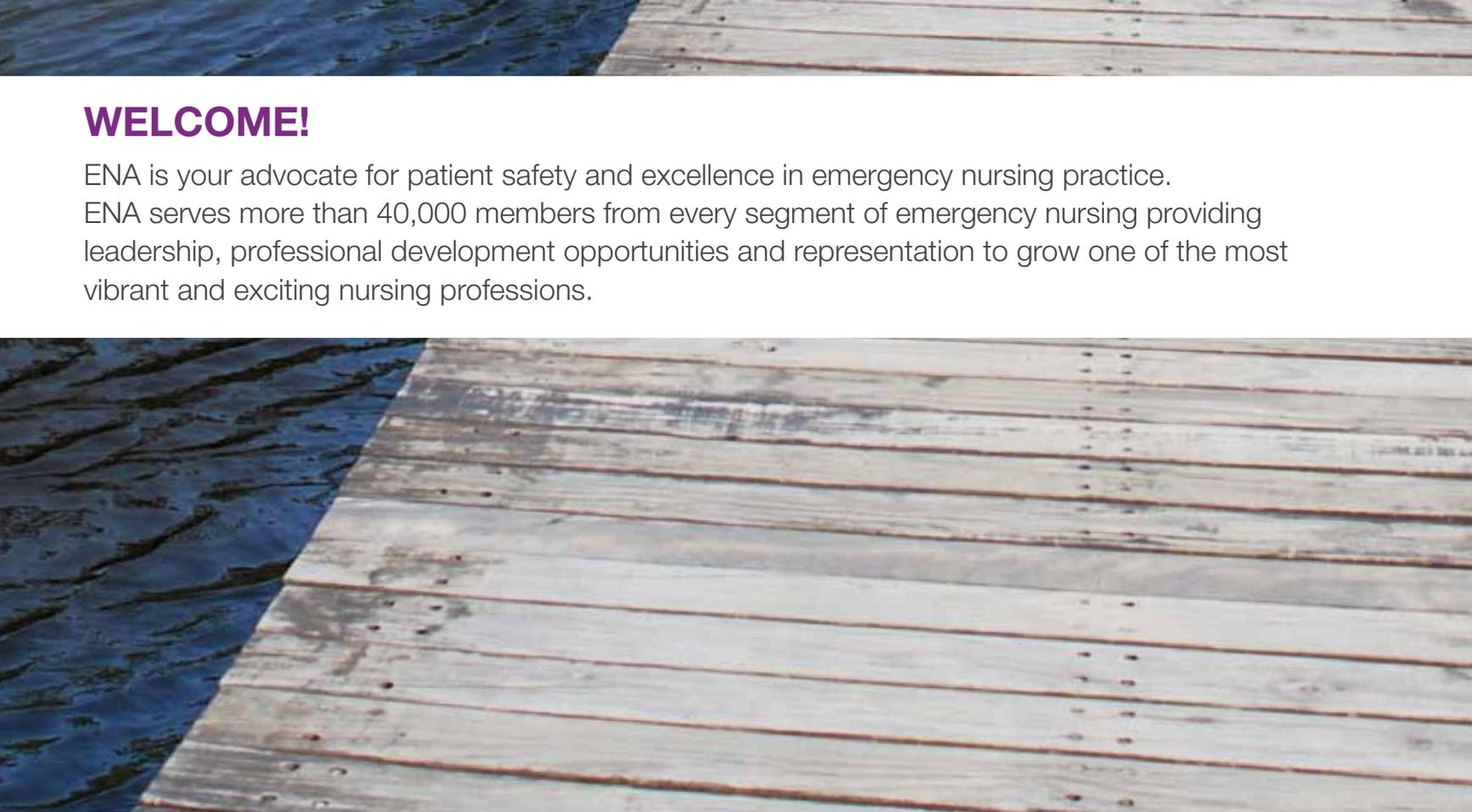




**Member Benefits Kit**

**Find direction.  
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## WELCOME!

ENA is your advocate for patient safety and excellence in emergency nursing practice. ENA serves more than 40,000 members from every segment of emergency nursing providing leadership, professional development opportunities and representation to grow one of the most vibrant and exciting nursing professions.



