

Logo drive:
Are you creative and artistic?
Your idea could be right here!

All great teams need a logo and so do ours! Get creative and enter our logo contest. Winner will get a super fun surprise gift! Submit ideas through our email below!

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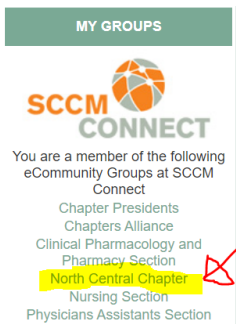
What's Happening...

Hello!

From the leadership team of the North Central Chapter! We're excited about this year and are looking to be an avenue for education and networking for our members!



Membership drive: We currently have 133 members in our chapter and are looking to add more. The member who recruits the most new members will win a cozy SCCM fleece! New members can join the chapter for \$45/year, or for a little more, SCCM which has additional perks!



SCCM Connect: Check out this online community found in your "My.SCCM.org"

This is an awesome place to advertise local events and find out what's happening in our SCCM community. You can meet and interact with other members of your sections, chapters, and work groups. It's easy to use, just log-in and have fun!

Bringing Education to Our Communities

"Start where you are. Use what you have. Do what you can." **Arthur Ashe**

We have a plethora of critical care topic experts in our chapter. The North Central Chapter is committed to sharing knowledge and creating a platform for this learning to be available to our rural communities. Contact Erin Brokl (contact information on the left) if you have a critical care topic you're passionate about sharing with others. There is plenty of opportunity. We can webcast from anywhere! You are welcome to use a presentation you have given locally! We can learn from each others' expertise so everyone is encouraged to speak!

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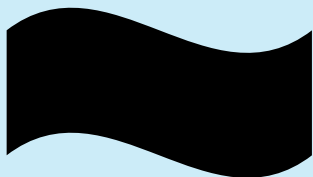
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COVID 19

Follow the CDC updates
and

WASH YOUR HANDS!

[https://www.cdc.gov/
coronavirus/index.html](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/index.html)



"To teach is to learn twice." Joseph Joubert

Do you have a topic to present for one of our upcoming webcasts?

May: Pharmacy topic

June: TBD

July: Nneka Sederstrom, Ethics

August: TBD

September: TBD

October: Melissa Brunsvold, ECMO

November: TBD

Social Media Links: Follow us on our facebook and twitter profiles! Thank you John Parker for spearheading this new initiative!

@NorthCenSCCM - Twitter
NorthCentralSCCM - Facebook

Opportunities Abound!

As our chapter becomes busier, we need your help! We can get more done together if we share the work. Can you help? We are still looking for the following commitment from a few members:

- ◇ **Chapter Treasurer**
- ◇ **Iowa Representative Board Member**
- ◇ **Wisconsin Representative Board Member**
- ◇ **South Dakota Representative Board Member**
- ◇ **North Dakota Representative Board Member**
- ◇ **Chapter FCCS coordinator**

Your events: feel free to disseminate your events via this newsletter, SCCM connect and/or our chapter email. We will happily assist in spreading the word.

Your ideas: We want to work for you! Please reach out to anyone above to let us know how we can best serve you.

Your Newsletter!

This is your new communication tool. Feel free to share it information found here with your colleagues. More importantly, please send ideas of what you'd like to see (ie critical new journal article synopsis, promotions, job advertisement, difficult diagnostic cases, regional best practices, etc). Help to make this newsletter as useful as possible.