



## Charge Nurse Critical Thinking Course

**When:**

October 18, 2023

Program: 9 a.m.–1 p.m.  
PDT

**Where:**

Live Virtual Session

**Contact:**

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**Cost:**

\$150 for HASC hospital  
members  
\$175 for non-acute  
stakeholders

**Sponsored by:**

Hospital Association of  
Southern California (HASC)  
and Flex Ed

**Session Description**

Critical thinking is central to effective task management and decision-making in high-risk situations. In this class, nurse leaders will learn how actively assessing and analyzing information can help them evaluate and improve their quality of thinking. Key principles of any barriers to thinking critically will be studied. The course also explains how to apply critical thinking throughout the nursing process to help staff arrive at the appropriate decision or conclusion.

**Course Objectives**

At the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Define critical thinking.
- Apply ways of analyzing, reasoning and evaluating problems.
- Explain intellectual standards.
- Discuss the feeling, vision and examination models.
- Recognize barriers to thinking critically in nursing practice.
- Identify opportunities for applying critical thinking in nursing practice.

**Who Should Attend?**

Charge nurses looking to develop their leadership skills.

## FACULTY

### **Mark Kaliher, RN**

Mark Kaliher has over 20 years of nursing experience, primarily in the emergency department. He currently works as a charge nurse at Bear Valley Community Hospital in San Bernardino County. Kaliher has experience working with a variety of teams through many years of registry work and critical care transports. For the past 10 years, he has also led courses through FlexEd and HASC, becoming one of their most requested instructors. Students consistently say he's able to take complicated concepts and make them easy to understand. His humor and passion for nursing make each course an enjoyable experience.

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### Continuing Education Signup:

**BRN Credit:** RN License # \_\_\_\_\_

Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider No. 08593, for 4 contact hours.  
Registrations received without BRN numbers will not receive CE certificates.

### IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Registration deadline: **October 11, 2023.**
- Valid payment information must be received with your registration.
- Make check payable and mail to:  
HASC, FILE 1361, Pasadena, CA 91199-1361
- You may be photographed or videotaped at the event. HASC reserves the right to use these images and videos in promotional, marketing, educational and other materials.

### SPECIAL NEEDS or QUESTIONS

For ADA assistance or general registration questions, contact [srogers@hasc.org](mailto:srogers@hasc.org).

### CANCELLATION

- Cancellations received in writing by Oct. 4, 2023, will be subject to a \$50 processing fee.
- We welcome substitutions.
- Refunds will not be granted after Oct. 11 or for no-shows. Fees are not transferable to other programs.