

March 28, 2012 6 pm

Members present:

Linda Walther, Paula Johns, Karine Zakroczymski, Christina Delgado, Kathryn Carver, Amy Langenfeld, Pam DeWitt-Meza

(Not present: Barb Kern-Pieh on vacation in Africa, Sharon Vonachen on call and seeing a patient, Cindy Dikmen on vacation in Florida, Ellen Johnson at an important meeting)

Education Meeting:

1. Aware basket: Chapter will donate \$50 to put together basket, Kathryn will put basket together and deliver to event, Christina ? will add to basket, Linda will ask Barb about bread etc for basket, Linda will let MNCASA know we are bringing a basket.
2. Facebook: Christina and Linda will meet to discuss facebook page and how to best utilize it. We discussed making sure the posts and “likes” are science, forensic and nursing based, and to be sure to not lean too heavily to the advocacy side.
3. Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society requested speakers for their annual Education Day on October 20, 2012 at Bethel College, it will be a 4 hour event in the morning and breakfast will be served. The cost is free to students and \$10 for alumni.
  - A. Paula would be willing to present on Forensic nursing and Corrections
  - B. Chip, Kathryn and Paula have death investigator contacts and will forward them to Linda
  - C. Chip (and Ellen ?? after I ask her) could present on SANE Nursing ~ 1 hour
  - D. Paula will ask Andrea about presenting on legal nurse consulting
  - E. We also discussed how to bring Forensic Nursing into other nursing practices, ie: interviewing patients, asking the difficult questions, cross contamination etc.
  - F. Linda emailed Raney Linick RN, MSN Chi-at-Large Chapter VP our interest and possible topics and speakers on 3/29/12
4. Chapter Education for 2012:
  - A. We decided to have monthly education on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month (November will have to be a different day) at 6:30-8:30 pm, rotating between the Abbott Northwestern Education building and Regions Hospital. Even months at Abbott Northwestern and odd months at Regions.
  - B. List of topics was discussed, Christina will be the “LIST KEEPER” all contact information for speakers, topic ideas etc. should be sent to Christina at: [christina.delgado@gmail.com](mailto:christina.delgado@gmail.com)
  - C. Tentative topics/schedule:

April 24<sup>th</sup> at ANW , Caroline Palmer speaking on issues of consent, Paula will email Linda a synopsis of the event to be put on the website and sent out as an email to all of our contacts. Paula will arrange to have AV equipment available, materials printed, CEUs, evaluations and collect money for this event.

Linda will make an RSVP on the website and keep a list of attendees and give that to Paula.

May 24<sup>th</sup> will be at Regions, Ellen has secured the space. Topic will be Adult Protection/vulnerable adults. Linda has emailed Carmen Casteneda MSW, LICSW Hennepin County to see if she would be able to speak that day. Linda will also contact CornerHouse to see if they could provide a speaker to talk about interviewing vulnerable. If this does not work out, we will find another topic for that evening.

June 28<sup>th</sup> ANW, Amy is researching Male victims as a topic; possible areas to present could be anoscope exams, injury identification, and advocacy on special needs of male victims, HIV prophylaxis, and male survivor.

July 26<sup>th</sup> Regions, Ellen will give her presentation on Electronic Charting for SA exams for 1 hour and they second hour could be on injury identification and documentation to go along with the charting theme.

August 23<sup>rd</sup> Picnic/social time Kathryn agreed to have it on her roof top garden in Minneapolis. (Staying with the every other month) Also having a 1 hour presentation, (???) we could ask Jude to present on GLBT issues, Jude is a great speaker and fun to have at the social hour!!)

- D. That's all the further we tentatively planned. Other topics assigned are:
1. Pam: Homeless youth, trafficking
  2. Chip: International and out of state sexual assaults and how are they handled.
  3. Culture series:
  4. Amy: Somali cultural information, Native American cultural
  5. Kathryn: Liberian contact??
  6. Pam: Latina cultural contact
  7. Paula: Codis, BCA
  8. Paula talk with Dr. Carr about suspect exams **and second hour on perpetrator ???**  
**I didn't write that down can anyone remember what that was???**
- E. We also discussed community outreach and how can we do that?
- F. Broadening the membership to include other forensic nurses, legal nurse consultants, death investigations, corrections etc.

Next Education Meeting May 17<sup>th</sup> 6 pm.

Program Staff meetings:

SARS: 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month 4:30-6:30 pm

Regions: rotates day of week, but is always in the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of the month

SAFE: Monday and/or Tuesday last week of the month

Unity: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month