

The San Diego Wave

The San Diego ENA Newsletter

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Calendar for 2007 State/National Meetings

San Diego Chapter

March 1, 2007

SD ENA Chapter Meeting at Rady
Children's Educational Building
3665 Kearney Villa Rd., SD
1730-1930

April 19, 2007, Cal ENA State Board Meeting, Lake Tahoe
April 20, 2007, Cal ENA State Council Meeting, Lake Tahoe
April 19-21, 2007, ENA CAL **Educational Summit**, Lake Tahoe

refer to <http://www.calena.net/>



May 10, 2007

SD ENA Chapter Meeting
at Rady Children's Educational Bldg.
address + time above

May 13, 2007

SD ENA Chapter *Mothers Day Walk*
with **Team Ami Intime** for Y-Me to
help fight Breast Cancer

June 7, 2007

SD ENA Chapter Meeting
at Rady Children's Educational Bldg.
address + time as above

July 12, 2007

SD ENA Chapter's
911 Conference

July 12, 2007, Cal ENA State Board Meeting, **San Diego**
July 13, 2007, Cal ENA State Council Meeting, **San Diego**

August 2007 Cal State ENA Conference Call
(date to be assigned)

September 5, 2007

SD ENA Chapter goes to the
Last Day at the Del Mar Races

September 27, 2007

SDENA Chapter Meeting
City

September 26-27, 2007, **ENA National General Assembly**, Salt Lake City
September 27-29, 2007, *ENA National Scientific Assembly*, Salt Lake

November 14, 2007

SD ENA Chapter Meeting at Rady
Children's Educational Building
address + time as above

November 8, 2007, Cal ENA State Board Meeting, Los Angeles
November 9, 2007, Cal ENA State Council Meeting, Los Angeles



San Diego ENA Nursing Scholarship Application for Spring 2007

Please complete this application in order to apply for a scholarship being offered by the San Diego ENA.

Requirements include 1) Current ENA membership, 2) Current professional licensure as an LVN, RN, EMT, or EMT-P in the state of California, and 3) Current enrollment or acceptance in an accredited undergraduate or graduate nursing program.

You may answer the questions on a separate page and attach them to the application. Please limit your answers to no more than a total of 3 pages. Applications must be received no later than April 15, 2007, for the spring.

Along with this application, your letter of intent should include answers to the following:

How nursing will benefit from your education

How the community will benefit from your education

Describe any training/ volunteer work you have had in the ED or prehospital care.

Include a photocopy or other proof of enrollment or acceptance into a NLN Accredited School.

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

School Enrolled in _____

Year of Graduation_____

Year and Semester of Study_____

Submit your application for the scholarship to: Linda Chessmore
2339 Bar Bit Road
Spring Valley, CA 91978

Or Fax to 858-939-3477

(This application may be photocopied and distributed)

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San Diego Chapter Supports Y-ME



The San Diego Chapter has agreed to support Team Captain Susan Morse and Team Member Cathy Tylka, for the Mother's Day Walk to Empower, May 13, 2007. The team name is *Ami Intime*, (*Ami Intime* is a French term for "bosom buddy.") The 2006 team, including four breast cancer survivors and nine other members, raised over \$5000.00. The San Diego affiliate raised \$200,000. 80% of the funds raised in San Diego support the educational programs and the free national 24 hour hotline, staffed by all volunteer breast cancer survivors. The hot line can reach people through 150 different languages. The 24 hour hotline is **1-800-221-2141**. The mission of Y-ME National Breast Cancer Organization is to ensure, through empowerment and peer support, that NO ONE FACES BREAST CANCER ALONE.

You are welcome to join *Ami Intime* or form your own team. All the creative hard work has been done, such as how to organize a team and request donations. Sample letters of appeal are available plus a time line for necessary completion of tasks. Much of the work can be done "online."

<http://www.sandiegowalk.y-me.org>.

