



CNSA

CALIFORNIA NURSING STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

2025 Convention Program

Tuesday, November 11th

8:00pm – 9:00pm	Resolutions Hearing (Zoom)	Patrick Clavillas Kaitlin Yang
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Friday, November 14th

9:00am – 6:00pm	Registration Desk Open	
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Session I:

10:00am – 1:00pm	Learn How to IV Stick	
10:00am – 11:50am	NCLEX Review (Live Streamed)	Rhonda Lawes
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Bullying and Nursing Incivility (Live Streamed)	

1:00pm – 1:45pm	Lunch (On your own)	
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Session II:

1:45pm – 3:30pm	EKG Review (Live Streamed)	Jessica Folck
3:45pm – 4:45pm	ABG Session (Live Streamed)	Dr. Emily Wilson
5:00pm – 5:45pm	Resume Writing (Live Streamed)	Ben Baker

General Session:

6:00pm – 7:00pm	Convention Welcome (Live Streamed) Keynote	Katlin Echeverry
7:00pm – 8:30pm	Exhibit Area Opening	
7:00pm – 8:30pm	Welcome Reception Snacks Provided	

Saturday, November 15th

8:00am – 6:00pm	Registration Desk Open	
8:00am – 5:00pm	Exhibitor/Vendor Networking	
8:00am – 3:00pm	Mock Code Blue Simulation – sign-ups encouraged	Jessica Folck

Concurrent Session I:

8:00am – 8:50am	Test Taking Strategies: “Test Like a Pro” Smart Strategies for NCLEX Success” (Live Streamed)	<i>Jennifer Bonner</i>
8:00am – 8:50am	Stop the Bleed	<i>Kelly Smith</i>
8:00am – 8:50am	Faculty Session (Live Streamed)	

Concurrent Session II:

9:00am – 9:50am	Nursing Specialty Panel (Live Streamed)	
9:00am – 9:50am	Faculty Session – Nurse Recruiting Panel (Live Streamed)	
9:50am – 10:30am	<i>Break</i> <i>Exhibitors & Networking</i>	

Concurrent Session III:

10:30am – 11:20am	Interview Techniques (Live Streamed)	<i>Ben Baker</i>
10:30am – 11:20am	Mental Health (Live Streamed)	
11:20am – 11:30am	<i>Break</i> <i>Exhibitors & Networking</i>	

Concurrent Session IV:

11:30am – 12:30pm	Test Anxiety: “Conquer the Nerves” Overcoming Test Anxiety” (Live Streamed)	<i>Rachel Green</i>
11:30am – 12:30pm	Faculty Session – (Live Streamed)	
11:30am – 12:30pm	Stop the Bleed	<i>Kelly Smith</i>

12:30pm – 1:30pm	<i>Lunch</i> <i>Exhibitors & Networking</i>	
12:45pm – 1:15pm	<i>Meet the Candidates</i> <i>Meet the Resolution Authors</i>	

General Session:

1:15pm – 2:45pm	Nurses in Media (Live Streamed)	
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2:45pm – 3:30pm	New Grad Networking	
2:45pm – 3:30pm	<i>Break</i> Exhibitor Hall & Networking	

Concurrent Session VI:

3:30pm – 4:30pm	Faculty Session - Stop the Bleed Train the Trainor (Live Streamed)	<i>Kelly Smith</i>
3:30pm – 4:30pm	NCLEX Study Session: Cardiology (Live Streamed)	<i>U World</i>

4:45pm – 5:00pm	Parliamentary Briefing – Mandatory for Delegates	
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House of Delegates:

5:00pm – 7:00pm	House of Delegates: **Opening Session**	<i>Patrick Clavillas Kaitlin Yang Katlin Echeverry Brooke Skiera</i>
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7:00pm – 9:00pm	Dinner (on your own)	
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9:00pm – 11:30pm	Team Trivia Night Challenge	
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Sunday, November 16th

8:00am – 10:00am	Registration Desk Open	
7:30am – 8:20am	Leadership Round Table – Chapter Leaders & Faculty Coffee Available	<i>CNSA Board</i>
8:30am – 9:20am	Preventing Medication Errors (Live Streamed)	<i>Dr. Rachel Napoli</i>
9:30am – 10:20am	Nursing Leadership Panel (Live Streamed)	

House of Delegates & General Session:

10:30am – 12:30pm	House of Delegates Meeting **Closing Session** Endnote - Convention Closing Awards Presentation	
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Town and Country Resort
500 Hotel Circle North
San Diego, CA 92108

We have negotiated the following hotel rates:

Single/Double: \$214+ tax/night

Triple: \$234+ tax/night

Quad: \$254+ tax/night

[Click Here](#) to reserve your room today! The deadline to reserve rooms at this price is **October 21st, 2025**.

We are working with the hotel to ensure larger groups can reserve rooms with ease. School Chapters who are reserving with school/chapter funds must first make their reservations and then contact the hotel after making the reservation.

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CNSA 2025 Convention

San Diego, CA

November 14 - 16

Upcoming Events

Fri Sep 5, 2025	Resolution Topic Submission Deadline	Category: Events
Fri Sep 26, 2025	Resolution First Draft Deadline	Category: Events
Fri Oct 17, 2025	Awards & Scholarships Deadline	Category: Events
Tue Oct 21, 2025	Convention Hotel Reservation Deadline	

that your group payment in authorized. Call the hotel directly at 800-772-8527. Once onsite, each room will require a file for incidentals. Please contact support@cnsa.org with any questions or concerns.

Category: Events

Fri Oct 24, 2025

[Resolution Final Draft Deadline](#)

Category: Events

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Letter of Support for SOF Grant Application

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Dear SOF Committee,

It is my pleasure to write this letter of support for the Student Nurses Association (SNA) in its application for Student Organization Funding (SOF) Grants for the 2025–2026 academic year.

As the faculty advisor to SNA, I work closely with the organization's leadership and members in fulfilling our shared goals. In this capacity, I:

- Advise and mentor officers in planning and executing events that serve the Bakersfield College community, ensuring these programs advance student development and enrich the college experience.
- Serve as a liaison between the club and campus resources, including the Office of Student Life, Student Affairs, and relevant academic departments.
- Support the organization in managing both general operations and finances, including budgeting, fundraising, and compliance with SOF policies and college guidelines.
- Encourage student leaders to integrate academic learning into co-curricular activities and participate in professional development opportunities to enhance leadership capacity.

I fully endorse SNA's proposed travel plans, which include community outreach and networking, SNA recruitment initiatives, and attendance at the California Student Nurses Association (CSNA) conference. These initiatives reflect SNA's strong commitment to student welfare, leadership development, health awareness, and professional readiness.

I confirm my willingness to continue supporting SNA by:

- Reviewing and guiding event budgets and logistics to ensure accountability and alignment with SOF guidelines.
- Attending student organization events or providing oversight as required by policy (e.g., fundraisers, off-hours activities).
- Ensuring that SNA maintains current communication with the Office of Student Life and adheres to all Bakersfield College and KCCCD policies.
- Participating in advisor trainings each semester to stay updated on student organization procedures and funding protocols.

I wholeheartedly support SNA's SOF grant request for Category 4 Travel Funds (\$1,000). I believe these funds will meaningfully bolster student engagement, wellness, recruitment, and professional growth. I am committed to helping SNA leverage this investment responsibly and effectively.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this application. Please feel free to contact me if you require any additional information or clarification.

Sincerely,

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