## ENA MEMBER BENEFITS

As a member of ENA, you now have available a wide range of benefits, resources and savings. ENA provides many practical benefits such as evidence-based education and programs, research, tools and resources to translate best practices into everyday practice. Members also receive complimentary subscriptions to the *Journal of Emergency Nursing*, *ENA Connection* and the weekly digital ENA Newsline. The ENA Career Center opens the door to your next career opportunity or helps to find qualified nurses that will fit well on your team.

ENA offers you numerous opportunities to connect with other ENA members located in your area, and across the country and internationally. Meet in person with fellow members at ENA events held at the local chapter, state and national levels. You also can participate online via listservs, discussion boards on **[www.ena.org](http://www.ena.org)** and through ENA's presence on social networking sites like Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

ENA members save on continuing education offerings and qualify for discounts on travel services, insurance, prescriptions and an array of other products and services from ENA's business partners. Educational scholarships and research grants also are available to ENA members through the ENA Foundation.

ENA's national headquarters is located just outside of Chicago in Des Plaines, Illinois. Our staff includes clinical experts, management professionals and dedicated associates. We are just a phone call away, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT at 800-900-9659 or visit us anytime at **[www.ena.org](http://www.ena.org)**.

We'll help you grow your career through educational offerings, networking opportunities, research studies, certification preparation and so much more...

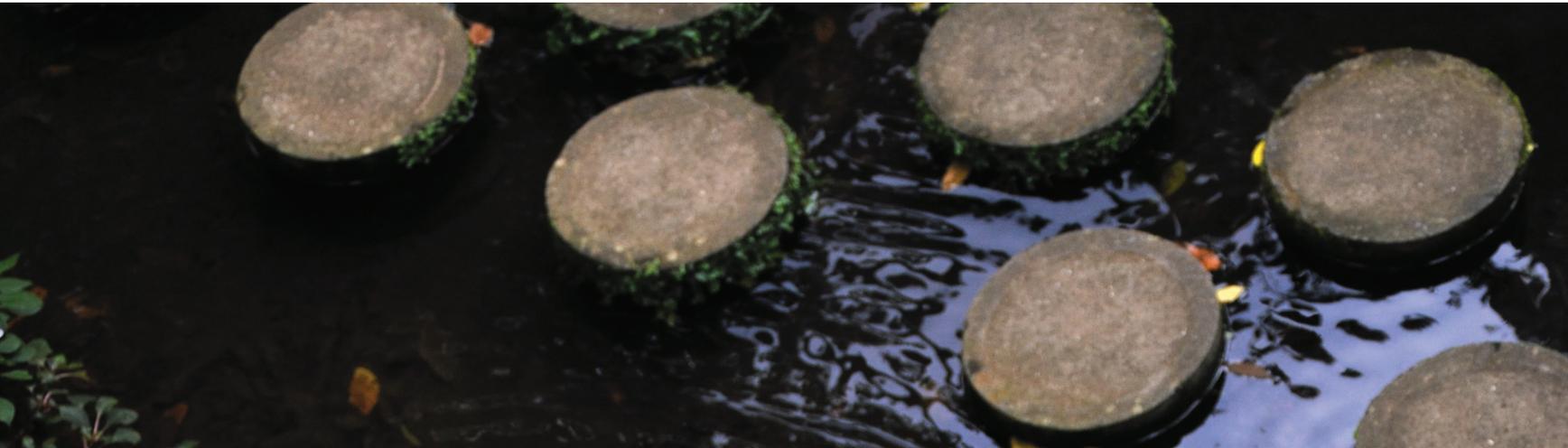
## **ACADEMY OF EMERGENCY NURSING**

Honors nurses who have made enduring, substantial contributions to emergency nursing; advances the profession of emergency nursing, including the health care system in which emergency nursing is delivered; and provides visionary leadership. Fellowship applications are available at [www.ena.org/about/academy/membership](http://www.ena.org/about/academy/membership).

