FUTURE OF NURSING™ Campaign for Action



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Action Coalition Leaders and Key Contacts

The Future of Nursing: Campaign for Action is a national initiative working toward an America in which everyone can live a healthier life, advanced by equity-minded nurses as essential and valued partners in providing care and promoting health equity and well-being. Action Coalitions, led by nurses and their champions from business, education, healthcare delivery, and other sectors, carry out the work of the Campaign at the state, local and regional level. Active in most states and the District of Columbia, Action Coalitions mobilize diverse stakeholders to create innovative solutions to build healthier communities, improve well-being, and develop pathways for health equity. Action Coalitions focus on advancing policy leadership, diversifying nursing, improving access to care and services, strengthening collaborations, and activating the field to disseminate and implement the National Academy of Medicine's report, The Future of Nursing 2020-2030 Charting a Path to Achieve Health Equity.

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