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Posters

#1 Standardized Education for Home Health Nurses Caring for Postoperative Otolaryngology Patients

Madai Veiga MSN, RN, Nathalie Salinas MSN, RN, AGACNP-BC, Ruth Dejean BSN, RN, PCCN, Dolmara Arias MSN, RN, PMHNP

#2 Beyond Anatomy: Understanding Vestibular Function in Two Pediatric Cases

Lindsey Calandra, MSN, CRNP, Megan Englehart, MSN, CRNP, Allison Reeder, MD

#3 From Tradition to Transformation: Standardized Pre-Operative Education to Enhance Patient Experience and Improve Clinic Efficiency

Shannon Hunger, MSN, BSN, RN, NE-BC, BMT-CN, Emily Dimmer, BSN, RN, CMSRN

#4 Transforming Pre-Operative Education in Head and Neck Oncology Through the Think K.I.C.K.S. Initiative

Emily Dimmer, BSN, RN, CMSRN, Shannon Hunger, MSN, BSN, RN, NE-BC, BMT-CN

#5 Pediatric ENT SuperHeroes: Child Life Specialists (not being judged)

Kevin Mary Callans, RN, BSN, Alexandra Smith, MS, CCLS, Samantha Gilberg, MS, CCLS

#6 Tracheostomy Timing and Clinical Outcomes in Critically Ill Adults: A Multicenter Secondary Data Analysis

Naomi Nancy Simon Walter, MSN, RN, FFMRCIS, Diane Berish, Qingli Ji, MAS, Michael J. Brenner, MD, FACS, Vinciya Pandian, PhD, MBS, MSN, ACNP-BC, FCCM, FAANP, FAAN, FFMRCIS

#7 Journal Writing to Reduce Stress for Parents of Children with Difficult Airways Requiring Invasive Procedures in a PICU Setting" A Pilot Study

Emily Copponi, BSN, RN, Kimberly Whalen DNP, RN, CCRN, NEA-BC, Kevin Callans, MSN, RN, Debra Lundquist, PhD, RN

#8 Mapping the Otolaryngology Nursing Workforce

Wendy Mackey, DNP, APRN, CORLN, FAAN, Tiffany Ellis, DNP, ANP-C, CORLN

#9 Bridging the Gap: Connecting Otolaryngology Patients to Comprehensive Cancer Care

Shannon Hunger, MSN, BSN, RN, NE-BC, BMT-CN, Emily Dimmer, BSN, RN, CMSRN

#10 Enhancing Pediatric LTR Care Through Structured Nursing Handoff Reports

Kelly Higgins, BSN, RN, CPN, Shanna Mavilio, RN, MSN, Ed. RNC

#11 Microlearning: Enhance Competence and Confidence in Nurses Caring for Pediatric ENT patients

Jane Gallagher, MSN Ed.

#12 Pediatric Thyroid Center: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Improving Outcomes

Grace Hyun, MSN, RN, CRNP, CORLN, Bonnie Choi, MSN, CRNP, Amber Isaza, MPH, Andrew J. Bauer, MD, Ken Kazahaya, MD

#13 Leading Through Change: Communication and Staff Engagement During Hospital Integration

Karen Harris, DNP, RN, CNML, Marshanda Burrell, DNP, RN, Rhondrea Copeland, MPH, MHA, BSN, RN, FACHE, Tamara Gillispie, MSHQS, BSN, RN

#14 Comparison of Aerosol Trach Collar and Heat Moisture Exchanger for Tracheostomized Patients

Deborah Cramer, BSN, RN, Cathy Schoen, RN, NPDBC, Christina Crouch ASN, RN

#15 The Family Perspective: Caregiver Experiences With In-Office Tympanostomy Tube Placement

Laurie Newton DNP, Rn, CPNP-AC/PC, Clare Frumkin MSN, APNP, CPNP-AC/PC, Michael Gorelik, MD

#16 Enhancing Psychosocial Support Using the PHQ-9 in Postoperative Head and Neck Cancer Patients: A Nurse-Driven Quality Improvement Project: 1 Year Update

Ruth Dejean BSN, RN, PCCN, Nathalie Salinas MSN, RN, AGACNP-BC, Erika Mora BSN, RN, Jared Chandler, MSN, RN, PCCN, Dolmara Arias MSN, RN, PMHNP

#17 Creating an Emergency Tracheostomy Simulation Program for NICU Families Prior to Discharge

Monica Deshpande, FNP, Brittni Mortensen, APRN, NNP, Wannasiri Lapcharoensap, MD, Annie Strange, MSN, RN, RNC-NC, Andrea Wolverton, BSN, RN, RNC-NIC