

This Resource Guide is for Practice Nurses in the Northern Sydney Area.

I hope this guide will help link you in with support services and resources for General Practice nurses.

This resource list does not include all the services and resources available, but it is a good start

Northern Sydney Health network offers a wide range of supports including (but not limited to)

- ◆ Practice Support
- ◆ Nursing support
- ◆ Nursing programs
- ◆ education event and updates
 - ◆ Training videos
- ◆ Networking opportunities
- ◆ Funding for projects
- ◆ Disaster support and management
 - ◆ Digital Support

If you have any questions, comments or feedback please don't hesitate to contact me

I look forward to meeting you at one our many education events this year.

If you, or your team, would like more targeted support in aspect of your nursing duties, please don't hesitate to contact me to see how we can help you

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Professional Resources for Practice Nurses

Sydney North Health Network

We are a government funded organisation that looks after all things General Practice. We work on community outreach programs, fund courses, hold education events for all GP's, Nurses, Practice staff, Allied health, Aged care and community staff.

Member ship is free for health professionals and provides access to member only education, and to an enormous array of information and resources including transition to Practice nursing courses.

sydneynorthhealthnetwork.org.au



Australian Practice nurses Association

APNA Is a Practice nurse specific representation body, rather than the Australian Nurses and midwives association which is more for hospital-based staff. APNA Support to practice nurses, both Legal and practice based and has education programs, both free and paid.

www.apna.asn.au/



Professional indemnity insurance

Practice Nurses are highly encouraged to have their own indemnity insurance, as well as being covered by their practice insurance.

Have a conversation with your Practice manager about what you are covered for under the practice insurance then have a look at APNA's insurance.

APNA provides practice nurse specific Professional indemnity insurance.

<https://www.apna.asn.au/membership/member-benefits/insurance>





Northern Sydney Nurses Network

The NSNN is run by the Sydney North Health Network and it is a great network for practice nurse specific resources, education events and support in the Northern Sydney area. NSNN holds monthly events to meet the needs of Practice nurses. Education Events are in the evening, so they do not interrupt the nurses working time. These meetings count towards CPD points. Member ship is free through Sydney North Health Network

sydneynorthhealthnetwork.org.au

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Practice Nurse Education Options


 

SNHN events email

Broad range of topic covering all areas of Primary health

www.sydneynorthhealthnetwork.org.au/education-events



 



NSNN monthly events

Nurse-specific education events held monthly. Networking opportunity to meet and greet other nurses in the local area



www.sydneynorthhealthnetwork.org.au/education-events

SNHN Online Modules for Nurses

Online learning for practice nurses including immunisation, cold chain, infection control and preventative health -contact Kerry for access.


www.snhntraining.com.au

SNHN Education Videos

A selection of videos from previous events held by SNHN covering a broad scope of practice.


www.sydneynorthhealthnetwork.org.au/education-videos



Practice Coaching

Hosted by South Eastern melborne PHN covering a broad list of topics including triage, cycles of care and immunisation

www.practicecoaching.com.au



Practice Nurse Central

Low cost of free CDP courses for Nurses to upskill or refresh skills.

www.practicenursecentral.com.au



Benchmark

recognised courses including immunisation and wound management, chronic disease management, ear health and irrigation and much more . a selection of fully or partially subsidised courses for Practice nurses


www.benchmarkgroup.com.au



Australian College of Nursing

formalised post graduate courses in primary care as well as immunisation and wound care.

www.acn.edu.au




Heti online

NSW Health hosted online learning for cold chain and other relevant courses.

www.heti.nsw.gov.au

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APNA

Online learning for Members. Broad range of topics. Some are low cost or free for members,

<https://www.apna.asn.au/>



Blood safe NSW.

Free course for Iron infusions.

<https://learn.bloodsafelearning.org.au/course/details/ida-essentials>