VISION SCREENING & ASSESSMENT WORKSHOP

September 17, 2021  |  Wichita, Kan.

Location:  KU School of Medicine - Wichita
Sunflower Room
1010 N. Kansas
Wichita, Kan.

Time:  Registration:  11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Workshop:  12:00 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.

Instructors:  Mae Claxton, RN, Retired Health Center Supervisor
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Early Childhood & Family Support Specialist, Central & Western KS

Cost:  $90 on/before September 10, 2021; $100 thereafter

Target Audience:  Nurses, Para-professionals

For further assistance with registration, contact the KU AHEC Statewide Office by calling (620) 235-4040.
Registration Deadline: September 10, 2021

Class size limited to the first 12 registrants.

Program Description:  Designed to provide vision screening theory and practices for nurses and other service providers in public health, schools and community work sites. Participants will utilize the information and skills to perform standardized vision screening techniques for children and youth.

PLEASE NOTE:
Participants will need to print their own copy or bring an electronic device that they can access the posted guidelines during class. The posted guidelines can be found online at: [http://www.ksno.org/hearing-and-vision-screening-manuals/](http://www.ksno.org/hearing-and-vision-screening-manuals/)

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The University of Kansas Medical Center Area Health Education Center West
205 East 7th, Ste. 437, Hays, KS 67601
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Objectives:
At the conclusion of the program, participants will be able to:
1. Describe vision screening requirements for children & youth.
2. Demonstrate competencies in conducting age appropriate tests for vision screening from infant-toddler to school age and special education populations.
3. List common childhood vision defects and identify appropriate test(s) to detect those defects.
4. Demonstrate use of the referral criteria for each selected test.
5. Describe the importance of appropriate follow-up on all referrals.

Agenda:
11:30 – 12:00 p.m. Registration
12:00 – 12:30 p.m. Introduction to Vision Screening, Kansas Laws & KDHE Recommendations
12:30 – 1:00 p.m. Anatomy & Physiology of the Eye, Common Eye Diseases, Concepts of Light Refraction, Eye Health & Risk Factors
1:00 – 1:20 p.m. Ushers Screening
1:20 - 2:05 p.m. Vision Screening for Infant-Toddlers
2:05 – 2:35 p.m. Color Vision, Stereopsis and PassTest 2
2:35 – 3:20 p.m. Acuity Testing – Near and Distance
3:20 – 4:20 p.m. Demonstrations for Near and Distance Visual Acuity & Question/Answers

Participants will be given demonstrations of each screening test and will have time to practice with peers and perform a return demonstration of skills. Equipment and supplies for the practice sessions will be available at the program.

Nursing Credit:
The University of Kansas Medical Center Area Health Education Center East is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for 4.8 contact hours applicable for RN or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0056-0749. Mary Beth Warren, MS, RN, Coordinator.

If a participant misses more than 10% of an offering, a certificate of continuing education will not be issued. Partial credit is NOT given.

Cancellation Policy:
A registrant may cancel no later than September 13, 2021. KU Medical Center AHEC reserves the right to cancel this program in the event of insufficient registrations. KUMC AHEC will not be responsible for any losses incurred by registrants.

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For more information: Contact The KU Medical Center AHEC at (785) 628-6128