Re-Introducing Our Newsletter
Stay informed, get involved, and share what matters to YOU!

Our chapter is bringing back the newsletter to keep our membership abreast of all the amazing things that the ENA does for you! If you have feedback, suggestions, or events that you would like us to share with the chapter, please share with us! Let us know your ideas and what we can do for you!

1.
MEETINGS
Add all of our meetings to your calendar and get involved!

2.
EVENTS
Keep in touch about our events and come out and join us!

3.
EDUCATION
Get your CEUs and list your education opportunities to share!

2020 Calendar
Save all the dates for this year’s ENA events & meetings!

CA State Council
See the updates from the state council meeting!

911 Conference
Join us in planning for our chapter’s annual educational conference!!!
Meet YOUR 2020 Board

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Join us at meetings to get involved and tell us what we can do for YOU as ED nurses!

ARE YOU ON ANY OTHER BOARDS? PTA! CITY COUNCIL! UNIT PRACTICE COUNCILS!

If you serve on any other boards - including nursing organizations, hospital boards, community engagement groups, city or government committees, we are looking for YOU! There is a push to get as many nurses on as many boards as possible to make sure that nurses are involved, putting the profession’s best foot forward, and making sure that the world knows just how amazing nurses are!

If you are in ANY leadership position, please register online at nursesonboardscoalition.org to ensure that you count!
**2020 Events Calendar**

**San Diego Chapter 228**

Feb 18 – 4pm Palomar Escondido Cafe ConfRm

Mar 24 – 4pm Sharp Spectrum

Apr 7 – Board/Conference Planning Conf Call

Apr 17 – ANNUAL 911 CONFERENCE

May 19 – 4pm Sharp Spectrum

Jun 16 – Sponsored Vendor Dinner TBD

Sep 22 – 4pm Sharp Spectrum

Oct 20 – Sponsored Vendor Dinner TBD

Nov 17 – 4pm Sharp Spectrum

**ENA California State Council**

Jan 23 – State Council Meeting
San Diego – Hard Rock Hotel

Mar 4/5 – Legislation Day & State Council Mtg
Sacramento – Hyatt Regency

May 15 – State Council Meeting
Monterey – Hilton Garden Inn

Aug 14 – State Council Meeting
San Francisco – Marriott Union Square

Nov 12/13 – Council Mtg, Conference, Gala
Riverside – Mission Inn

Jan 2021 – State Council Meeting, San Diego

**ENA National Events**

Jan 23-25 – State Chapter Leaders Orientation
San Diego, CA – Hard Rock Hotel

Apr 2 – ENA Spring Regional Symposium
Nashville, TN – Gaylord Opryland Report

Apr 28 – Day on the Hill 2020
Arlington, VA – Hilton Crystal City

Sep 8-11 – Emergency Nursing 2020
Las Vegas, NV – The Venetian

**Non-ENA Opportunities**

Feb 10-12 – ACA Camp Nurse Symposium
San Diego, CA – Handlery Hotel

May 27-28 – EMSAAC Annual Conference
San Diego, CA – Omni Hotel

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State Council Meeting

What is the State Council Meeting?

The ENA is a three-tiered organization with national, state, and local chapters. Your state council represents you not only to the national ENA council in representing your interests at the national level, but also pushes for legislative changes at the state level that affects you directly as emergency nurses in California.

Government Affairs Committee

Updates on AB1544 and AB329 were given. AB521 passed in 2019 with our support. There will be a bill-reading party across the state via Skype on February 23. Inquire if interested.

Pediatric Committee

ENPC and its new format and instructor classes were discussed as well as ideas of how to adapt to the changes. Pediatric patients with psych complaints were the hot topic of discussion and it was brought to attention that there needs to be a proper screening tool for resource allocation. The need for parents/guardians to stay with patients during ED boarding was discussed. Also, flash drives of the “EMSC & Pediatric Readiness 2020” guidelines and digital toolkits were distributed to the chapters. If you would like to download this content as a zip file, please click the link.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1scmmjICoEgHRaRjAliQTWpTalzE53ud5/view?usp=drivesdk

TNCC/ENPC Committee

There was sharing of best practices and collaboration between instructors. We are waiting for the launch of the TNCC one day course and for course evaluations to be fixed. Different techniques on trauma orientation were discussed between trauma institutions across the state and were shared for best practices.
Eduction Committee

We are planning for this year’s state education conference. It was here in San Diego in 2018, as many of you attend the 7th Annual Emergency Care on the Bay Conference. This year’s conference will be in Riverside’s Mission Inn. If you would like to help plan this state-level conference event or have ideas of what you would like to see presented, email San Diego’s Tobin Miller at tobin.miller@amr.net.

