

Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE-A) Course - Blended



DATE

Friday, April 25 +
Saturday April 26, 2025



TIME

8:00 AM - 6:30 PM, Check-In 7:45 AM



TARGET AUDIENCE

Emergency Room Nurses, OB-GYN Nurses,
Nurse Practitioners



LOCATION

Clemson University School of Nursing
Located on the Prisma Hospital Campus
605 Grove Road, Greenville, SC 29605



COURSE DESCRIPTION

Purpose: This is a 2 part course and you must register for both Part 1 and Part 2. A Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner is a special forensic nurse, who provides comprehensive, trauma informed care to sexual assault survivors, including medical and forensic examinations, evidence collection, and support. These nurses may also be called upon to testify in court.

Curriculum Components: This training is a blended learning program with **24 hours of theory and lectures completed online**, along with a pre and post test. Upon completion of the online component, you will receive **16 hours of live training**. All course work must be completed online prior to the live component. Please note: this program describes scenarios and photographs that may be disturbing.

Program Fee: \$129 for Upstate AHEC Consortium Members; \$300 for Non-Consortium Members



INSTRUCTOR

Kelli Clune, MSN, APRN, FNP-C, BCEN, SANE-A, SANE-P. Kelli is a Certified Family Nurse Practitioner with over 25 years experience in emergency medicine as well as over 12 years as a pediatric and adult Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner. Kelli holds numerous certifications, awards and professional affiliations



CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

Licensed Nurses: This nursing continuing education activity awards **40** contact hours upon successful completion. Upstate AHEC is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. www.nursecredentialing.org/accreditation.aspx.

Please Note: Licensees should verify with their state licensing board for acceptance of continuing education units.



OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this program, each participant will be able to:

- Define forensic nursing, verbalize a summation of forensic nursing history, identify 3 roles within forensic nursing, define trauma informed care, list the goals and benefits of a forensic nursing program.
- Discuss the scope and standards of practice of forensic nursing, identify medical obligations of the forensic nurse, define vicarious trauma, compassion fatigue and ways to prevent it, and explain the current principles in forensic nursing evidence-based practice.
- Discuss ethics from an individual/personal, social, and forensic nursing standpoint. Discuss how ethics are shaped by culture and what ethical considerations mean to a forensic nurse.
- Define sexual violence, sexual assault, and rape as well as explain some common myths about each. Explain the facts and statistics surrounding sexual violence, rape and sexual assault.
- Discuss the types of psychological reactions a trauma victim may experience, give examples of the types of primitive responses to trauma, explain reasons for non-reporting, and discuss the influences of age/gender/culture and sexuality on the experience of sexual assault.
- Define trauma, explain the affects of trauma on cognition, relate risk factors that can increase the psychological impact of trauma, briefly describe the effects of trauma on memory formation, verbalize why it is better to delay obtaining official statements from victims of trauma.
- Define domestic violence, describe the victims, patterns, and barriers to intervention of domestic violence. Describe the nursing process and how to correctly document, using a medical screening exam.
- Describe the 10 reasons why sexual assaults are not reported, what the benefits of an MDT model are, describe what is a mandated report. Understand the court process if you are called to be an expert witness.
- Identify and discuss the anatomy of an ano-genital evaluation and explain the differences between a normal and abnormal evaluation.
- Define the three types of rapist.



REGISTRATION

To register:

<https://www.scahec.net/learn/programs/4231> (Part 1)

<https://www.scahec.net/learn/programs/4232> (Part 2)



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