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DNP, Inc./ADPN Organizational Updates

Stronger Together: Building the Infrastructure for Doctoral Nursing Excellence

This alliance between the **Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses (ADPN)**, supported by **Doctors of Nursing Practice, Inc. (DNP Inc.)**, with the **Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses (JADPN)** shares one unified purpose: to elevate doctorally prepared nurses and transform healthcare outcomes.

While past communications highlighted what our organizations are doing, we want to emphasize how this benefits you: **We are building the infrastructure and ecosystem to support your work, your expertise, and your leadership.** This platform exists for you, but its true power depends on your active participation. While many academic institutions and healthcare systems to inspiring work, those efforts often remain in silos. Our alliance breaks down those walls connecting diverse, doctorally prepared nurses across regions and specialties to accelerate the application of evidenced-based practice. This of this platform as the vehicle designed to drive your expertise forward into national and international visibility.

Amplifying Out Collective Voice: Impact at a Glance:

1. **OUTCOMES Newsletter:** delivered monthly to 6,500+ subscribers.
2. **Direct Outreach:** Over 14,400 invitations sent monthly to engage new colleagues in our network.
3. **Multi-Channel Social media:** Systematically highlighting core initiatives including the [OUTCOMES newsletter](#), [Foundation](#), [Mailing List](#), [Doctoral Project Repository](#), [Doctoral Program Listings](#), [Volunteerism](#), [Membership](#), [Advertising and Sponsorship](#), [PICOTalks](#), the [Academy](#), [Online Community](#), and [Dissemination Team](#) are now programed to be sent every 6 days across Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, and X.
4. **Sustained Visibility for Scholars:** When nursing doctoral graduates upload completed projects or dissertations to the repository, we spotlight their work across social media platforms multiple times over a 3-4 year period, ensuring lasting exposure for their contributions.

Take Your Place in the Alliance

Active membership is the foundational step to breaking down kilos and driving real change in healthcare delivery and outcomes. Whether as an individual or an organizational partner, your involvement strengthens the entire profession. By aligning with the mission and vision of DNP Inc., ADPN, and JADPN you will collaborate with a dedicated network of leaders committed to professional nursing excellent, shaping policy, and improving patient care nationwide. Together, or unified voice amplifies our impact across the healthcare system.

Explore [Membership Options](#) and join today!

Warm regards,

David Campbell-O'Dell, DNP, APRN-IP, FNP-BC, FAANP
President/CEO: **DNP Inc.**, **ADPN**, and **JADPN**

Membership: Building an Ecosystem for Professional Growth

Please review and consider the [Membership Plans](#) on this page.

There are four tiers to explore to demonstrate your involvement and support the growth of **DNP Inc., ADPN, and the JADPN**

Associate: [\\$100 per year or \\$10 per month](#)

- * Access all web services, all sites
- * Includes the cost of posting your project or dissertation in the repository
- * 1 year advertising in OUTCOMES to share your personal story or information about your business
- * Addition to the mailing list
- * Listing as an Associate Member on all three sites

Scholar: [\\$200 per year or \\$20 per month](#)

- * Include all associate membership services, plus
- * Active inclusion of the development of the Academy - inclusion in the planning, expansion and implementation of services
- * Discount for webinars, offerings, and all services offered, plus continuing education opportunities.

Leader: [\\$300 per year or \\$30 per month](#)

- * Includes all associate and scholar membership services, plus
- * Access to quarterly leadership projects and think tanks that will move the needle to actively improve healthcare outcomes through collective collaboration
- * Serve on advisory boards and strategic committees to enhance the nursing profession
- * Chair membership committees for emerging doctoral leaders
- * Provide a PICOTalk presentation to share your personal and professional story to support professional growth and development

Partner: [\\$1000 per year or \\$100 per month](#)

This is a corporate membership to include any and all academic institutions, health care service organizations, and leaders in policy and the insurance industry

- * All services offered in the Associate, Scholar, and Leader tiers
- * Inaugural subscription to the Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses
- * Access to advanced digital tools and educational services
- * Recognition of your organization as a founding institutional partner
- * Up to 3 members of your organization can serve on the Executive Roundtable and Priority Advisory committees as listed in the Leadership category.

These tiers of membership reflect your level of commitment to the development of the nursing profession. Services listed above are the beginning descriptions of what will be provided for each level of activities.

