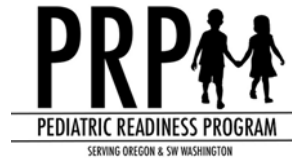


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Nurse & Physician Pediatric Champion Newsletter



Pediatric Readiness Program Education Session

Caring for the Agitated Child in the ED
July 16 | 1200-1230

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REGISTER TODAY - You will receive a confirmation email after registering.

- Discuss current literature around the best non-restraint de-escalation techniques
- Discuss best practices for chemical and physical restraints/seclusion
- Learn unique populations in the pediatric population and differences in approaches

Education sessions are recorded and posted on the [PRP Education page](#).

Visual Communication Cards



The Pediatric Pandemic Network has developed visual communication card sets to help bridge communication gaps. To order card sets, scroll down to bottom of this [page](#) and complete the order form.

Burn Care Resources for Healthcare Providers

Burn care demands accurate assessment, rapid decision-making, and system-level preparedness. [Click here](#) for evidence-informed tools and educational resources designed to support healthcare providers in burn wound evaluation, emergency response planning, and injury pattern recognition. Together, these resources support clinical care, enhance coordination during burn emergencies, and support appropriate triage, stabilization, and ongoing care across the continuum of burn management.

Best Practices to Implement ED Telepsychiatry

Mental health support in the ED is more critical than ever. This comprehensive Best Practices to Implement ED Telepsychiatry [module](#) is designed specifically for managers, clinicians, operations staff, and clinical champions seeking to launch a telepsychiatry program within the ED.

Pediatric Surge Hospital Handbook

The purpose of the [Pediatric Surge Hospital Handbook](#) is to simplify the process of preparing for a pediatric no notice surge event for all hospitals. Not all hospitals have the same daily pediatric capabilities. Each section describes the recommendations for each of the following levels of pediatric capabilities:

- **Foundation:** A hospital with absolute minimal pediatric inpatient or outpatient services
- **Intermediate:** A hospital with some inpatient or outpatient pediatric services but not considered a pediatric hospital
- **Advanced:** Any hospital that considers itself a pediatric hospital and has at a minimum, outpatient pediatric primary care, pediatric emergency area, and a Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) and general pediatric surgery.
- **Everyone:** All hospitals prepare to manage children with these recommendations

PedsGuide App

The [PedsGuide App](#) was developed by Children's Mercy and is available to all healthcare providers. Check out the video that walks you through how to use the app. PedsGuide is a multi-module pediatric clinical decision support tool grounded in evidence-based practice and expert opinion to assist in management of various acute illnesses in children.

Continuing Education & Quality Improvement

- 2026 Pediatric Readiness Education Series: [Register here](#) **Third Thursdays 0800-0900**
- [Clinical Resources for Women's and Children's Services](#)
- Doernbecher Children's Hospital: [Pediatric Grand Rounds](#): [Jessica Willhite](#)
- [Enduring Materials - Randall Children's Hospital Grand Rounds](#): Recordings are eligible for credit for 12 months from the video lecture's release date. View the video description for each video to locate the release date.
- [National Pediatric Readiness Project Toolkit](#): Improve section
- [Pediatric & Neonatal Clinical Outreach Education-Randall Children's](#): [Christy Capra](#)
- Pediatric Education and Advocacy Kits: [Agitation](#) | [Child Abuse](#) | [Multisystem Trauma](#) | [Pain](#) | [Procedural Sedation](#) | [Status Epilepticus](#) | [Suicide](#)
- [Pediatric Readiness Program Education](#): Recordings are eligible for credit up to 30 days from the session date.

- [Pediatric Respiratory Education, Pathways & Videos](#)
- [Randall Children's Hospital Grand Rounds Playlist](#): Recordings are eligible for credit up to 30 days from the session date.