

**Quality: the Rural Nurse Perspective
Rural Nurse Conference Boise, ID**

Thursday, June 4, 2009	
8:00am-9:00am	Registration and Exhibits
9:00am-9:15am	Welcome and Introductions
9:15am-10:05am	Keynote Address: Growing Up to Be a Rural Nurse Scientist: Triumphs and Defeats, Quality and Quantity, Fun and Frustration-Clarann Weinert (North Star)
10:15am-10:50am	Plenary Speaker: Angie Bushy (North Star)
11:00am-12:00pm	
Evidence Based Practice: Implementing a Strategic Plan-Roxanne Wilson (Liberty Room)	
Nursing Care in Rural Hawaii Online-Ceceia Mukai (Liberty Room)	
Poster Descriptions	
Retaining Nurses in a Rural Area: the Role of a Mentor- Margaret Conger (Cinnabar Room)	
Frontier Based Nursing Education Program- Karine Crow(Cinnabar Room)	
Educational Mobility for Oklahoma's Rural Nurses: The RN to BSN Program- Denise Burton (Cinnabar Room)	
12:00pm-1:00pm	Awards Luncheon (North Star)
1:00pm-2:00pm	
Tioga County Hospice Study: A Rural Qualitative Perspective-Maureen Daws (Liberty Room)	
Wisconsin Nurse Residency Program: Making a Difference for Newly Licensed Rural Nurses- Marilyn Bratt	
Poster Descriptions	
A Technological Beacon for Rural and Remote Users-Roberta Gates-Thompson (Cinnabar Room)	
Teaching Cultural Diversity & Validating Competency In A Rural Appalachian Area...One Faculty's Project- Donna Mitchell (Cinnabar Room)	
Increasing the Use of Clinical Simulation in Rural Areas: A Strategy- Linda Dayer-Berenson (Cinnabar Room)	
2:00pm-3:00pm	
Enhancing Partnerships Between Chronically Ill Rural Women and Their Healthcare Providers- Shirley Cudney (Liberty Room)	
Perceptions of Rural Families with Special Needs Children in Western States- Sandra Nadelson (Liberty Room)	
Assessment of Illness Perceptions and Learning Needs of Individuals with Early Stage Lung Cancer: Use of the Conceptual Cognitive Map (3CM) Method- Rebecca Lehto (Liberty Room)	

The Rural Outreach Nursing Education Project (RONE)- Linda Tieman (Cinnabar Room)	
Explicating Global Wellbeing in College Students Using Demographic Characteristics and Health Risk Behaviors- Jeannie McDermott (Cinnabar Room)	
Elder Mistreatment in Rural Residential Care Facilities- Linda Phillips (Cinnabar Room)	
3:00pm-4:00pm	
Public Health Nurses in Rural/Frontier One-Nurse Offices- Jeri Bigbee (Liberty Room)	
Alaska Coalition of Educators-Healthcare: the Development of Statewide Nursing Competency and Preceptor Education Standards- Linda Oxley (Liberty Room)	
ALFA- Terri Whitt (Cinnabar Room)	
The Benefits of Student Interaction with a Foster Grandparent Program- Miki Goodwin (Cinnabar Room)	
Rural Connection: Nurses as Teachers- Buffie Main (Cinnabar Room)	
Friday, June 5, 2009	
8:00am-9:00am	Registration and Exhibits
9:00am-9:25am	Plenary Speaker: Jeri Dunkin (North Star)
9:25am-9:50am	Plenary Speaker: Pamela Stewart-Fahs (North Star)
10:00am-11:00am	
Nursing Informatics: Data Mining Techniques to Improve Quality Patient Care- Joseph Higgins (Liberty Room)	
CIT in Rural Communities: the Psychiatric Nurse Role- Kim Jardine-Dickerson (Liberty Room)	
Poster Descriptions	
The Clinical Nurse Leader Application of the Advanced Generalist Role in Rural Nursing- Carol Lamman (Cinnabar Room)	
Resonating Relationships Between Nurses and Elders in Long Term Care- Beverly Hewett (Cinnabar Room)	
Depression and Rural Women: Challenges, Barriers, Opportunities- Carla Groh (Cinnabar Room)	
11:00am-12:00pm	
Creation of a National Organization for Rural and Remote Nurses in Canda-How A Possibility Became a Reality- Barbara S. Shellian (Liberty Room)	
Health Status Perceptions and Literacy Among Low-Income Mexican Americans in Texas-Mexico Border Colonias- Eloisa G. Tamez (Liberty Room)	
Poster Descriptions	
An Ecologic Model Guided Study and How Results Associate with Rural Nursing Theory- Jeanine E. Gangeness (Cinnabar Room)	
Northwest Rural Nurse Residency- Cheryl Juntunen (Cinnabar Room)	

The Impact of Critical Access Hospitals on Rural Health Care in New York State- Judy Bailey (Cinnabar Room)	
12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch (Aspen)
Posters and Vendors: Delamar Exhibit Hall	
Rural Nurses Can Maintain Competency via the Web; No Traveling and No Cost! Access Training 24/7 Using Free Website Offerings- Lorelei M. Rogers	
Confidence and Rural Perceptions- Margaret Pribulick	
Volunteerism Incorporated into Nursing Curriculum- Kathy Young	
Perceptions of Disease Control on Learning-Deana Molinari	
Historical Stress, Functioning and Self-Efficacy Among American Indian Elders- Bette Ide	
Measuring CAM Health Literacy-Betty Ide	
NP online orientation- Cathy Arvidson	
NP webconferencing-Cathy Arvidson	
Home Alone- Carol Ashton	
Connections: Using Distinctive Technology Applications to Enhance Quality Educational Opportunities for Rural Nurse Learners-JoAnne Klaassen	

*The schedule is
subject to change