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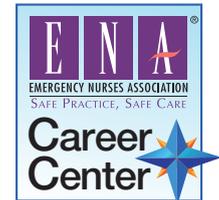




## ENA CAREER CENTER

Provides you with the best opportunities in the nursing industry. As a job seeker, you may search for positions and receive an automatic e-mail notification of new listings. Post your résumé and make it available to top-notch employers in the industry. As an employer, you may post openings and review a deep pool of qualified talent. The ENA Career Center showcases over 200 health care associations and professional organizations with the National Healthcare Career Network (NHCN) and provides personalized career guidance.

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We strongly value our members and with this new benefit, you will be able to further your education and knowledge. ENA adds new additional FREE continuing education offerings each month. View the ENA Free CE library at [www.ena.org/FreeCE](http://www.ena.org/FreeCE).



## CERTIFICATION EDUCATION

### Print

- ***CEN® Review Manual 4<sup>th</sup> Edition***

Contains valuable tools to enhance your preparation for the Certified Emergency Nurse (CEN) exam with five chapters that offer 150 questions per test along with rationales for each answer. In addition, access is provided to two, 175-question Web-based tests. Earn a total of 6.0 contact hours with successful completion of the two exams. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.

- ***CPEN® Review Manual***

Offers a succinct, comprehensive review of the core material and includes more than 600 practice questions founded in current, evidence-based literature. You also get access codes to two online practice tests, worth 3.0 contact hours each. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.

### Online Courses

- ***Emergency Nursing Certification Review***

Offers you a succinct format that is easy to read and understand; an in-depth review of emergency patient care; 18 lessons covering the topics from the Board of Certification for Emergency Nursing CEN blueprint, including fast facts and memory tips; two three-hour, 175-question practice exams; and the opportunity to earn 25.43 contact hours. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## Web Seminars

- **CEN Review Web Seminar Series**

Covers the essential information you need to prepare for the CEN exam. Plus, you have the opportunity to earn 18.0 contact hours with the convenience to take the course anywhere. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## GENERAL EDUCATION

### Print

- ***Emergency Nursing Core Curriculum - 6<sup>th</sup> Edition***

This highly respected resource will help you build and verify your knowledge, develop practice standards, improve quality of care, and educate nursing staff as well as patients and families. This resource is also the ideal resource to help you prepare for the Certification for Emergency Nurses (CEN) exam. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.

- ***Sheehy's Emergency Nursing Principles and Practice - 6<sup>th</sup> Edition***

Serves as a comprehensive, evidence-based resource that covers emergency department issues and procedures. Clinical practice developments are incorporated throughout as well as more than 350 illustrations and 150 tables that highlight essential concepts. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.

- ***Sheehy's Manual of Emergency Care - 7<sup>th</sup> Edition***

Focuses on basic and advanced life support, intravenous therapy, medical emergencies, trauma emergencies and emergency care for special populations. It is an on-the-spot reference that addresses each commonly seen condition thoroughly, from signs and symptoms to diagnosis, treatment, developmental considerations, patient education and more. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.

### Conferences

- **ENA Annual Conference**

Offers you the opportunity to achieve professional excellence and rejuvenate your passion for practice. Expand your knowledge by learning from evidence-based research; finding new ways to solve the toughest health care challenges; exploring opportunities to reconnect with friends and make valuable new contacts; and visiting the exhibit hall offering emergency products and services to enhance your practice. Opportunity to earn numerous contact hours. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## Online Courses

- **Emergency Nursing Triage**

Provides evidence-based information to accurately assess and prioritize patients regardless of the type of triage system used. Appropriate for new nurses as well as experienced clinicians pursuing continuing education contact hours. Opportunity to earn up to 17.4 contact hours. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

- **Emergency Nursing Orientation Online Course 2.0**

Helps strengthen critical thinking, technical skills and enables you to intervene with precision and confidence. It includes 43 modules that incorporate the latest evidence-based practices and is designed to be part of an orientation and continuing education program. Opportunity to earn 64.9 contact hours. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.