The three mile non-competitive walk will be held at Mission Bay and along the Mission Beach boardwalk. Each walker is encouraged to raise \$100.00 yet no

at 619-464-8680 or chay2@cox.net

909-982-6406 h or 909-472-2680 c
or gdodge@adelphia.net

April 14 + 15, 2007

Menifee Valley Medical Center
Menifee CA, contact Gail Dodge at
909-982-6406 h or 909-472-2680 c
or gdodge@adelphia.net

July 27 + 28, 2007

Rady Childrens Medical Center
San Diego, Ca., contact Marty Hays
at 619-464-8680 or chay2@cox.net

October 5+6, 2007

Rady Childrens Medical Center
San Diego, Ca., contact Marty Hays
at 619-464-8680 or chay2@cox.net



Would you like a copy of your San Diego Chapter's Meeting Minutes...? Come to the Meetings and give us your e-mail...and you will get on the list to receive this and other up to the minute SD ENA info.

Get active in YOUR ENA!

June 15 + 16, 2007

Rancho Springs Medical Center
Murietta, Ca., contact Gail Dodge at
909-982-6406 h or 909-472-2680 c
or gdodge@adelphia.net

June 22 + 23, 2007

Rancho Springs Medical Center
Murietta, Ca., contact Gail Dodge at
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What is EMCC?



EMCC is the **Emergency Medical Care Committee** of San Diego County and is mandated by Division 2.5, Article 3, of the Health and Safety Code. The members are appointed by the County Board of Supervisors and consist of eighteen members nominated by their organizations and approved by the Board. ENA is one of those organizations who have representatives on the committee. Other organizations that have representatives on the committee include American Red Cross, Hospital Association, League of California Cities, Law Enforcement Agencies, San Diego County Ambulance Association, San Diego County Fire Chiefs Association, and Public Members from all the districts in the county.

The terms of each non-public member shall be for a period of three years and may be re-nominated by their organization. Membership is limited to two terms. Public members may serve until replaced by their district supervisor.

Linda Broyles is the current representative and her alternate is Linda Rosenberg. Lana McCallum-Brown represented ENA until her term expired. Linda Broyles is Base Hospital Nurse Coordinator at Scripps

La Jolla, and Linda Rosenberg is the Base Hospital Nurse Coordinator at Sharp Memorial.

The mission statement reads as follows: As advisors to the San Diego County Board of Supervisors, the Mission of the **Emergency Medical Care Committee** is to be an advocate for the community through the development of strategies for continuous improvement of the emergency medical services system.” The principle duties of the committee are to submit observations and recommendations to the County Board of Supervisors which it serves. They act as an advisory committee on all matters relating to emergency medical services (EMS). They review and comment on all proposed EMS legislation. They inform all participating agencies on all aspects of EMS and assist them in developing policies relating to emergency medical services.

So, what does this mean to you? The committee reviews and discusses issues that affect you and the patients you care for. So, as emergency nurses and participants of our EMS system, know that the committee is designed to be your voice in matters that pertain to emergency medical services in the county. The committee meets monthly on the fourth Thursday of the month at 0900 (though the meetings may be cancelled if there aren't any agenda items). The meetings are at the County office building on Rosecrans Street in San Diego and are open to everyone who is interested.

Please feel free to contact any of the San Diego ENA board members if you have any questions about *EMCC*. Submitted by [Linda Broyles, RN, lbroyles@san.rr.com](mailto:lbroyles@san.rr.com)

A Note from the Editor....Cathy Tylka

I want you to know that there are lots of exciting and fun things in the works for this year. And, yes, ENA is YOU!

1. We need you to come to and help with the 911 Conference we are planning for July of 2007.
2. Cathy McJannet is planning a CEN Review Course in May of 2007, but date and place are to follow!
3. You can register online for the CAL ENA Emergency Summit and pay with your Visa or MC.
4. Do you know of anyone who wants or needs an ENA Membership, let a Board Member know. We have FREE memberships to give away. CALL us today!
5. Do you think there is some way ENA can work better. Let us know. The State is rewriting the Bylaws and wants suggestions.
6. We need some help on the Board, we don't have a Membership Chair and some people are doing two jobs, come and help and enjoy the nursing camaraderie!

