

National Consortium of Academic Nurse Educators, Inc. Fact Sheet

If you are passionate about advocating for academic nurse educators (ANEs), creating partnerships with various stakeholders, and strengthening our nursing workforce, we warmly invite you to join us in achieving our common goals in the following areas.

Research and Data Collection:

- Contribute to the research of nursing science and interdisciplinary collaboration emphasizing ANEs' impact on student outcomes, and healthcare delivery;
- Explore information on workload, compensation, healthy work environments, benefits, and recognition within the field:
- Disseminate through participation in conferences, workshops, and seminars to share knowledge, build networks, and best practices;

Collaboration with Stakeholders:

- Engage various stakeholders to improve nursing education, nursing practice, and patient outcomes;
- Establish feedback mechanisms within academic institutions to understand the needs and concerns of nurse educators, using feedback to continually refine and improve systems.

Public Awareness Campaigns:

- Develop and implement public awareness campaigns to educate the community about the vital role of ANEs in shaping the future of healthcare and the nursing workforce.
- Use various media platforms to share success stories, research findings, and the positive impact of ANEs.

Advocacy for Equitable Workload, Compensation, and Public Policy Initiatives:

- Advocate for ANEs to receive fair and equitable workload, compensation, and benefits.
- Collaborate with professional organizations to lobby for policy changes that support professional development and recognition of ANEs.
- Engage in advocacy efforts to influence policies related to ANEs at both institutional and governmental levels.

Mentorship/Professional Development Programs:

- Provide resources to support academic institutions and the professional growth of nurse educators by encouraging experienced educators to mentor new faculty members, sharing insights into successful teaching strategies, and scholarship opportunities.
- Promote ongoing professional development opportunities for ANEs by participating in workshops, seminars, and courses that enhance teaching skills, research capabilities, and leadership qualities.

Remember, the key to success is persistence and collaboration. By working together with stakeholders, professional organizations, and policymakers, we can drive positive change, advance the status of academic nurse educators, and strengthen our nursing workforce to provide exceptional care across populations and practice settings. Come and join us to achieve these goals! Visit our website at https://www.nc-ane.org and sign up for membership.