Being a part of this process requires dedication and a modest financial investment. The return on investment will be tremendous when the products of our collective efforts are realized. Be a part of this ecosystem of collaboration to show our collective skills to produce improved outcomes.

Question? Please contact us [HERE](#).

Membership means growth. Be a part of this process today!

Advertise, Sponsor, and Endorse

You have many opportunities to demonstrate your support for nursing, while sharing information about yourself and your organization.

As **DNP Inc., **ADPN**, and the **JADPN** continue to expand, your options to share more about your organization grow in direct proportion.**

**Multiple opportunities are available to advertise, sponsors and endorse.
Check out the options listed below!**

Website:

Three websites to advertise - DNP Inc., ADPN, JADPN

OUTCOMES:

Monthly e-newsletter, advertise to 11,000+ subscribers

Webinars:

Sponsor and support ADPN efforts

Membership:

Four tiers to be involved at your level of interest

PICOTalks:

Experts and leaders share candidly

Career Listing:

Opportunities for doctorally prepared positions

Foundation:

Support colleagues' work to improve outcomes

Online Journal:

Peer-reviewed vehicle to share doctorally prepared success

Click the options on this page to make the most of these opportunities.

DNP, Inc./ADPN Monthly Survey Results

Thank you to those that responded to the September 2026 survey exploring the journal availability and interest. Results suggest that if a journal is included in membership it would be more likely to be reviewed.

Do the responses below reflect your thoughts, experiences, and point of view?

Question 1: I would read a quarterly online publication focused on doctorally prepared nurses' collaboration addressing topics of healthcare outcomes.

50% very much to absolutely, 50% somewhat to not at all

Question 2: Access to a dedicated quarterly journal would provide valuable insights to support my practice and career growth.

50% very much to absolutely, 50% somewhat to not at all

Question 3: I am willing to pay a modest annual or per-issue subscription fee to receive access to this publication.

50% very much to absolutely, 50% somewhat to not at all

Question 4: I prefer an all-inclusive annual membership that includes full journal access over paying for individual issues separately.

100% very much to absolutely, 90% somewhat to not at all

Question 5: A subscription price of around \$75–\$100 per year is a fair and reasonable investment for this type of professional resource.

50% very much to absolutely, 50% somewhat to not at all

Does the result of this survey align with your thoughts and experiences?

**[Click HERE to participate in](#)
[THIS month's survey.](#)**

Important Articles and Links

We proudly list multiple articles written by DNP, PhD, and EdD prepared colleagues. They are displayed on the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses website.

Check out this [IMPORTANT LINKS FOR DOCTORALLY PREPARED NURSES](#)

These articles were shared by the authors, or are public domain. If you have an article or see an opportunity to share a link of valuable information, please make it happen.

Share and enhance our professional growth and development.

As more articles are collected, they will be displayed on the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurse (ADPN) web site. Do you have one to share?

Submit it to: info@DNPInc.org

We are honored to receive and post articles from DNP colleagues - and DNP colleagues to be. Kindly share your thoughts, insights, curiosities, and challenges in a brief article to be posted in a future issue of OUTCOMES. Graduates, faculty, and students are welcomed to contribute.

Challenge student to submit articles. The content is likely to be of interest to all readers/colleagues.

Topics may include:

Informatics' Impact on Health Care Outcomes
DNP Prepared Nurses' Successes and Challenges in Policy Formation
Doctoral Prepared Nurses Demonstration of Collaborative Success
Expertise in aggregate/population health outcomes
Entrepreneurial expertise: How to start and maintain a practice
Collaboration to improve academic outcomes
Including all doctoral prepared nurses to enhance diversity

See [OUTCOMES](#) past issues. Click [HERE](#) to contribute!

Kindly share this invitation with colleagues!

Take advantage of this opportunity to reach more than 11,000 per monthly mailing and over 33,000 in the regular outreach to those that may have an interest in doctorally prepared nursing. Articles submitted can include practice information, opinions, editorials, and reflect work performed in your work environment (as a student, faculty, clinician, administrator, researcher, policy expert, and/or informatics specialist).

We look forward to hearing from you to help publish your work.

The current option is OUTCOMES monthly electronic newsletter.

Future options will include the Journal of the
Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses.

