

# NICU Review and Exam Prep

The #1 Course for:  
New & Experienced NICU Nurses  
Valuable for Level II Nursery Nurses  
Utilize for Orientation or Exam Prep!

## NICU Review

Presented By

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RNC, NNP, MS**

NCC and PEC are separate entities,  
and providing the NCC exam on site is  
an **EXCLUSIVE** PEC advantage to our participants.

Convenient and concise, couple the review and the  
immediate exam for improved results.

**Learn from the Best and Pass the Test!**

Look inside for registration details

## MEET YOUR SPEAKER...



### Tracy Karp, RNC, MS, NNP

Author, Educator, Researcher, and Clinician: Tracy Karp has 36 years of experience in neonatal nursing. He is currently the Chief of Advanced Practice Clinicians at Intermountain Healthcare's Primary Children's Medical

Center. Tracy continues to practice as a neonatal Nurse Practitioner in various clinical settings including Level II & III NICUs. He is also on clinical faculty at the University of Utah College of Nursing in Salt Lake City. He has presented at various conventions; served on multiple state, regional, and national neonatal committees, and has authored or co-authored numerous textbook chapters and articles. Tracy has been a wonderful member of the PEC teaching team for many years, presenting the Newborn half of Maternal Newborn Review. He has a great test prep attitude! You will enjoy Tracy's relaxed teaching style. He utilizes audience knowledge in a technique that has proven to be engaging and a great tool for retention.

## WHAT PEOPLE SAY...

**"Cardiac section was very EASY TO UNDERSTAND. Coming from a unit that does not see cardiac often - this was helpful!"**

**"He was a GREAT presenter, very enjoyable and relatable"**

**"I feel this course would be very beneficial for nursing care & infant outcomes if taken early in your career as a NICU RN, also, not just for review and exam. I found and learned many new practices/observations that I would have loved to have learned much earlier in my practice!"**

**"Great humor, keeps the audience involved. Knowledgeable, entertaining, energetic. Great lecturer! EXCELLENT!"**

**"This course should be mandatory for every NICU nurse!"**

### ———— GUARANTEE - CANCELLATION - TAXES ————

**GUARANTEE:** If you are not satisfied with the content and presentation of this program, notify the registrar by 12 noon 1st day of attendance for refund of registration fees.

**CANCELLATIONS:** Up to **7 days** before the program choose: Registration fee refund minus \$25 per day administrative fee or full value credit letter.

**Cancellation within 7 days:** No monetary refund. Send a substitute or request a credit letter (minus \$25/day administrative fee) which will allow you to apply fees to a future program of your choice. If program cannot be held due to circumstances beyond our control (natural disaster, strike, etc.) the seminar will be rescheduled. Registrants may choose free admission to the rescheduled program or a credit voucher good for any future PEC program, no cash refund. PEC reserves the right to substitute qualified speaker(s) in response to emergency circumstances beyond our control. **Professional tuition, travel/meal expenses are tax deductible.** See your tax advisor for details.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

- Nurses needing a review or overall orientation to NICU care situations
- Level II and III NICU and Special Care Nursery Nurses
- Clinical Specialists
- Professionals involved in the care and follow-up of at-risk neonates
- Nurses planning to take the RNC exam\*
- Nurses preparing for neonatal CCRN exam
- Nurses needing recertification credits

**Fast paced, comprehensive and intense review of physiology, pathophysiology, signs/symptoms, diagnosis, treatment and prognosis of the high risk neonate. This program will refresh your knowledge base, improve your assessment skills for clinical practice and assist you as a caregiver as well as prepare you for the RNC and CCRN exams.**

## PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

**Through lecture and discussion this program will:**

- Review high-risk antepartum/intrapartum maternal factors that indicate potential neonatal risk.
- Identify common laboratory findings and other diagnostic testing that impact care and management.
- List components of immediate physical assessment, resuscitation and care of the newly born infant.
- Evaluate aspects of gestational age and intrauterine growth that put the baby at risk and management strategies for those risks.
- Discuss the aspects of thermal risk and management for newborns.
- Define, differentiate, and formulate plans of care for major neonatal disorders of the newborn and/or the preterm infant: cardiovascular, respiratory, neurologic, gastrointestinal, genitourinary, HENT, metabolic, hematologic, and endocrine systems.
- Discuss fluid/electrolyte/nutritional assessment, issue identification, and management strategies.
- Review key immunologic concepts including inflammatory response, immunity, differentials, and sepsis.
- Identify congenital genetic conditions with management etiologies.
- Understand the concepts of Developmental Care.
- List components Parental support and discharge planning

