

# Adult / Adolescent Forensic Nurse Examiner (SANE) Course - Blended



## DATE

Adult - April 24 & 25  
Pediatric - May 29 & 30



## TIME

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



## TARGET AUDIENCE

Emergency Room Nurses, OB-GYN Nurses,  
Nurse Practitioners



## LOCATION

Upstate AHEC  
104 South Venture Drive  
Greenville, SC 29615



## COURSE DESCRIPTION

**Purpose:** 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 can either take **the live training for Adult or Pediatric or combine them for 60 total hours**. All course work must be completed online prior to the live component(s). Please note: this program describes scenarios and photographs that may be disturbing.



## INSTRUCTOR

**Kelli Clune, MSN, FNP-C, BCEN, SANE-A, SANE-P**, currently serves as the Child Abuse Nurse Practitioner at Prisma Health–Upstate.



## CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

**Licensed Nurses:** This nursing continuing education activity awards **40.0** 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](http://www.nursecredentialing.org/accreditation.aspx)

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



## 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 - Online Portion)

<https://www.scahec.net/learn/programs/4818> (Adult Live Portion)

<https://www.scahec.net/learn/programs/4817> (Pediatric Live Portion)

<https://www.scahec.net/learn/programs/4516> (Adult & Pediatric Live Portion)

**Program Fee:** \$129 for Upstate AHEC Consortium Members / \$300 for Non-Consortium Members. If taking combined, \$229 for AHEC Consortium Members / \$400 for Non-Consortium Members.

If you are in a rural community, scholarships may be available. Contact Casey Hopkins at chopki@clmson.edu.

**Refund Policy:** To cancel a registration for an upcoming program on the AHEC Learning Portal (ALP), visit the My Registrations page, select the program from your Upcoming Registrations listing and press the Cancel Registration button on the registration details page. Cancellations must be made prior to each program's cancellation deadline date as listed on its program details page in order to be eligible for a refund. If you paid a registration fee for your in-person or webinar program and cancel via the registration system by the cancellation refund deadline, you are eligible for a full refund (minus any material fee, if applicable) and our staff will be in touch with refund details — refunds are typically processed within 10-15 business days after that.



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