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## GERIATRIC EDUCATION

### Online Course

- **Geriatric Emergency Nursing Education (GENE)**

This updated online version which will be available late 2013, will offer enhancements including video, images, animation, voice-over narration and knowledge checks. This multi-media course features 17 modules with over 15 hours of online learning which will provide you with best practices to deliver optimal care and respond to special needs of older adults. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## LEADERSHIP EDUCATION

### Conferences

- **ENA Leadership Conference**

Increases your leadership skills with education sessions in different management focus areas, offered by emergency nursing's foremost authorities. Plus you have the opportunity to network with peers at special events, interact with vendors and evaluate products in the exhibit hall. It's an event you won't want to miss. Take advantage of the opportunity to earn numerous contact hours. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## PEDIATRIC EDUCATION

### Print

- ***Core Curriculum for Pediatric Emergency Nursing***

Serves as a comprehensive reference on pediatric emergency nursing that integrates nursing process with pediatric physiology and psychosocial theories. It will help you assess and treat ill and injured pediatric patients. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.

### Live/In-person, Instructor Led Courses

- ***Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course (ENPC) - 4th Edition***

Helps you learn core-level pediatric knowledge and skills needed to positively affect patient outcomes in emergency settings. Participants are verified for four years, receive a verification card and earn 16.25 contact hours upon successful completion of the course. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## TRAUMA EDUCATION

### Live/In-person, Instructor Led Courses

- ***Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC)***

Provides cognitive, core-level trauma knowledge and skills experience in an interactive format. The hands-on skill stations help you incorporate cognitive knowledge into application in a safe practice environment. Participants are verified for four years, receive a verification card and earn 14.42 contact hours upon successful completion of course. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

## EDUCATION RESOURCES

- **ANCC Accredited Approver of Continuing Nursing Education**

Demonstrate your high standards of excellence, ensure the quality of your continuing nursing education activity and promote your commitment to nursing practice excellence by submitting your program for approval. Visit [www.ena.org/coursesandeducation](http://www.ena.org/coursesandeducation) to learn more.

- **Emergency Nursing Resources (ENR)**

Provides you with evidence-based information to utilize and implement in your care of patients and families. Each focuses on a clinical or practice-based issue and is the result of a review and analysis of up-to-date information. To view all the ENR's Visit [www.ena.org/IERN](http://www.ena.org/IERN).

- **Family Presence During Invasive Procedures and Resuscitation in the Emergency Department**
- **Gastric Tube Placement Verification**
- **Needle-Related Procedural Pain in Pediatric Patients in the Emergency Department**
- **The Use of Capnography During Procedural Sedation/Analgesia in the Emergency Department**
- **Orthostatic Vital Signs**
- **Wound Preparation**
- **Non-invasive Temperature Measurement in the Emergency Department**
- **Difficult Intravenous Access**

## ENA FOUNDATION

Established in 1991 by ENA, the mission of the ENA Foundation is to provide educational scholarships and research grants in the discipline of emergency nursing. Program funding is available from annual contributions received from emergency nurses, ENA state councils and chapters, corporate partners and friends of emergency nursing. All contributions of any amount make a difference and are greatly appreciated. To make a donation, visit [www.enafoundation.org](http://www.enafoundation.org).



## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### Academic Scholarships

Offered annually to members pursuing undergraduate, masters or doctoral degrees. Additionally, there are a minimum number of scholarships offered for non-RN applicants who are rescue workers, EMTs or individuals who work in the emergency department.

### Continuing Education Scholarships

Continuing education scholarships meet member needs for continuing nursing education contact hours.

A photograph of a pond with several large, round, green lily pads floating on the surface. In the center-left, a single pink lotus flower is in full bloom, showing its yellow stamens. The water is dark and reflects the light.

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## RESEARCH GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

The ENA Foundation offers these grant opportunities provide funding for research that will advance the specialized practice of emergency nursing. Emergency nursing research is broadly defined as scientific investigation designed to furnish new knowledge relating to emergency nursing care. Such investigations may focus on basic science research, clinical research, preventive care or research in emergency nursing teaching, education, management and leadership.

To learn more about the ENA Foundation and to access a current list of all scholarship and research grant opportunities, visit [www.enafoundation.org](http://www.enafoundation.org) or call 800-900-9659 ext. 4100.

