

# Call for Editor(s) for Neuroscience APP Educational Certificate Program

AANN, ABNN, and AMWF are excited to announce the development of a Neuroscience APP (Advanced Practice Provider) Educational Certificate Program. Based on a gap in Neuro-APP education, AANN/ABNN/AMWF are seeking Editor(s) to develop an educational program that will address the lack of orientation and training materials specific to the Neuroscience-APP role. This certificate program will be developed as an e-learning product and will be hosted in the AANN online Learning Management System (LMS). The program will consist of online learning modules, knowledge checks, and a post-assessment exam. Upon completion of the assessment, the learner will earn a Neuro-APP certificate of added qualification.

### Responsibilities

- 1. Confer with AANN/ABNN/AMWF Project Coordinator to confirm contributors and reviewers of the program.
- 2. Create an outline to identify and work with additional subject matter experts to develop modules. Ensure all volunteers adhere to the timeline created in conjunction with the Project Coordinator.
  - a. Modules could be based on the CNRN exam content outline with the addition of pharmacology, radiology, examination, billing, and coding.
- 3. Identify and partner with accrediting or other professional organizations to ensure the content outline and program is in line with their standards.
- 4. Participate in conference calls with Project Coordinator and section contributors to address questions regarding best practices, clinical content, and course development.
- 5. Respond to contributor and reviewer questions throughout the content development process.
- Ensure that the material is up to date and meets the highest quality professional standards.
- 7. Review final author content (PPT slides, knowledge checks, voice recordings, videos, and final post-assessment exam) to confirm and ensure accuracy and cohesiveness.
- 8. Work closely with the AANN/ABNN/AMWF Project Coordinator to ensure timely delivery of a final, accurate, and complete educational program.
- 9. Review final contributor/reviewer changes and make revisions, as required to meet the best available evidence in the field.
- 10. Review and select final post-assessment exam items written by ABNN item writers.
- 11. Review and approve the final layout of the program.
- 12. Provide necessary information to compile the application to provide CE credits for the program.

#### Qualifications

Preferred candidates will possess these qualifications:

- Neuroscience Advanced Practice Provider
- Expertise in educational content development
- A minimum of 3 years of experience as an Advanced Practice Provider

- The ability to write and communicate clearly
- The ability to meet deadlines
- Have experience in the development of best practices
- Can commit to the time required to successfully complete the project (the time commitment for this project is approximately one – two years for editors and contributors and one-three months for reviewers)
- A passion to advance the science and practice of neuroscience nursing
- Prior writing experience and experience as a peer reviewer (preferred)

#### Term of the Commitment

The group will begin its work in early 2024. The estimated length of the commitment is 12–24 months using this projected timeline:

Time Period	Task	Responsible party
0-9 months	Program development	Module contributors and editors
3-5 months	Develop knowledge check questions for each module and final post- assessment exam items once content is finalized	ABNN item writers
9-12 months	Finalize production with development company	AANN/ABNN/AMWF Staff
12-24 months	Review finished product, launch product in AANN online store	Contributors and Editor/s AANN/ABNN/AMWF Staff

## **Application**

Please submit the following:

- A short statement of interest (1-2 paragraphs) that addresses the reasons you would like to be considered and specifies your areas of interest and expertise. This statement of interest will also serve as a professional writing sample.
- A current condensed curriculum vitae that includes only
  - (1) your current position and title, with your contact information.
  - (2) the professional organizations in which you hold membership.
  - (3) the number of years you have worked in neuroscience nursing, including specific years of Advanced Practice Provider experience.
  - (4) list any management of online learning project development you've had in the past 10 years.
  - (5) the titles and dates of no more than 5 lectures or presentations you have given (if you have given more than 5 presentations, select the top 5 in the field of neuroscience).

Applications should be sent to Rita Norte, AANN Education Manager, at <a href="mailto:rnorte@aann.org">rnorte@aann.org</a> on or before Friday, March 22, 2024. Successful applicants will be notified directly by e-mail and a virtual or phone interview may be requested. A stipend will be provided for the Editor or Co-Editors.