NLN Certification for Nurse Educators (CNE) and CGFNS Credential Validation Service

A Partnership for Global Certification









The NLN's academic nurse certification program establishes nursing education as a specialty area of practice and creates a means for faculty to demonstrate their expertise in this role.

Are you qualified to take the CNE exam?

The CGFNS Credential Validation Service assesses and validates your eligibility.





About CGFNS

Founded in 1977 to provide credential assessment for nurses seeking migration, CGFNS International, Inc., based in Philadelphia, PA, is an immigration-neutral, non-profit organization with NGO consultative status to the United Nations. It has continued to expand its expertise and its spheres of influence to serve the global community of health professionals through its programs and services that verify and promote knowledge-based practice competencies. It is the only organization named in the US federal statute to administer visa screening of foreign-educated nurses and other professionals in seven health care fields.

About the NLN

Dedicated to excellence in nursing, the National League for Nursing is the premier organization for nurse faculty and leaders in nursing education. The NLN offers professional development, networking opportunities, testing services, nursing research grants, and public policy initiatives to its 40,000 individual and 1,200 institutional members. NLN members represent nursing education programs across the spectrum of higher education, and health care organizations and agencies. In the past ten years, more than 5,000 nursing faculty in the United States have already been recognized as certified nurse educators (CNEs).

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