

GENERAL INFORMATION

NFIMR 7th National Conference

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Minutes from downtown Washington, D.C. and Reagan National Airport, the Crystal Gateway Marriott Hotel in Arlington Virginia is called the “gateway to DC.” The hotel is conveniently located for business meetings, weekend getaways, and family vacations in Northern Virginia and DC.

The stylish, contemporary Arlington VA hotel offers a full suite of amenities and services for the sophisticated traveler, including direct access to the Washington Metro rail from their lobby. From world-class shopping at The Fashion Centre at Pentagon City to nearby Washington monuments and museums, you'll enjoy the best DC has to offer.

The Crystal Gateway Marriott Hotel has 3 restaurants including the restaurant mez open for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Relax at the Atrium for a cozy dinner. Start your day or enjoy a late night snack at Einstein's Bagels.

Recently remodeled guest rooms are warm, inviting and filled with conveniences like coffee makers, irons and wet bars. Complimentary WiFi is available in the lobby. You can also enjoy the indoor-outdoor connecting pool, spa and exercise rooms. Golf, squash and tennis courts are nearby.

To make your reservation simply call the Marriott Crystal Gateway Reservation Department at 1-703-920-3230 and mention that you will be attending the NFIMR conference, June 7-9, 2012. The Special NFIMR group rate is \$179.00 single and double occupancy per night plus tax.

Hotel reservations must be made no later May 15, 2012 for special NFIMR rate to apply.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION

A complimentary hotel shuttle to/from Reagan National Airport is available. The Metro yellow or blue line runs directly from the Reagan Airport to Crystal City (only **one** stop) and arrives directly under the hotel. Taxi service is available from Washington-Dulles and Baltimore-Washington. Parking at the Marriott is \$22.00 per car daily. Valet parking is \$27.00 per day.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration Fees

The registration fee is \$330. Registration for participants includes full participation in scientific program and conference materials.

Registration Cut-Off Date & Cancellation Policy

To receive a printed name badge, your registration form must be received by **April 30, 2012**.

Registration forms received after April 30 are subject to a \$50.00 late registration fee.

THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION & NO PHONE REGISTRATION.

Written registration cancellations must be received by **April 30, 2012**. Cancellations will also be accepted by fax to the NFIMR Office at 202 484-3917. There is a \$50.00 administrative fee to process all cancellations. No phone cancellations will be accepted.

Registration Hours

Wed., June 6 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Thurs., June 7 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Fri., June 8 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

“Bundles for Babies”*

It is our plan to also give something back to the community that hosts our National Conference and we hope that **each** conference attendee will help us in this effort. Please bring a NEW layette, bonnet, booties, bib or one piece sleeper that is still in the ORIGINAL wrapper and we'll donate it to a local hospital or other charity in the District of Columbia. If you want to include a note to the mom who will receive it, you may. A drop off point will be located in the registration area.

*Adapted from a concept originally developed by the American College of Nurse Midwives.