## GOVERNMENT AND ADVOCACY

ENA's government relations and advocacy efforts will provide ENA with a voice in the nation's capital as policies that are important to emergency nurses are debated and implemented. Our objectives are to increase ENA's profile both in Congress and the Executive Branch so that ENA can further its public policy goals. The top priorities for ENA's government relations efforts are:

- A safe emergency care environment
- Emergency nursing scope of practice
- Ensuring timely access for emergency care

In addition, ENA will assist and coordinate with members to pursue our advocacy goals at the state level.





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## **INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY NURSING RESEARCH**

Identifies research priorities that are significant to emergency nursing practice and to emergency care consumers. Research priorities include investigations that address generation, dissemination and translation of research related to ENA's clinical priorities and emergency nursing professional practice issues.

## **COMPETENCIES FOR ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES IN EMERGENCY CARE**

Delineates the behaviors, knowledge and skills necessary for advanced practice nurses to competently practice in emergency care. These competencies for nurse practitioners and clinical nurse specialists are available at [www.ena.org/IENR/studies](http://www.ena.org/IENR/studies).



# ENA helps you find direction for your career, strengthen your skills and make valuable connections.

## **RESEARCH AND EVIDENCE-BASED PAPER AND POSTER AWARDS PROGRAM**

Encourages research and knowledge dissemination about emergency nursing and emergency care. These sessions, held at both ENA Annual Conference and ENA Leadership Conference, offer research and evidence-based practice abstracts that address clinical, education, injury prevention, leadership, quality improvement and safety issues in emergency care.

## **STAFFING GUIDELINES**

Serves as a tool for managers to identify and justify appropriate staffing for their emergency department.

To learn more about IENR's programs, call 800-900-9659 ext. 4119 or visit [www.ena.org/IENTR](http://www.ena.org/IENTR).



# INSTITUTE FOR QUALITY, SAFETY AND INJURY PREVENTION

Empowers emergency nurses to integrate quality, safety and injury prevention into everyday practice and become leaders within their institutions and communities. The IQSIP integration is central to ENA's *safe practice, safe care* focus.



## ENA TOOLKIT

- **Emergency Department Workplace Violence Toolkit**

Identifies best practices for mitigating and responding to violence in the emergency department. A toolkit has been developed, which includes templates for creating a violent incident reporting tool, zero tolerance policy, environmental scan, self-assessment tool for identifying personal triggers, as well as information on how to identify potentially violent patients and situations, how to diffuse a situation, and the ENA Workplace Violence Advocacy Packet.

- **Alcohol Screening (SBIRT)**

Provides a complete set of tools, resources, and staff and patient education materials for the implementation of alcohol Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) for emergency department patients who are at risk of alcohol misuse and abuse. The toolkit is free and can be downloaded at [www.ena.org/IQSIP](http://www.ena.org/IQSIP).

## POSITION STATEMENTS

Developed for key topics affecting emergency nursing practice and health care trends. For a complete list of position statements, visit [www.ena.org/about/position](http://www.ena.org/about/position).

## ENA PRACTICE REFERENCES (EPRS)

Developed by the ENA Clinical Practice Guidelines Committee and entail a thorough review of the literature to identify best practices as they relate to a specific clinical topic in emergency care.

- **Hemolysis**
- **ECG**

## TOPIC BRIEFS

Informational documents developed by ENA that provide the reader with knowledge on a subject relevant to emergency care.

- **Health Literacy**
- **Health Information Technology (HIT)**
- **Healthy Work Environment**

## THE EMERGENCY NURSING SCOPE AND STANDARDS OF PRACTICE

A landmark book that describes the competent level of behavior expected for nurses practicing in the specialty of emergency nursing. The dynamic nature of the practice environment is explored in the scope of emergency nursing. This book can provide a guide for the practitioner to understand the knowledge, skills, attitudes and judgments that are required for practicing safely in the emergency department setting. This foundational book provides the details of what is expected in this specialty of care and helps other members of the professional team understand the role of the emergency nurse. Choose from print or e-book format. Visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop) to learn more.



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## LANTERN AWARD: DOES YOUR EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT DESERVE RECOGNITION FOR EXCEPTIONAL PRACTICE AND INNOVATIVE PERFORMANCE?

