

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES:

1. Utilizing evidence-based guidelines to promote clinical excellence and quality of care by the APRN across the lifespan.
2. Review the scope of practice of APRN's and examine national legislative issues.
3. Describe the Nurse Practice Act as it relates to the Texas Board of Nursing Rules with regard to jurisprudence and nursing ethics.
4. Identify common GI and GU issues in pediatrics
5. Identify and manage pediatric seizures
6. Review current diabetic medications.

CONTACT HOURS:

*Application has been made for 8.0 hours of CEU's for the conference of which 2 hours will be considered as pharmacology and all 8.0 hours should meet the criteria for Type I mandatory continuing education requirements toward re-licensure as established by the Texas Board of Nurse Examiners. The American Association of Nurse Practitioners is an accredited provider and approver of these requirements (PENDING).

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**Edinburg Conference Center
@ Renaissance**

Registration: 7:00 am—7:45 am

Program: 7:45 am—4:30 pm

VAPNA Members: \$150.00

Non-Members: \$200.00

APRN Students: \$75

Early Registration through

Friday, Nov. 8th 11:00pm

Late Registration @ door: +\$50

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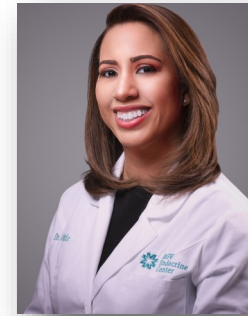
**Saturday,
November 9, 2019**

Agenda

- 7:45 am—8:00 am **Betty Bautista, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC, CDE**
Welcome—VAPNA President
- 8:00 am—10:00 am **Eduardo Dusty Luna MD**
“*Diabetic Medications Update Across the Lifespan*”
- 10:00 am—10:30 am *30 minute Break*
- 10:30 am—11:30 am **Randy Williamson, MD**
“*Pediatric Seizures*”
- 11:30 am—12:30 am **James Sander, MD**
“*Pediatric bedwetting: Yes, your child is constipated*”
- 12:30 am—1:30 am **Erin Cusack, TNP Government Affairs**
“*2020 NP Legislative Agenda and Scope of Practice*”
- 1:30 pm—3:30 pm **Kristen Sinay MSN, RN, LNCC Texas BON**
“*Nursing Jurisprudence and Ethics*”
- 3:30 pm—4:30 pm **Gloria Ortiz, MD**
“*Beyond the TSH: Autoimmune Thyroid Disease*”



Dr. Randy Williamson,
Pediatric Neurologist

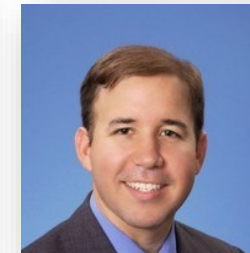
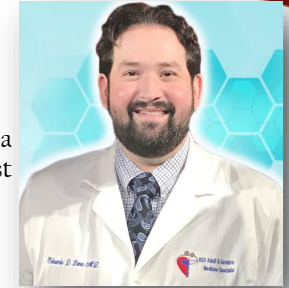


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Endocrinologist



Erin Cusack,
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