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Highlights from 01-18+19-07, CAL ENA State Board and Council Meeting

Bylaws and Standardized Procedures are currently under review. (The current version can be accessed through the CAL ENA website by clicking on the Bylaw heading. Send any suggestions for

change to [Robert Toman](#), our Past President, who is reviewing the process.

Treasurer, Jackie Magnuson, has created a three ring binder for each chapter. It is a resource manual of standard operating procedures for each chapter treasurer.

A thank you note from *Donna Cahill* was read. Donna was the very deserving recipient of the **2006 Achievement Award**.

Condolence Procedure: [Robert Toman](#) is drafting a standardized procedure that will allow us to have consistent response when acknowledging ENA members who die. The draft will be placed on the CAL ENA website for comment and review.

Members are encouraged to support the ENA position concerning the JCAHO medication standard proposal. Information has been emailed to members from National.

CAL ENA Emergency Summit brochures are in the process of being mailed to all members. The Education Committee has designed an exciting program that will be held at the Mont Bleu Casino and Spa, April 20th. This educational opportunity is being held in conjunction with the State Council Meeting and State Committee Meetings. [Registration and payment can be done online](#) or by mail. This is **new** and thanks to [Jackie Magnuson](#)!

Recruitment and Retention: The state is providing a maximum of 100 pre-paid memberships for 2007. These award applications should be given to *new* or *deserving* recipients. The membership awards should be distributed early in the year and returned to [Ellie](#) before May 31, 2007. So, if you know of anyone who would like to join our Organization, have them give one of the Board members a call. Our phone numbers and e-mail addresses are in this newsletter!

ENAF: All chapters are encouraged to provide a raffle prize for the CAL ENA Emergency Summit. If possible, have the donated prize represent the chapter theme. Chapters are encouraged to raise money for donation to ENAF. Educational conferences are good places to sell raffle tickets.

The chapter needs to electronically submit a report of chapter activity to [Mark Wandro](#) for the next edition of the Monitor and to [Terri Sturgill, Secretary](#), for the State Chapter minutes and [Tom Trimble](#), to update the website with current officer information. Deadline for submission is 2/15/07.

Judy Kelleher, ENA founder, has moved to “assisted living.” She would love to hear from ENA members. Just drop her a note about what you are doing. Her address is:

- o 10711 Thornton Road, Apt 220
- o Stockton, CA
- o 95209 209-952-6105

Susan Morse (Chapter Rep. Alt.)
San Diego Chapter Secretary

Delegate Application and Point Tabulation Form

General Information and Instructions to Applicants:

Opportunities for California delegate status to the National General Assembly are open to all current national ENA members that hold current California professional nurse licensure who wish to apply. The selection process is based upon an accumulative point system outlined in the delegate form. The more active the member, the higher the grand total, the greater the chances.

Every application submitted will be accepted and added to a list of all other applicants. Chapter Presidents are asked to sign and verify the accuracy of all information provided, that points are tabulated correctly, and that certifications are current. Incomplete forms should not be submitted and may be returned to the applicant.

Applicants are sorted from the highest to the lowest grand total points. The deadline for priority submission is no later than June 5th of the current year. All applications received after this deadline will be accepted, but placed at the end of the list, regardless of its point value. National ENA will notify California of the total number of delegates and alternates assigned to our state during the summer months.

Each state is permitted to send its State Council President and 1 delegate per 50 current state members along with 2 alternates. When this total is known, applicants will be selected according to their position on the list.