EMS Committee

Do you want to be a leader in EMS at the state level? We are looking for the next ENA governor appointee to the California EMS Commission! Carole Snyder has held the seat and is looking for YOU to take the reins when her appointment expires at the end of the year! If you are interested in leading major changes in EMS for CA, email Carole at carole.Snyder@pihhealth.org.

California EMS Commission Website:
https://emsa.ca.gov/ems_commission/

50th Anniversary Celebration

Each at the chapter, state, and national level, a decade of ENA history will be highlighted at meetings and through social media for the whole year! For the January 23rd State Council meeting, our own president, Desiree Hadden, created and presented a poster board celebrating the 70s in honor of the first decade of the ENA! (See a photo of the poster on the next page.) Beautiful job and thank you for putting San Diego’s best foot forward at the State Council Meeting! Each chapter was also gifted a print of ENA’s co-founders! Thank you to the state council for the gift!

Legislative Day - JOIN US on March 4-5

Legislative Day, or “Leg Day” for short, is the day when ENA members from all across the state go to the state capital to lobby for what matters most to emergency nurses! This year’s Leg Day will end with a cocktail reception with the Leg Aids on Wednesday, March 4th from 6-8pm; please join us and meet your local Legislative Aid. Prior to visiting our legislators, we will meet for breakfast and a presentation on the Leg process and ENA talking points; in the afternoon we will tour the Capitol and visit with legislators.

Professional dress required. No scrubs. The ENA button down collared shirt may be worn. Please wear comfortable shoes for walking. Breakfast and Lunch provided.

$25 refundable deposit DUE BY MARCH 1
https://www.californiaena.org/legislative-day-registration/
ENA CELEBRATES 50 YEARS!!!

Explore the Rich History from the EDNA to the ENA of today!

CLICK HERE TO EXPLORE THE DIGITAL TIMELINE AND RELIVE THE PAST

In 1970, Anita Dorr formed the Emergency Room Nurses Organization in New York and Judith Kelleher forms a similar organization in California. They came together to form the EDNA with nurses across the national to form the ENA we love today!

Do you have ENA minutes, trinkets, and promotional materials from 10, 20, 30, or even 40 years ago sitting in your garage?!?!

The ENA California State Council is looking to archive these items digitally and/or physically to share with all ENA members in perpetuity! Please email Diane at dischertz@comcast.net.

DO YOU HAVE IDEAS OF HOW OUR CHAPTER OR STATE CAN CELEBRATE THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY?!

It can be as simple as posting fliers in your ED’s break room to help us recruit members to keep the organization strong or as extravagant as getting a building or bridge to light up with purple and gold in honor of emergency nurses! Please let us know YOUR ideas by coming to a meeting and/or emailing the chapter at sandiegoena@gmail.com and keep the celebration going all year long!!!
In Case of Emergency

A feature-length documentary gives the world a glimpse into what it means to be a nurse in Emergency Departments across the USA.

All of our country’s biggest public health challenges—from the opioid crisis to gun violence to behavioral health and lack of insurance—collide in emergency departments. Nearly half of all medical care in the U.S. is delivered in E.D.s and nurses are on the frontlines of that care, addressing our physical and emotional needs and sending us back out into the world. “In Case of Emergency” is a documentary that follows emergency nurses and their patients in seven unique settings across the U.S, from urban to rural, shedding light on some of the biggest health care crises facing Americans today, and the opportunity that emergency nurses have to help break a sometimes-vicious cycle for patients under their care.

The first ever screening of In Case of Emergency was at the recent SCLO event in here in San Diego!!!

On January 24, a conference hall filled with ENA state and chapter leaders got to experience the first ever screening followed by an interview of Diedre Heinrich, of Bend, OR. Laughs and tears were had all around the room as we all got to experience what ED nurses do through another literal lens.

