New Challenges for Graduate Nursing Education in the Era of Chronicity and Disability

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Taipei, Taiwan

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**MAPS**
New Challenges for Graduate Nursing Education in the Era of Chronicity and Disability

May 27 - 28, 2010, Taipei Medical University
Taipei, Taiwan

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Taipei Medical University Hospital, Department of Nursing
Wan Fang Hospital, Department of Nursing
Shuang Ho Hospital, Department of Nursing

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Collaborating University :
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National University of Singapore, Singapore
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong
Important dates

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- Notification of acceptance / rejection the 15th of March 2010.
- (For authors) acceptance of presentation, registration and payment for full conference before the 15th of April 2010.
- Registration and payment for full conference before the 18th of May 2010.

We look forward to welcoming you to Taipei Medical University in May, 2010!

Organizing committee
   Chairman: Professor Chao, Yann-Fen
   Co-chairman: Professor Tsai, Pei-Shan
WORDS OF WELCOME

It is with great pleasure that we announce the conference “New Challenges for Graduate Nursing Education in the Era of Chronicity and Disability.”

As the growing population of elderly and chronically ill individuals, care for chronicity has become a major issue in the 21st century. The healthcare system as a whole and nursing as a discipline has shifted their focus of practice from acute to preventive and rehabilitative care for chronicity related health problems, disabilities, and increased healthcare needs. Worldwide, governments have modified their health policies to include care for chronicity. Projects focusing on long-term care and health promotion have received great attention. Nurses, the major manpower of the healthcare system, therefore has extended their practice from hospital acute care to community care.

This conference provides an opportunity for nursing scholars, clinicians, and students to share diverse experiences, perspectives, and knowledge focusing on the reform of nursing education. We welcome your participation and look forward to meeting you at the conference.

Chao, Yann-Fen
Dean, College of Nursing
Dec., 2009
INTRODUCTION

Aging population in Taiwan will grow rapidly from 10% in 2006 to 16.1% in 2020. Along with the aging society, number of the chronically ill patients is increasing. According to the reports from the United Nations, the global burden and cost of chronic diseases was about 60% and will increase to 80% in 2020. The longevity of life and aging increase the needs for chronic disease care, which is a subject that cannot be ignored in the medical system. The impacts of chronic diseases not only burden the individuals, the family and the society, but also challenge the healthcare professionals and the medical system. To face these challenges, education first-line nurses is more important than before. Therefore, nursing educators in the field of aging and chronic disease from Australia, Hong Kong, South Korea, Singapore, and Taiwan will have dialogues on this topic. Nursing doctoral students are also invited to participate in the discussions about incorporating the concept of chronicity in nursing education, strategies and principles in applying nursing education in practice, passing on nursing science from generation to generation, and the establishment of international network.

Invited nursing scholars will share their future views and experiences in advising students to conduct healthcare research of chronicity and disability. Principles and strategies for educating new generations to meet the impacts of chronic illness on the clients, family and caregivers, and the healthcare system, and the establishment and maintenance of international network will be discussed as well.
# PRELIMINARY SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

New challenges for graduate nursing education in the era of chronicity and disability

**DAY ONE  (May, 27th)**

**Place: 4F Conference Hall**

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Associate Prof. Hsiu-Ju Chang
Associate Prof. Chia-Chii Chang
Assistant Prof. Ching-Yu Chen |
| 15:20 – 15:40 | Tea break                                                             |                                                                              |
| 15:40 – 16:30 | **Roundtable discussion:** Care for patients with chronic conditions: Nursing education and educational evaluation | Moderator: Professor Marianne Wallis                                        |
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DAY TWO (May 28th)

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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Submission guidelines

1. Please submit your abstract via email to nursing@tmu.edu.tw by the 1st of February 2010 and follow the instructions at the submission form. All submissions will be acknowledged on receipt. If you do not receive an acknowledgement within one week, please contact us, and we will verify if we have received your submission.

2. Abstracts must be submitted in English, and the presentation of all papers, posters, must also be in English.

3. The overall theme is “New challenges for graduate nursing education in the era of chronicity and disability”

   Subthemes for submitting abstracts are:
   3.1. Incorporate the concept of chronicity in the content of nursing education.
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4. The abstract must be limited to 350 words. Abstracts can be submitted for:
   - oral paper presentation
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The abstract is to be presented in a text format (conference sub-theme, study or project objective, methods, results and 2 learning outcomes). Submissions may report original research, project or program development / evaluation, but should always be related to the main theme and one of the sub themes of the conference.

5. All submissions will be anonymously reviewed to decide on rejection or acceptance of your abstract.

6. Submission of an abstract implies registration for the conference, and acceptance of the final decision about method and allocation of presentation by the organization committee, and no further correspondence will be entered into.

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On March 2, 2008, the *New York Times* published an article titled “36 hours in Taipei, Taiwan.” “Taipei, the vibrant capital of Taiwan,” the story says, “distils the best of what Asian cities have to offer—great street food, crackling night life, arguably the world’s best collection of Chinese art, and hot springs and hiking trails reachable by public transport.”

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The polarities of Taipei are vividly present as well in the joining of the urban and natural. Just a few minutes from the heart of the city you can soak away the cares of the world in mineral-rich hot springs nestled in the lush mountain foothills ringing the Taipei Basin. And throughout the city there are plenty of trails, parks and other oases of tranquility to lift and invigorate your spirits.

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