

NNPN—National Nursing Practice Network®

STRATEGIC PLAN

(2008-2010)

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Education: To provide educational programming on evidenced-based practice to members of the NNPN.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop a train-the-trainer program for nursing leaders in evidence-based practice and implementation that prepares them to teach evidence-based practice regionally.• Develop the Journal Club website. Provide resources and article critiques.• Offer two new evidence-based practice modules per year with optional CEU.• Develop a “roll-out” educational program for new member hospitals.• Establish an online method and curriculum for monthly training sessions using some form of telecommunications such as Webinair, Eluminate, or teleconference.
Networking: To provide environments that both encourage and support communication in the pursuit of evidence-based health care practices.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update website according to feedback from the member evaluation done in March, 2008.• Distribute web update alerts via mass email.• Post a semi-annual newsletter.• Begin an on-line journal posting section with open access to non-members. Work group will act as first review committee.• Write and publish paper on NNPN.

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- Continue updating and improving website to provide evidence-based practice resources.
- Send out NNPN poster upon request.

Community Based Partnership

Research: To be a resource for gathering organizational information allowing for better implementation of evidence-based practices, and to provide a consortium of sites for research in care of adults and translation science.

- Be a resource for investigators to consider when recruiting sites for research projects.
 - Add VA sites
 - Add international sites
 - RWJ Nursing Falls Study grant funded.
 - *Impact of System-Centered Factors, and Processes of Nursing Care on Fall Prevalence and Injuries from Falls*
 - Started September, 2007
 - AONE seed grant funded.
 - *Examining Nurse Manager Behaviors Related to Use of Evidence-Based Practices on Nursing Units*
 - Accepted April, 2008
 - Post CBPR section on website.
 - Overview/summary
 - RWJ Nursing Falls study summary
 - CBPR articles
 - Links
 - Educational modules
 - Develop and update as needed, organizational questionnaires/surveys.
 - for example: send questionnaires to all sites for assessment of their organizational culture
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- Give written and verbal feedback to site addressing ways to improve their organizational culture to facilitate implementation of site specific evidence-based practice.
- Report universal findings, with suggested organizational changes, to better implement evidence-based practice.

Implementation of evidence-based

practice: To provide tools, and evidenced-based process, and mentoring to maximize implementation efforts by NNPN members.

- Create/provide step-by-step implementation guides of EBP procedures.
 - Update blue Promoting EBP toolkit.
 - Provide assistance and expertise in designing tools to enable organizations to measure outcomes as requested.
 - Put together Organizational Implementation Toolkit.
 - Data repository.
 - Talk about how to do this.
 - Select 1-2 clinical topics (as defined by the 'Top Priority Survey') per year for each organization to implement (e.g., Measuring Patient Outcomes)
 - Guide participating organization(s) through the evidence-based practice implementation process, including: literature synthesis, available guidelines, piloting, implementation, and evaluation.
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<p>Infrastructure Support: To provide a central facility that supports personal contact, administrative support, and legal structure to maintain and promote the pursuits of the NNPN.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Apply for grants and private funds.• Hire merit and professional staff to support the NNPN goals and administrative demands.• Provide office facilities that support and maximize the business and services of the NNPN.
<p>Membership: To provide a consortium of healthcare organizations through nursing leaders that will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Promote use of evidence in healthcare by implementing evidence-based practice.▪ Provide advice and consultation as to how the NNPN® can better serve the nursing practice community.▪ Serve as clinical research sites for investigation as determined by each member organization.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Define criteria that qualify healthcare organizations to be considered for membership in the NNPN®.• Accept new members to the NNPN by request and as infrastructure allows.• Accept new VA facilities supported by CRIISP.• Develop public relations plan.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Promote the NNPN thru flyers/posters presented at evidenced-based practice conferences.