



Newsletter

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Next week some members of the CNCF leadership group will be involved in a Symposium as part of the 7th Biennial Joanna Briggs Colloquium, Knowledge in Action: The Next Generation of Evidence-Based Practice (13-15th Sept), Chicago USA. The Symposium will be run on 14th September and if you would like to attend please visit <http://www.joannabriggs.edu.au/events/2010Chicago/index.php>

We hope to see you there!

New Collaboration

The Australian Critical Care Journal has recently reached an agreement with us to publish our nursing care corner columns. Four topics have already been selected by the journal and volunteers have been allocated. Summaries will be seen in the Journal from February next year.

New Podcasts

We have some new CNCF podcasts available on the website. Topics focus on haemopoietic stem cell donation in healthy donors, advanced trauma life support training, motivational interviewing for smoking cessation and early discharge

hospital at home. Check them out at <http://cnf.cochrane.org/podcasts>

CNCF IJNP Section

Our second 'section' in the International Journal of Nursing Practice was published in August. The 18 page special features:

- An editorial by receiving editor Craig Lockwood
- A tips and tricks section focussing on critical appraisal
- CNCF news and highlights
- Podcast transcripts
- A scholarly paper by members of the Fundamentals of Care Node titled 'Defining the fundamentals of care' which reports on the first stage of their work

Events Reminder

Next month is the annual Cochrane Colloquium (18th-22nd October - Keystone Colloquium (18th-22nd October - Keystone Colorado USA). Registration is now \$USD999. For consumers, developing countries & students/residents registration is \$USD749. For more information on the Colloquium visit <http://www.regonline.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?eventid=766689>

Pre-Colloquium Event

Title: Advocacy in the Era of Evidence: An International Summit for Consumers is planned for October 17, 2010.

Description: Be part of an international group of leading consumer health advocates joining with scientists, policymakers,

researchers, and systematic reviewers to build consumer leadership in evidence-based healthcare

For more information please click the link below for the Summit flyer:

<http://apps1.jhsph.edu/cochrane/CUE%20Oct%2017%20flyer.pdf>

An Adelaide CNCF Symposium will be held on the 24th November is part of the National Australian Conference on Evidence-based Clinical Leadership Directing Policy to Action: The role of evidence-based clinical leadership in improving health and aged care' (22nd-23rd November). People who register to the National Conference will receive a free registration to the CNCF Symposium. You can register online at:

<http://www.joannabriggs.edu.au/events/2010NAC/registration.php>

Cochrane Nursing Care Corner Columns

The following columns have been recently published as part of our evidence transfer initiative:

- Holly, C. Acupuncture to prevent postoperative nausea and vomiting: an evidence-based alternative to antiemetic drugs. *American Journal of Nursing* 2010 110(9):57
- Lins, S. Do older people with hip fracture benefit from multidisciplinary rehabilitation? *Nursing Times* 2010 106(29):18
- Collins C. Cochrane Review Summary: Antibiotics for acute otitis media in children. *Neonatal, Paediatric and Child Health Nursing* 2010 13(2):26-7
- Collins C. Cochrane Review Summary: Sucrose for analgesia in newborn infants undergoing [painful procedures. *Neonatal, Paediatric and Child Health Nursing* 2010 13(1):22-3
- Mainer J.A. Cochrane Nursing Corner: Nonpharmacological interventions for assisting the induction of anesthesia in children. *AORN* Aug 2010 92(2):209-210
- Norrie P. (2010) Cochrane Nursing Care Corner: Topical capsaicin for chronic neuropathic pain in adults. *International Journal of Evidence Based Health Care* 2010 8(3):147-148
- Malt SR. Cochrane Nursing Care Corner: Ear drops for the removal of ear wax. *International Journal of Evidence Based Health Care* 2010 8(3):149-150
- Rojahn R. Cochrane Nursing Care Corner: Intra-amniotic surfactant for women at risk of preterm birth for preventing respiratory distress in newborns. *International Journal of Evidence Based Health Care* 2010 8(3):151-152
- Stern C. Cochrane Nursing Care Corner: Bed rest for acute low-back pain and sciatica. *International Journal of Evidence-Based Healthcare* 8(3):153-4.
- Gyi AA. Cochrane Nursing Field: Steroid avoidance or withdrawal for

kidney transplant recipients. Renal Society of Australasia Journal 2010 6(2):88-9

Many thanks to all the authors for their hard work. Columns for the Public Health Nursing Journal, Nursing Times and AORN have also been submitted over the last month.

Other News from Cochrane

New Field!

The Cochrane Justice Health Field became a registered entity within The Cochrane Collaboration on 7th September 2010.

Dr Catherine Gallagher from George Mason University USA and Stuart Kinner from the Burnet Institute Australia will co-ordinate the Field.

Centre Relocation

The Australasian Cochrane Centre has moved. New contact details are:

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Newsletters

Oral Health Group newsletter

<http://www.cochrane.org/sites/default/files/uploads/Newsletters/Oral%20Health%20Group%20Issue%2025%20-%20July%202010.pdf>

Cochrane Airways Group newsletter

<http://www.cochrane.org/sites/default/files/uploads/Newsletters/Airways%20Group%20Newsletter%20Jul%202010.pdf>

Scholarship Opportunity

Applications are invited for The Cochrane Collaboration Aubrey Sheiham Public Health and Primary Care Scholarship from health workers, consumers and researchers living in developing countries.

This is not a call for new reviews but rather for those who've already registered a title with the relevant Cochrane Review Group.

This is a 3-month Scholarship to develop skills in preparing systematic reviews of health care interventions within the Cochrane Collaboration. Applicants must have agreed to a review topic before 1st August 2010 with the relevant Cochrane Review Group.

Application deadline: 31 October 2010

For more information requirements:

www.cochrane.org/docs/Fellowshipsandscholarships.htm#ASPHPCS

If you would like to include anything in our next newsletter edition please contact us at cncn@adelaide.edu.au