Potential delegates and alternates will be notified of their position and selection to serve by the Chairperson of the State Recruitment and Retention Committee. If the delegate is unable to serve for any reason, he/she must notify the Chair immediately so that another applicant can move up on the list. **The deadline for notifying the Chairperson of "their inability to serve" must be adhered to.** National sets a deadline for submission of all delegates and alternate information by the state. **It is strongly advised that those persons applying for delegate status should do so with the intent to serve if selected.**

Official Delegates and two alternates will receive a Delegate Handbook mailed directly from the National office. Each recipient should review the material and be prepared to speak to the issues on the agenda and offer their full attention to the proceedings. The Current State President assumes direction of the California delegation. Attendance is required at BOTH days of the General Assembly. Delegates and alternates will be seated together on Assembly floor and must sign in each day. The State Council may provide financial assistance to those who serve according to the above guidelines. The Cal ENA Board reserves the right to determine the amount and method of reimbursement according to the current financial status of the treasury.

Delegate applications will be provided to each Chapter Representative, available to attendees at State Council Meetings, or download from our website <http://www.calena.net/>

1. Complete your Delegate Application/Point Tabulation form in its entirety and forward to your Chapter President for verification signature. Then mail or fax your application to R/R Chair.
2. Attach copies of all certification cards. **Credit will not be given without proof of current CA licensure, ENA membership and ALL certification cards.**
3. Memberships that expire prior to the National General Assembly must be renewed, with proof of renewal sent to the Recruitment and Retention Chair prior to the National meeting.
4. Chapter Presidents must review and sign their chapter member's application prior to submission to verify all items are valid, special projects completed and check all certification cards copies for current status.
5. Signed and completed forms with copies of current membership and certification cards must be received by the Chairperson of the R/R Chair or if mailed, **postmarked no later than June 5th** of the current year for best positions. Forms may be faxed, emailed or mailed.

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California State Council Delegate Application and Point Tabulation Form

PRINT clearly and COMPLETE all areas

Applicant's full name _____ Nickname _____

Address _____

City _____ Zipcode _____

Phone (H) _____ (W) _____ Email address _____

ENA member # _____ Expiration date _____ **Must remain current *through dates of National Assembly***
(renewal and proof of renewal is the responsibility of the applicant)

******ATTACH copies of current California License and ENA membership cards to form******

Chapter name _____ Chapter # _____ First time delegate? Yes No

Applicant's Signature _____

Chapter President's signature _____ **REQUIRED prior to submission**

Grand Total pts. _____

Meeting Attendance

A. ENA **Chapter Meetings** (INCLUDES conference calls verified in meeting minutes) 5 pts. max per meeting/month

List dates attended from June 1st of last year through May 31st of the current year

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

ts. _____

B. ENA **State Council Meetings** (INCLUDES conference calls verified in meeting minutes) 10 pts. max per meeting

List dates attended from June 1st of last year through May 31st of the current year (includes conference calls)

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

ts. _____

Committee Participation

A. **Chairperson or Appointment @ the local, state and/or national level** 30 pts. each

Position held from January 1 through May 31st of the current year

Committee/Appointment

Level

(L/S/N)

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

ts. _____

B. Committee(s) **Member @ the local, state and/or national level**

10 pts each

Position held from January 1 through May 31st of the current year

(Chairperson may not accumulate points as a member of their own committee)

(L/S/N)	Committee/Appointment	Level
_____	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	

ts. _____

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Elected Positions

Position(s) elected to from January 1 through May 31st of the current year

- A. Chapter President Chapter _____ 50 pts.
- B. Chapter Representative Chapter _____ 40 pts.
- C. All other Elected positions held at the Local, State or National level

(L/S/N)	Position(s) elected to 30 pts. each	Level
_____	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	

ts. _____

Special Projects and Activities

Projects/activities must have been completed from June 1st of last year through May 31st of the current year.

0 pts. each item (no maximum)

- A. Published in a nursing journal _____
(additional information may be attached to this application)

B. ENA Awards or volunteer work on behalf of ENA _____

C. Special ENA project(s) *not required* by ENA position held _____

D. Attended any local or state ENA sponsored educational event for CEU's _____

E. Delegate/Alternate to National General Assembly Date _____

F. Attendance at National Scientific Assembly Date _____

G. Attendance at National Leadership Symposium Date _____

ts. _____

Certifications

Attach copies of all current certificates or cards. *** **Credit will not be given without proof of current status** ***

(Choose EITHER instructor or provider for each category)

ÿ GEN Certified (15 pts.)

