

MONA/MONL NURSE LEADERSHIP FORUM

Leading with Humanity: Building a Culture that Supports Nurses



August 12, 2026 | Capital Bluffs Event Center

AGENDA

8:00 am	Registration Open Visit Exhibitors
9:00 am	Welcome
9:15 – 10:15 am	Pursuing Professionalism Requires Intentionally Designed Systems and Accountable Professionals (1.0 contact hr) <i>Allison Suttle MD, MBA, FACOG</i>
10:15 am	Networking Break – Visit Exhibits
10:30 am – 12 pm	Trauma-Informed Leadership: A Facilitative Approach to Empowerment (1.5 contact hrs) <i>Andrea Routh JD and Kathleen Harnish McKune MBA</i>
12:00 pm	Lunch – provided Networking Break – Visit Exhibits
1:00 – 2:00 pm	From Burnout to Belonging: Rebuilding a Culture of Care through Empathy (1.0 contact hr) <i>Dr. Nicole Price</i>
2:00 pm	Networking Break – Last Chance to Visit Exhibits
2:15 – 3:15 pm	The Science of Health Care Well-Being: Caring for Nurses, Strengthening Health Care (1.0 contact hr) <i>Shelly Farnan PsyD</i>
3:15 pm	Complete Online Evaluation (0.25 contact hrs)
3:30 pm	Adjourn

DISCLOSURES

- **Criteria for Awarding Contact Hours** – To receive nursing contact hours, attendees must pre-register, participate in all of the live, in-person educational sessions, and complete the online evaluation. The link to the online evaluation will be emailed to participants (to the email address provided at registration) upon conclusion of the activity.
- **Contact Hours** – Participants meeting the successful completion requirements will receive 4.75 contact hours.
- **Relevant Financial Relationships** – This educational activity does not include any content that relates to the products or services of an ineligible company/organization, which would require identification and mitigation.
- **Joint Provider** – This conference was jointly provided by the Missouri Nurses Association, as a part of VTL Solutions/VTL Center for Professional Development, and the Missouri Organization of Nurse Leaders.

What is VTL Center for Professional Development? The Kansas State Nurses Association, Missouri Nurses Association and Nebraska Nurses Association formed a collaborative, namely the Midwest Multistate Division (Midwest MSD), which was renamed VTL Solutions in 2025, with the goal of promoting efficiencies and growth. As part of this collaborative, the VTL Center for Professional Development (Center for PD) was formed, which is accredited as an ANCC approver and provider of NCPD, to address the educational needs of nurses in each participating state.

VTL Center for Professional Development is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses' Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.