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Maureen T. Rich Memorial Pediatric Respiratory Conference

Tuesday, April 17
7:45 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Children's Hospital of Wisconsin
Briggs & Stratton Auditorium

Overview

The conference will address the educational needs of pediatric health care providers, including respiratory care practitioners, nurses and respiratory care students who care for neonatal and pediatric patients with respiratory issues. **New this year:** Have your questions ready for *Ask a Pediatric Respiratory Therapist: A Panel Discussion*.

Objectives

- Recognize the safety risks associated with the health care environment and their responsibility in reducing those risks.
- Describe when and how to initiate non-invasive ventilation in the pediatric patient, how to properly fit pediatric patients with non-invasive ventilation interfaces, as well as how to conduct appropriate follow up and troubleshoot potential problems.
- Differentiate between obstructive and restrictive lung disease in the pediatric patient.
- Understand the use of home oxygen therapy for infants discharged from the NICU.
- Understand the complexities associated with the credential/licensure requirements of the RCP.
- Increase awareness of health literacy concerns and how it affects health outcomes.
- Engage with respiratory clinicians specializing in cardiac care, specialty gas administration, asthma, home trach/vent care, and basic pediatric respiratory care.

Continuing Education

Application has been made to the American Association for Respiratory Care (AARC) for continuing education contact hours for respiratory therapists.

Conference Cost

Includes conference materials, continental breakfast, box lunch, and continuing education credits.

Respiratory Care Practitioners	\$70	(Conference \$65, Registration \$5)
Respiratory Care Students	\$15	(Conference \$10, Registration \$5)
Health Care Professionals	\$70	(Conference \$65, Registration \$5)
Children's Hospital of WI Employees	\$15	(Conference \$10, Registration \$5)





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Agenda

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| 7:45 – 8:15am | Registration and Continental Breakfast |
| 8:15 – 8:30am | Welcome |
| 8:30 – 9:30am | Patient Safety
Matt Scanlon, MD |
| 9:30 - 10:30am | Pediatric Noninvasive Ventilation
Korina Flint, RRT |
| 10:30 – 10:45am | Break |
| 10:45 – 11:45am | Interpretation of Pulmonary Function Tests in a Pediatric Patient
Shimoni Dharia, MD
Pulmonary Fellow |
| 11:45am – 12:45pm | Lunch |
| 12:45 – 1:45pm | Home Oxygen Use Among NICU Graduates
Joanna Lagatta, MD
Neonatology |
| 1:45 – 2:00pm | Break |
| 2:00 – 2:30pm | NBRC-AARC Licensure: How to Navigate the System
Jason Mattern, RRT |
| 2:30 – 3:00pm | Health Literacy
Laurie Smrz, RN, AE-C |
| 3:00 – 3:45pm | Ask a Pediatric RCP: Panel Discussion
Host: Khris O'Brien, RRT-NPS |
| 3:45 – 4:00pm | Evaluation |