# NICU Neonatal Systems: A Comprehensive Review

## *In a Safety Model Framework Review Neonatal Intensive Nursing Care and Practice using the NNC Neonatal Intensive Care Nursing Certification guidelines*

### DAY ONE -

- 7:30 am *Check In with Continental Breakfast*  
8:00 am **Introduction- The Big picture**  
**High Risk maternal conditions**  
**Gestational age and growth assessment**  
**Common labs including blood gases**  
**Thermal management**  
**Cardiac conditions and Transition**  
12:00 **Lunch**  
12:45 pm **Respiratory conditions and management**  
**GI/Hepatic conditions –**  
**Congenital anomalies**  
**Necrotizing enterocolitis**  
**Renal conditions and management**  
**Skin /HENT conditions and management**  
Test review post class if early  
4:30 pm *Adjourn*

### DAY TWO -

- 7:30 am *Check In with Continental Breakfast*  
8:00 am **Neurologic conditions and management**  
**Hemoglobin /Bilirubin management**  
**Infectious conditions and management**  
**Endocrine/Metabolic/glucose**  
**Infant of the diabetic mother**  
12:00 **Lunch**  
12:45 pm **Resuscitation and Transition**  
**Fluid and Nutritional management**  
**Developmental care**  
**Pharmacology**  
**Parental support and discharge planning**  
Catch up / Test review post class if early  
4:30 pm *Adjourn*

\*The NCC NICU exam is separate from and has no affiliation with this course. It is PEC's goal to support higher standards of continuing education and to assist nurse's seeking certification, thus PEC has established the option for PEC NICU review course attendees to sit the NCC exam. NCC sends an admission letter following receipt/approval of exam application. Contact NCC if you have applied and have not received your admission to exam letter. Testing site inclusion does not constitute NCC endorsement of course, course content, or materials provided. NCC and PEC are not affiliated organizations. A collaborative effort has provided an educational (PEC) and testing (NCC) opportunity to clinicians nationwide. PEC has no authority to approve, disapprove or vary any requirement for qualifying for or taking any NCC exam.

**Registration for the onsite NCC exam following attendance at the course is separate with NCC (\$275) we suggest registering using the link on our website: [proedcenter.com](http://proedcenter.com). Please note there is a \$30 test administration fee due PEC for the onsite exam.**

## REGISTRATION: 2020 NICU Review

RN  APN  CNM  MD/DO  PA Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ License# \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

### E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

- Part of Group Registration  
 Check Payable to: Professional Education Center (PEC)

      

Card #'s \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_  
Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

PROGRAM FEES	Complete Course	Daily Attendance
___ Individual	<input type="checkbox"/> \$399	<input type="checkbox"/> \$279 per day
___ Group 4**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$389 each	<input type="checkbox"/> \$269 each/day
___ Group 8+**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$379 each	<input type="checkbox"/> \$259 each/day

I am taking the on site NCC exam \$30 NR fee due PEC

\*\*Groups MUST pre-register & Pre-pay TOGETHER to qualify as a group.

At The Door Payment or Registration: \$419/Course or \$289/day  
At door registration on 'Space Available' basis - Please call to confirm.

### I will attend the following 2020 Program: (\*NCC exam date)

Portland, OR	<input type="checkbox"/> 3/13	<input type="checkbox"/> 3/14/2020	(*3/15)
Columbia, MO	<input type="checkbox"/> 4/2	<input type="checkbox"/> 4/3/2020	(*4/4)
Evansville, IN	<input type="checkbox"/> 4/30	<input type="checkbox"/> 5/1/2020	(*5/2)
New York, NY	<input type="checkbox"/> 5/18	<input type="checkbox"/> 5/19/2020	(*5/20)
Pasadena, CA	<input type="checkbox"/> 6/25	<input type="checkbox"/> 6/26/2020	(*6/27)
Minneapolis, MN	<input type="checkbox"/> 10/1	<input type="checkbox"/> 10/2/2020	(*10/3)
Richmond, VA	<input type="checkbox"/> 11/4	<input type="checkbox"/> 11/5/2020	(*11/6)

