

Fostering a Culture of Evidence-Based Nursing

Webinar organised by the Schools of Nursing, The University of the West Indies
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Monday 7th March 2022 8.30– 14.00 EST

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- 8.30 Welcome and opening remarks** - Dr Dawn Munroe, Head of School, The UWI School of Nursing, Mona & Dr John Nadeau, Dean, Faculty of Education and Professional Studies, Nipissing University
- 8.35 Overview of day** - Dr Tammie McParland, School of Nursing, Nipissing University (chair)
- 8.40 Land Acknowledgment** (Dr Tammie McParland) and Prayer (Kameel Abdul Kareem)
- 8.50 Ideas for Fostering BPG Uptake in Clinical Contexts**
Kathryn Ewers, PhD, School of Nursing, Nipissing University
- 9.35 Coffee break - Piano Guys**
- 9.50 Using evidence in context - what's in an appraisal**
Veronika Williams, PhD, School of Nursing, Nipissing University
- 12.00 Lunch break**
- 12.30 Evidence based practice for the present and beyond**
Kameel Abdul Kareem, MScN, The UWI School of Nursing
- 13.30 Future events – Poll**
- 13.40 Evaluation and closing remarks**
- 14.00 End of webinar**



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Webinar Objective: to support an evidence-informed nursing practice culture.

This webinar will focus on

- Sharing Best Practice Guideline implementation strategies for clinical contexts
- Sharpening and building nurses' critical appraisal skills
- Considering the context of using and implementing BPGs

Speakers:



Kathryn Ewers, RN, Med, MSN, PhD is an Assistant Professor of Nursing at Nipissing University. Nipissing University School of Nursing was granted BPSO designation in 2021. Kathryn teaches several nursing courses, such as complex health challenges, nursing research, gerontological nursing and clinical preceptorship. She has a long-standing interest in fostering evidence-based culture in both the clinical and academic contexts and has integrated several Best Practice Guidelines into her courses. She also has prior experience as a nurse educator implementing BPGs in a south Florida hospital. She is president of the local chapter of RNAO.

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Veronika Williams, RN, BSc (hons), PhD is an Associate Professor and Director of the School of Nursing at Nipissing University where she predominately teaches research methods. She has a particular interest in evidence-based practice, considering what “evidence” is and how we appraise it. She has published several papers on this topic and supervises graduate students as part of the PhD in Evidence Based Health Care at the University of Oxford where she is currently a Senior Associate Tutor. She is the ENO for Communications at the local chapter of RNAO.

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Kameel Abdul-Kareem, MScN, is an Advance Practice Nurse Educator/ Manager and presently lectures at The UWI School of Nursing, Mona (UWISON). She became a (RNAO) (BPSO) champion in 2017, Co-Lead in 2018 and Lead of the BPSO programme at The UWI School of Nursing, Mona since 2019. Her research interest are in the areas of Care transitions, Compassionate care and Evidence based practice. She plans to continue advancing nursing education/care through the dissemination of evidence-based practice principles.

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