ÿ ENPC Instructor
ENCARE Instructor

ÿ CATN Instructor
CPS Instructor

ÿ TNCC Instructor > GENE Instructor >

ÿ Injury Prevention Institute Instructor ÿ NHTSA
15 pts. each

ÿ ENPC Provider
ENCARE Provider

ÿ CATN Provider
CPS Provider

ÿ TNCC Provider > GENE Provider >

ÿ Injury Prevention Institute Provider ÿ NHTSA
10 pts. each

ts. _____

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PLEASE NOTE: The sender is responsible to follow up with me to verify that application(s) have been received.

Final delegate selection will occur in the summer of 2007, by personal letter, in time for trip planning. If chosen, plan to arrive at the meeting destination no later than ONE DAY prior to General Assembly. ALL delegates and alternates are required to attend BOTH

days of General Assembly in order to participate.

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BASE HOSPITAL PREHOSPITAL CONINUING EDUCATION CALENDAR 2007

<i>DATE</i>	<i>DAY</i>	<i>TIME</i>	<i>AREA</i>	<i>RESPONSIBLE BASES</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>
March 1, 2007	Thursday C Shift	9:00 am to 3:30 pm	EAST	GROSSMONT/SHARP	GROSSMONT HEALTHCARE CENTER AUDITORIUM 9001 WAKARUSA STREET LA MESA, CA.
May 4, 2007	Friday A Shift	9:00 am to 1:00pm	NORTH	TCMC/PMC/SLJ	TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER ASSEMBLY ROOM 1 4002 VISTA WAY OCEANSIDE, CA.
September 17, 2007	Monday B Shift	9:00 am to 1:00 pm	CENTRAL	MERCY/UCSD/SHARP	AMR TRAINING ROOM 8808 BALBOA AVE., SUITE 150 SAN DIEGO, CA.
October 29, 2007	Monday C Shift	9:00 am to 3:30 pm	EAST	GROSSMONT/SHARP	GROSSMONT HEALTHCARE CENTER AUDITORIUM 9001 WAKARUSA STREET LA MESA, CA.

FACILITY KEY: GH -GROSSMONT HOSPITAL

SLJ - SCRIPPS LA JOLLA

PMC - PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER

TRI-CITY - TRI-CITY MEDICAL CENTER

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SAVE the DATES!!!
April 19-21, 2007
The 2007 Cal ENA Summit
“Redesigning the Future of
Emergency Practice”

Supported by Dynamic Guest Speakers and Vendors
Day One: (1 CE)
Cal ENA Committee and State Council Meeting
Wine & Cheese Opening Reception and Presentation

Day Two: (7 CEs)
Educational Events including track options
Keynote Speaker 2007 ENA Pres-elect Denise King
Technology in the ED
Politics and Emergency Practice
Mild Hypothermia in the Post Arrest Survivor
Trauma on the Battlefield of Iraq
Pediatric Emergency Care
Early Management of Sepsis
Emergency Practice Out of the Box

Day Three: (7.5 CEs)
Basic Disaster Life Support Course

(Additional fee required)

Cost includes:

Wine & Cheese Reception, Continental Breakfast, Lunch, and CEs
Make your own hotel reservations @ the special ENA conference
rate with

The MontBleu Resort Casino & Spa in Lake Tahoe.

www.montbleuresort.com

Use the code: “STEMER7” or
“California Emergency Nursing”

If you’re flying into the Reno/Tahoe Airport, a bus transfer is
needed.

Brochures will be mailed to ENA members
in January and posted on www.calena.net and
www.ENW.org
RNs, Paramedics, New Grads and Nursing Students are welcome.
BRN and EMS Provider Credits offered.
Non-ENA members are welcome and may join ENA @the door for
the ENA price