How can I take my friends and family to see this documentary?

The film will premiere on May 7 in New York City accompanied by community screenings across the nation. Shortly after, the film will be released in DVD and digital formats.

Visit the official documentary website to view the trailer and find when the next screenings will be available!

https://incaseofemergency.film/
Emergency 911 Conference Planning!!!

Get involved! Help plan! Tell us what you want! ATTEND! Get educated! Earn CEUs!!!

It's that time of year to plan for our annual education conference! We are looking for YOU to get involved in educating the emergency nurses of San Diego! Stand proud with your peers in ensuring that the best practices are known amongst YOUR emergency department nurses!!! Please tell us what YOU want to learn about! If you have an idea of a presenter and/or topic relevant to emergency nursing, please let us know! Email the president at desireern1@gmail.com with who and what you want to learn!!!

ENA National Mentorship Program

Are you looking for a way to share your expertise and support ENA members? Seeking guidance from peers to help you achieve your goals?

The ENA Mentoring Program is a new free benefit available to all current ENA members. This member-exclusive online networking and career development resource helps you establish short-term or long-term mentoring relationships with your emergency nursing colleagues. The program created in partnership with the Academy of Emergency Nursing reflects the commitment by ENA and the Academy to inspire professional growth.

There is no in-person requirement to participate, just a willingness to devote the time and energy necessary for a successful collaboration with your mentor or mentee. Mentoring relationships will vary based on the mentee's goals and desired outcomes. Your mentor or mentee can be right down the street or on the other side of the world. If you have any questions about getting started, please contact ENAConnect@ena.org.

Write in the Newsletter

Do you have some research to present or are passionate about a topic?

If you would like to write an article for the newsletter, please email natasha.ferrerperez@gmail.com!
Education Offerings

ENA Free Online CEUs

CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
Free online for ENA members!

Trauma Nurse Core Course (TNCC) Provider Course 8.0
Dr. Tobin J Miller
CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
- February 26-27
- April 2-3
- June 11-12
- August 10-11
- October 15-16
- December 9-10

David Balogh - 888.815.0313
www.expresstraining.com
- March 14-15
- March 28-29 - El Centro
- April 4-5
- April 25-26
- May 16-17
- June 6-7
- June 27-18
- July 18-19
- August 8-9
- August 29-30
- September 19-20
- October 3-4 - El Centro
- October 10-11
- October 31-November 1
- November 21-22
- December 12-13

Trauma Nurse Core Course (TNCC) Instructor Course 8.0
Dr. Tobin J Miller
tobin.miller@amr.net
CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
- February 28
- December 11

Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course (ENPC) Provider Course 5th ed.
ENPC San Diego
frank@SanDiegoENPC.com
www.sandiegoenpc.com
- March 23-24 - La Mesa

Trauma Care After Resuscitation (TCAR)
Sharp Memorial Hospital
- March 30-31

Pediatric Care After Resuscitation (PCAR)
Rady Children’s Hospital
- August 10-11

Prehospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS)
AMR
CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
- March 12-13
- May 19-20 - El Centro
- October 15-16

CEN Review Course
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CPEN Review Course
Holding a course? Please advertise your course with us!

MICN Certification
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Rady Children’s Hospital Education Offerings
CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
- ACLS - NRP
- PALS - NCCC
- PEARS - S.T.A.B.L.E.

Scripps Healthcare
CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
Scripps has frequent conferences and symposiums that provide opportunities for specialty CEUs.

UCSD Health
CLICK HERE TO ENROLL
UCSD offers many CEU courses targeted towards its staff but are also open to non-UCSD nurses for a fee.
National Video Contest

Do your ED nurses know how to get their groove on?! Make a 50th Anniversary ENA Video!

Do you love to goof off with your coworkers on your Facebook or Instagram stories? Do you enjoy lip syncing and dancing? Is your department always down to become absolute YouTube stars across the emergency nursing world? Then, assemble your team as the national contest to create the best 50th Anniversary ENA Video is ON! So, start your groove and submit your entries to desireern1@gmail.com.

Advertise your education, conferences, and events with us!!!

Conferences, courses, events, all of it!

We want to be a resource to our members and to you! Send your event flier/image to natasha.ferrerperez@gmail.com in PDF or JPG!