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For the past 6 years the ACRN Review has helped nurses all across the country prepare for and pass the ACRN exam with confidence:

- ✓ Full review of content in the major test categories
- ✓ Full review of nursing processes involved in providing comprehensive care to the HIV infected patient
- ✓ Review of test taking strategies for the exam
- ✓ Practice test with full review of correct answers and rationale
- ✓ UNLIMITED Support, Encouragement and Networking!

*Evaluation comments from past participants:*

*"Review course was awesome! This will be great assist for taking my ACRN exam. Job well done!"*

*"The course was VERY worth it!! Thanks so much for taking the time to put together such great resource materials for HIV/AIDS nursing!"*

*"I loved it and will gladly attend again. Everyone was very approachable, helpful and friendly. Thank you so much!"*

*"All RN's in HIV should take this course & exam! Thank you!"*

*"Speakers did a great job of holding interest & emphasizing important points. Found the practice test a useful guide for future study. [I] thought the course, study materials and food were a bargain!!"*



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ACRN REVIEW 2013

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# ACRN REVIEW COURSE

## OCTOBER 4-5, 2013

### COURSE GOAL & OBJECTIVES

The purpose of this program is to provide nurses with an organized review in preparation for the AIDS Certified Registered Nurse (ACRN) exam. This is also a great course if you are considering recertification!

1. To assist nurses in preparation for the ACRN exam by reviewing content in the major test categories: epidemiology, pathophysiology, clinical manifestations, physical exam, disease process, mental health and medication therapy.
2. To provide a review of the nursing processes involved in providing comprehensive care to the HIV infected patient.
3. To provide test taking strategies for the ACRN Exam.
4. To take practice test and provide full review of correct answers with rationale.

### AGENDA TOPICS

#### Day 1

- Test Taking Strategies
- Epidemiology
- Ethical, Legal, Professional and Institutional Issues
- Psychosocial Issues (Mental Health Nursing)
- Pathogenesis
- Antiretrovirals: Medication Review
- Opportunistic Infections
- Pediatric HIV Clinical Manifestations
- Care & Treatment of Pregnant Women
- Reduction of Perinatal Transmission

#### Day 2

- Special Populations
- Clinical Manifestations & Symptom Management
- Test Taking Strategies Part 2
- Practice Test
- Test Review & Rationale

### COURSE FACULTY

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### **Course Fee: \$175**

Includes course materials & textbook  
Breakfast and lunch will be provided

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