I prefer a vegetarian lunch (available with pre-registration only)

**Recommended Textbook (Optional)** For Additional Study:  
*Core Curriculum NICU - Edited by Dr. T. Verklan \*\*NEW 5th Ed*  
w/24 Hr. CE as a HomeStudy Unit; discount w/registration see website  
Recommended for self-study, not required

**EASY COURSE REGISTRATION:**  
**ON-LINE: [www.proedcenter.com](http://www.proedcenter.com)**

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**Call: 800-732-2387**  
**Register at anytime! FAX - 530-343-3575**

**OR**  
**Mail Your Registration To:**  
**P.O. Box 7447 Chico, CA 95927-7447**

### CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

This program is designed to meet Board of Nursing CE requirements for license renewal in all 50 states. Professional Education Center (PEC) is a provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #9890, Contact Hours 16.5. Florida FBN#2219 for 15.5 Hours. Meets Texas Type I criteria.  
**CE Certificate is issued at program conclusion.**  
**Attending the course does not guarantee passing the exam.**



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## NICU - REVIEW

Excellent for Exam Review or  
Comprehensive Orientation Tool

Neonatal Intensive Care Nursing:  
**Identifying the At-Risk Newborn**  
Comprehensive Systems Review  
Physiology Focused Identification/Care

### RNC NCC EXAM INFORMATION CONTACT-DETAILS:

\*NCC Exam registration must be done separately  
with NCC and is \$275.

NCC requires the registration be at least  
21 days prior to exam date.

NCC Registration Instructions Inside this brochure OR  
use the tab on the [proedcenter.com](http://proedcenter.com) website homepage

There is a \$30 non-refundable test administration fee  
due PEC if taking exam on-site.

We recommend some review prior to the seminar.

**CE CREDIT: Nurses: BRN 16 Hours CE Credit; 2 hours Pharmacology.**

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**Neither provider nor presenters have any commercial conflict of interest.**

## 2020 SEMINAR AND LODGING SITES

A limited number of rooms at a preferred rate, have been arranged with the following hotel per site.

Call, (use code if stated) or use the direct website link (on our website) to make a reservation.

Be sure to reserve at least 30 days ahead to get a room and get the special discounted rate.

### **PORTLAND, OR- MARCH 13-14 (\*15)**

**HOST:** Providence St Vincent Medical Center

**SEMINAR SITE:** PSVMC Souther Auditorium-Classroom:  
9205 NE Barnes Road, Portland, OR 97225

**LODGING:** No room block established.

### **PASADENA, CA- JUNE 25-26 (\*27)**

**HOST:** Huntington Hospital

**SEMINAR SITE:** 100 W California Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91105

**LODGING:** No room block established.

### **COLUMBIA, MO - APRIL 2-3 (\*4)**

**HOST:** Missouri University Health Care Women's and  
Children's Hospital

**SEMINAR SITE:** Conference Center rooms 4,5,6  
404 N Keene Street, Columbia, MO 65201

**LODGING:** No room block established.

### **MINNEAPOLIS, MN -OCTOBER 1-2 (\*3)**

**HOST:** University of Minnesota Masonic  
Children's Hospital

**SEMINAR SITE:** Wilf Auditorium  
2450 Riverside Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55454

**LODGING:** No room block established.

### **EVANSVILLE, IN - APRIL 30- MAY 1 (\*2)**

**HOST:** Deaconess Women's Hospital

**SEMINAR SITE:** 4199 Gateway Blvd., Newburgh, IN 47630

**LODGING:** No room block established.

### **RICHMOND, VA - NOVEMBER 4-5 (\*6)**

**HOST:** Chippenham Hospital

**SEMINAR SITE:** Kraus Auditorium  
7101 Jahnke Rd., Richmond, VA 23225

**LODGING:** No room block established.

### **NEW YORK, NY -MAY 18-19 (\*20)**

**HOST:** New York Presbyterian Hospital

**SEMINAR SITE:** 435 East 70th St. Payson House Building  
Rm 25 Sub basement, New York, New York 10021

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