1199/SEIU League of Registered Nurses Office of Continuing Education fosters the professional growth and development of its RN members and the nursing community at large. We are committed to providing quality need-specific continuing education programs that are reflective of current issues and trends in healthcare and nursing.

**PURPOSE** This 4-day Educational Activity provides a comprehensive didactic curriculum and is being presented by 1199 Office of Continuing Education primarily for nurses who currently work in a Hemodialysis Unit and/or Renal Unit. It is an excellent program for nurses preparing to sit for the National Certification Exam for Nephrology Nursing. Should we have space available after we have accommodated those nurses working in Hemodialysis, we will consider nurses who are working in other units and considering transferring into Hemodialysis. This educational activity is designed for experienced hemodialysis RNs’ who are preparing to sit for the National Certification Examination in Nephrology Nursing or wish to acquire the didactic classroom requirement in preparation to work in a Hemodialysis Unit.

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**YOUR INSTRUCTOR:** Marjory David, RNC, CNN, MSN, CNS, FNP
Ms. David is an expert in Hemodialysis having many years of “hands on” experience as a Nephrology Nurse, and in her current job for 20 years as Assistant Head Nurse of an In-patient Acute Hemodialysis Unit. She was an instructor for four years at Nassau BOCES where she taught their Hemodialysis Technician Certification Program. She also practices as a Family Nurse Practitioner in a Pre-Surgical Admission, Emergency Room settings and Outpatient Dialysis clinic. Ms David consults Outpatient Dialysis Units in preparation for their Department of Health Surveys and reviews Policies and Procedures manual to comply with the New Conditions for Coverage. She is an AHA, BLS and PALS instructor and is Board Certified Medical/Surgical Nurse as well as Board Certified Nephrology Nurse. She also prepares dialysis staffs to sit for their certification exam with 99% passing rate. Ms. David has a BSN and MSN from Downstate University, a Post Graduate Certification in Family Nurse Practitioner from Pace University and a Post Master Certificate in Nursing Education from Lehman College.

### Day 1
- Renal Anatomy and Physiology
- Pathology of Renal Failure
- Manifestations of Renal Failure
- Different Types of Dialysis

### Day 2
- Vascular Access for Hemodialysis
- Medical Problems and Dialysis
- Complications of Chronic Dialysis Therapy
- Patient Assessment and Hemodialysis

### Day 3
- Dialyzers, Dialysate and Delivery Systems
- Water Treatment Dialyzer Preparation & Reprocessing
- Nutrition Management
- Transplantation
- Peritoneal Dialysis
- Infection Control

### Day 4
- Pharmacology and Hemodialysis
- Hemodialysis across the Lifespan
- Ethical, Legal, Political and Psychosocial Aspects of Dialysis Therapy
- Continuous Quality Improvement in Dialysis
- Post Test and Program Evaluation
Registration: *Please read carefully, fees may apply…*

**CATEGORY A:** This is a free course for 1199 RN’s whose employers contribute to the 1199 RNTJSF (Registered Nurses Training & Job Security Fund). For Category A, this course is available at no cost. We do not accept registrations by phone. Please use the registration form below and fax your registration form to 212 603 1140 or mail it to: The 1199 League of Registered Nurses, P. O. Box 774, New York, NY 10108 or you can register electronically by visiting our website to register online at www.1199seiu.org and use PayPal.

**CATEGORY B:** For 1199 RN’s who do not qualify for this course at no cost, registration should be made by completing the registration form below and mailing with full non-refundable payment of $440. For non-1199 members, registration may be made with a full non-refundable fee of $600.

**CATEGORY C:** Licensed Practical Nurses may register with a full non-refundable payment of $440. The fee must be paid up front. For 1199 LPNS, application can then be made to the 1199 Training and Upgrading Fund for reimbursement. LPNs must register by completing the attached form and submitting payment. The form must be accompanied by a check or money order. We will not accept personal checks 14 days prior to the start of class.

**NO REFUNDS** will be given after the 14-day period prior to the start of class or for a “NO-SHOW” on any day of the seminar. The registrant will be responsible for returned checks and will be charged the additional bank fees and handling fees incurred by the finance department, as well as the amount of the check. Registrations should be made by mail, in person or PayPal where applicable.

**CONFIRMATIONS:** We will provide an email or regular mail confirmation of your registration, but we assume no responsibility for you not showing up in a timely manner. It is your responsibility to confirm your registration, date, time and location if you have not received a confirmation within 2 weeks of sending your registration. If you haven’t received a confirmation letter or email, please contact Isabel Rodriguez at 212-857-4315, email 1199LeagueRNOCE@1199.org

**ATTENDANCE:** Participants must attend at least 90% of the entire class session and sign in on the attendance sheet each day that you are present for the class in order to earn the contact hours. Please plan your schedules accordingly! WE DO NOT ISSUE CONTACT HOURS FOR PARTIAL ATTENDANCE!

**MEALS:** We provide a continental breakfast and a full lunch for all participants at no cost.

**LOCATION & DIRECTIONS:** Take the A, E, or C train to Port Authority. We are on West 43rd Street, between 8th and 9th Avenues.

*Please fill out the registration form below and Fax to: 212 603-1140*

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