

CONTINUING EDUCATION

6.0 Nursing Continuing Professional Development

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Requirements to receive Nursing Continuing Professional Development Hours:

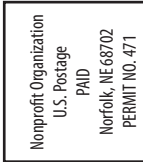
- Sign the Verification of Attendance Form at the registration table
- Attend the entire event
- Complete and submit an evaluation form
- Actively participate in activity

CONFERENCE DAY TIPS

- Please dress in layers as room temperatures may fluctuate.
- In consideration of all participants and speakers, please limit talking during sessions.



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2026 O'NEILL HEALTH CONFERENCE

TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 2026

O'Neill Community Center
501 S. 4th Street
O'Neill, Nebraska

PRESENTED BY:



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CONFERENCE AGENDA

7:45-8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:30-8:40 am	Welcome and Announcements
8:40-10:40 am	Forensics in Rural Healthcare Nakea Baker, MSN-Forensics, BSN
10:40-10:55 am	Break
10:55-11:55 am	AI (Artificial Intelligence) in Healthcare David Cone, BS
11:55-12:45 pm	Lunch
12:45-2:00 pm	Safe Meds, Smart Moves: Best Practices in Medication Safety Stacie Ethington, MSN, RN/Sloane Hoefler, PharmD, BCPS
2:00-2:15 pm	Break
2:15-3:00 pm	Wound Care Tayler Rentschler, MSN, APRN, AGPCNP-C
3:00-3:45 pm	The ME in Team Stacey Aldag, MSE, MAT
3:45-4:00 pm	Evaluations

LEARNING OUTCOME

Upon completion of the O'Neill Health Conference 2026, participants will be able to identify key concepts and applications of artificial intelligence in healthcare, describe common causes and prevention strategies for medication errors in the rural healthcare setting, recognize evidence-based principles of wound care management, and explain how personal strengths and effective teamwork contribute to improved patient outcomes, as evidenced by participants self-report of increased knowledge.

Facility is handicapped accessible.

ABOUT THE SESSIONS

FORENSICS IN RURAL HEALTHCARE

This session equips participants with practical tools to recognize and respond to domestic violence, sexual assault, trafficking, and abuse in both adults and children. Addresses assessment, screening, documentation, safety, bias awareness, red flags, long term impacts of abuse, and appropriate referrals, along with key resources for providers and victims.

AI (ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE) IN HEALTHCARE

Explores how artificial intelligence is shaping nursing practice, with a focus on common AI tools integrated into everyday clinical workflows. The session emphasizes nursing judgment, patient safety, and ethical responsibility through discussion of real world applications.

SAFE MEDS, SMART MOVES: BEST PRACTICES IN MEDICATION SAFETY

An overview of the medication use process with a focus on common safety risks and strategies to reduce medication errors. Emphasis on fostering a strong culture of safety and promoting consistent, reliable practices. General guidance from nationally recognized medication safety resources is incorporated to support safer patient care.

WOUND CARE

Addresses the clinical significance of chronic wounds, wound healing physiology, and comprehensive assessment to support accurate identification of common chronic wound types. Evidence based treatment and escalation principles are reinforced through a case based chronic non-healing wounds.

THE ME IN TEAM

A focused look at self-awareness and temperament in professional practice, highlighting how communication styles, behaviors, and emotional responses affect workplace relationships. Participants gain practical insight into applying temperament awareness to improve collaboration, adaptability, and team performance in healthcare settings.

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2026 O'Neill Health Conference

Register by June 19

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Legal Last Legal First

Legal Full Middle Previous Last Name (s)

Home Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Work Phone _____

Home Phone _____

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E-mail Address _____

Birthdate ____/____/____ Gender M F Graduation Year _____
MONTH DAY YEAR (High School or GED)

High School Name _____

Have you taken a class from Northeast before? Yes No

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