The Lantern Award recognizes exemplary emergency departments that:

- Display innovative styles of leadership, practice, education, advocacy and research.
- Are committed to quality care, a healthy work environment and evidence-based innovation in emergency medicine.
- Stand out among their peers, both locally and nationally.

To learn more, visit [www.ena.org/IQSIP/LanternAward](http://www.ena.org/IQSIP/LanternAward).

## S.T.O.P. INJURIES LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Provides a self-study, interactive learning tool about the development of injury prevention skills. It prepares emergency nurses and other health care professionals to integrate injury prevention in both patient and community settings. To order, visit [www.ena.org/shop](http://www.ena.org/shop).



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As an ENA member you have a variety of discounts available to you. Among them is liability insurance, great vacation offerings such as cruises, car rentals, vacation packages and much more. You also will find discounts on home, car, long-term care and pet insurance as well as a prescription discount card. Check out all the details at [www.ena.org](http://www.ena.org).

## **MARKETPLACE**

Offers emergency nursing, leadership and personal development resources. Whether you are building a department library or expanding your own reference resources, the titles carried are authored by the most recognized and respected clinical experts. Study and review guides for certification exams can assist you in reaching your goals. Members always receive a discount. ENA branded merchandise and great gift ideas for staff recognition are also available.

**Special New Member Offer:** Receive free shipping when you place your first order within 60 days of joining. Include reference offer code: "NewMbr-FreeShip" in the comments box of your online order form or when you order by telephone.

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## PUBLICATIONS

Three outstanding emergency nursing specialty publications are available free to members:

### ***JOURNAL OF EMERGENCY NURSING (JEN)***

Provides the latest clinical practice and research findings bimonthly (published January, March, May, July, September and November). It features practical applicable research, clinical and administrative reports from the field, and sections such as the popular Case Review. Earn 8.5 contact hours each month for a nominal fee. *JEN* is mailed to your primary mailing address and archived issues are available online at [www.ena.org/publications/jen](http://www.ena.org/publications/jen).

### ***ENA CONNECTION***

Published 11 times a year (hiatus in July), *ENA Connection* keeps you up-to-date on the latest emergency nursing issues, employment opportunities and association events and activities. *ENA Connection* is mailed to your primary mailing address and is also available online at [www.ena.org/publications/connection](http://www.ena.org/publications/connection).

### ***ENA NEWSLINE***

Delivers to your e-mail inbox weekly news and information gathered from sources like The Associated Press, *The New York Times*, CNN.com and leading industry publications that will keep you informed of topics that impact the daily operation of your practice.



## GET CONNECTED!

**ENA's member community connects you with emergency nurses who share common challenges and offer best practice solutions.**

- **Member Groups:** Your ENA membership includes access to national programs, state councils and chapters.
- **State Councils:** Serve as the state level body that supports ENA's philosophy, and objectives, and coordinates and implements ENA activities within the states.
- **Chapters:** Provide local networking opportunities, professional activities and informal constituent groups.
- **General Assembly:** Delegates from every state gather once a year to provide direction and stewardship for the organization, including professional emergency nursing policy and position development.

## LISTSERVS

Provides e-mail discussion groups for you to network with members about common interests. Available listserv communities include: ED and Patient Safety, ED Managers, ED Staff Nurses, ED Technology, Emergency Care Technicians, Emergency Preparedness, Emergency Education, Emergency Educators, Episodic and Urgent Care/Immediate Care Centers, Forensics, Government Affairs, Injury Prevention, ENA Membership, Pediatrics, Research, Retired Nurses, Small Rural/Critical Access Hospitals, State Councils, Telephone Triage, Trauma, Travel Nurses and Uniformed Services.

## myENA

Offers an online social networking forum to meet and network with members just like you. Discussion groups created by your colleagues and state leaders provide the opportunity to connect with members who have similar interests. Share photos, videos and documents; create a blog; or keep up with your local and state events.

## ADDITIONAL SOCIAL NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

ENA has a presence on Facebook, LinkedIn, Foursquare and Twitter that lets emergency nurses interact with both ENA and each other. With more than 20,000 active Facebook fans, this is a great way to share and network with emergency nurses around the country and the world.





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