



## **Defense Health Agency, J-7, Continuing Education Program Office**

### **MHS Conference: Ready and Relevant Nursing: Meeting Military Needs and Preparing Future Leaders**

**Live Course, April 30, 2025, Cleveland, OH**

#### **Continuing Education (CE)/Continuing Medical Education (CME) Information**

This CE/CME activity is accredited by the DHA, J-7, Continuing Education Program Office (CEPO). This activity provides continuing education for physicians, nurses, dentists, dental hygienists, dental technicians, and healthcare executives. A certificate of attendance is available for other attendees.

#### **MHS Conference: Ready and Relevant Nursing: Meeting Military Needs and Preparing Future Leaders (1.00 clock hour)**

**1430- 1530 (ET)**

##### **Learning Objectives:**

1. Define the status of nurse recruitment and retention in the Military Health System (Army, Navy, Air Force Nurse Corps & DHA).
2. Discuss how each military Nurse Corps addresses readiness.
3. Explore approaches to leadership development for nurses in the Military Health System.
4. Identify challenges for force generation and sustainment of a ready and relevant Nurse Corps.

##### **Faculty:**

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##### **Disclosures:**

DHA J-7 staff, Planning Committee Members and content reviewers have no financial or non-financial interest to disclose. All faculty members have no financial or non-financial interest to disclose.

#### **Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE)**



In support of improving patient care, the DHA, J-7, CEPO is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the health care team. This activity was planned by and for the health care team, and learners will receive 1.00 Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) credit for learning and change.

#### **Physicians (ACCME)**



DHA, J-7, CEPO is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

DHA, J-7, CEPO designated this course for a maximum of 1.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### **Nurses (ANCC)**

The DHA, J-7, CEPO is accredited by the Joint Accreditation/ Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) to provide this Continuing Nursing Education course for a maximum of 1.00 ANCC contact hour. Nurses should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### **Dentists and Allied Dental Staff (ADA CERP)**



DHA, J-7, CEPO is an ADA CERP Recognized Provider. ADA CERP is a service of the American Dental Association to assist dental professionals in identifying quality providers of continuing dental education (CDE). ADA CERP does not approve or endorse individual courses or instructors, nor does it imply acceptance of credit hours by boards of dentistry. Concerns or complaints about a CE provider may be directed to the provider or to the Commission for Continuing Education Provider Recognition at [ADA.org/CERP](http://ADA.org/CERP). DHA, J-7, CEPO designates this activity for 1.00 continuing education credit.

### **ACCME Non-Physician CME Credit**

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### **Healthcare Executives (ACHE)**

By attending this program offered by DHA, J-7, CEPO, participants may earn up to 1.00 American College of Healthcare Executives (ACHE) Qualified Education Hours toward initial certification or recertification of the Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives (FACHE) designation. Participants in this program who wish to have the continuing education hours applied toward ACHE Qualified Education credit must self-report their participation. To self-report, participants must log into their MyACHE account and select ACHE Qualified Education Credit.

### **Other Professionals**

All other health care professionals completing this CE/CME activity will be issued a Certificate of Attendance indicating participation and the number of hours of CE/CME credit. This may be used for submission to licensing boards for satisfaction of CE/CME requirements.

### **Commercial Support:**

No commercial support was provided for this activity.

### **Participation Costs:**

There is no cost to participate in this activity.

### **CE/CME Inquiries:**

For all CE/CME related inquiries, please contact: [dha.ncr.j7.mbx.continuing-education-office@health.mil](mailto:dha.ncr.j7.mbx.continuing-education-office@health.mil)

### **How to Obtain CE/CME Credit:**

To receive CE/CME credit, you must complete the program posttest(s) and evaluation(s) before collecting your certificate(s). The posttests and evaluations will be available through 15 May 2025 at 2359 ET at the following URL:

[www.dhaj7-cepo.com](http://www.dhaj7-cepo.com)