and analyzing health, educational, and environmental information to identify student needs. Participants will learn how to use assessment findings to develop individualized, evidence-informed care plans that support student health, safety, and academic success.



Humor and the School Nurse

Date: March 18, 2027 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speakers: Soph Hall, DNP, MEd, RN, NCSN, FNASN & Allison Conyers, MSN, RN, NCSN

School Nurses will learn ways to use humor to help make a scary clinic feel safe and welcoming. No matter a child's age, humor can lower student anxiety at the nurse's office. School Nurses will leave with easy tools to bring joy into everyday care.



Documentation Strategies for High-Risk School Nursing Situations

Date: April 15, 2027 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speaker: Kimberly Garrett, MSN, RN, LSN, NCSN

Have you ever finished documenting a challenging encounter and wondered, "Did I include enough?" This session examines common documentation challenges in high-risk school nursing situations and provides practical, evidence-based strategies for creating clear, objective records that stand on their own long after the event has passed



Recognizing and Responding to Sickle Cell Emergencies at School

Date: May 20, 2027 - 2:00pm Eastern

Speaker: Matt Hickling, MSN, APRN, CPNP-PC

Through realistic case scenarios, this session will examine common school-based presentations of sickle cell disease and the clinical decisions that school health professionals may face during the school day. Emphasis will be placed on assessment, early recognition of complications, individualized care planning, documentation, and knowing when the situation has moved beyond routine school-based management.

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