

# Advanced Trauma Care for Nurses®

Sponsored by the Society of Trauma Nurses



The ATCN Course is taught with approved Advanced Trauma Life Support® (ATLS) courses sponsored by the American College of Surgeons (ACS). ATCN is designed for the experienced nurse who is looking to advance their trauma expertise through critical thinking skills.

Benefits of the ATCN Course include an educational, team building, collaborative, synchronized approach to trauma care. Physicians and nurses caring for trauma patients have the opportunity to share a common language and approach to trauma care.



## **ATCN Nursing Skill Stations:**

- Initial Assessment and Management
- Airway and Ventilatory Management
- Hemorrhagic Shock
- Musculoskeletal and Spinal Trauma
- Head Trauma
- Pediatric Trauma

# ATCN Student Course Types Traditional two day: 17.5 CEs

Taught in conjunction with a traditional ATLS course. ATLS interactive discussions led by ATLS Instructors. ATCN teaching stations and testing conducted by ATCN Faculty.

#### Hybrid: 19 CEs

Taught in conjunction with the mATLS course. ATLS course modules are completed online prior to the course. ATCN teaching stations and testing completed in-person with ATCN Faculty.

### **Stand Alone: 17.5 CEs**

Run independently from an ATLS course. ATLS interactive discussions led by ATLS Instructors. ATCN teaching stations and testing conducted by ATCN Faculty.

#### Update: 7.25 CEs

Refresher course for nurses with current ATCN that are close to their ATCN expiration date.

ATCN is geared for nurses with trauma experience. The STN-ATCN° Program *verifies* successful completion of the ATCN° Course on a 4-year cycle and provides continuing education contact hours for completion of a course.

ATCN is currently available in over 41 states across the USA, 1 territory, and internationally in 37 countries including Europe, Asia, The Middle East and South America: all offer both student and faculty courses. Internationally, ATCN is currently offered in multiple languages including English, French, German, Spanish, and Portuguese.

For more information about coordinating ATCN at your institution or to find a course near you visit <a href="https://www.traumanurses.org/atcn">https://www.traumanurses.org/atcn</a>.



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