Scholarly Project Repository Examples

Here's an example of a doctoral scholarly project. Check it out!

[Educational Interventions for Healthcare Staff to Improve Attitudes toward Organ Donation](#), by Alexis Acosta, DNP, MSN, APRN, FMP-BC, CTP, CFA from Ana G Mendez University

All projects are searchable by a keyword of your choice, the University, the Category (Clinical, Academia, Administration, Informatics, or Policy), the year the project was completed, or the type of organization where the project took place.

We are now more robust as we continue to reflect the skills and talents of colleagues to help improve healthcare outcomes.

Display your completed project. Now is the time!

- All posted projects are included in FaceBook, LinkedIn, X, and Instagram posts at least three times over three years. That's great exposure for free!
- Show your work to a larger audience of professionals and consumers/customers.

Click **[HERE](#)** to learn more about the benefits of listing your work in the DNP Scholarly Project Repository.

[THIS LINK](#) will take you to the data entry page.

Conference Archives

[The First National DNP Conference took place in 2008 in Memphis](#)

[2009 Conference was in Miami](#)

[San Diego hosted the 2010 Conference](#)

[2011 Conference was celebrated in New Orleans](#)

[St. Louis hosted the 2012 Conference event](#)

[2013 Conference took place in Phoenix](#)

[Nashville was the gracious host for the 2014 Conference](#)

[2015 Conference took place in Seattle](#)

[Baltimore was the great location for the 2016 Conference](#)

[2017 Conference was again celebrated in New Orleans](#)

[Palm Springs provided a warm welcome for the 2018 Conference](#)

[2019 we jumped to Washington DC](#)

2020 was the Covid Pandemic Shutdown - No Conference

[Chicago hosted the 2021 Conference](#)

[2022 Conference was in Tampa](#)

[We had a virtual conference in 2023](#)

[2024 Conference and ADPN inaugural summit to place in Key West](#)

[Key West again hosted a conference in 2025](#)

If interested in future face-face conferences, **[CLICK HERE](#)**

PICOTalks - something new to help us all

PICOTTalks

Professionalism, Innovation, Collaboration {or Creativity} and Outcomes

PICOTalks are similar to TED Talks (though we cannot use that name).

The benefit of PICOTalks is to help generate funds for the Foundation to successfully help colleagues.

The invited speaker offers their expertise without charge, and the viewer is asked to donate to the [Foundation](#) to support nursing excellence.

We are happy to post links in the biographical information included below your image. See the [View PICOTalks Here](#) page archived in the **Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** web site. On that page, view the presentation



Lisa A. Campbell, DNP, RN, PHNA-BC, FAAN
Building Bridges, Not Walls: A Nurse's Guide to Advancing Health Equity in Challenging Times

Daniel J. Pesut, PhD, RN, FAAN
Creativity and Innovation in Nursing: Thoughts and Action



*Three more presenters are scheduled to be recorded.
Are YOU interested in being a PICOTalk Presenter?*

The DNP Foundation assists colleagues in realizing their plans to impact health care delivery. All donations are 100% tax-deductible.

Demonstrate your support by donating today.

There are many opportunities to donate at the individual and corporate levels.

Our profession and your colleagues thank you!

Doctoral Nursing Foundation: From the Classroom to the Boardroom



The **Doctors of Nursing Practice Foundation** assists nursing colleagues in realizing plans to impact health care delivery and improve outcomes. Many doctoral projects are lacking the support needed to assure sustainability. The goal of this Foundation is to support innovation and sustainability of projects and collaborative initiatives, including other colleagues.

Doctors of Nursing Practice, Inc., is a non-profit charitable 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to improving outcomes by enhancing and improving the practice of the doctorally prepared nurse. All donations are 100% tax-deductible according to IRS Code section 170.

In collaboration with the **Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** and the **Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses**, the synergy of all nursing professionals is maximized to realize common goals and improve patient healthcare services.

Please be a part of this process by making a tax-deductible donation that will support the efforts of the doctorally prepared scholar. The intent is to impact health outcomes through projects and initiatives that reflect the education and expertise of the doctorally prepared professional nurse in all categories of practice, regardless of work environment, ethnicity, race, or geographic location.

Show your support by clicking the Donation tab below. There are many opportunities to donate at the individual and corporate levels. Your tax-deductible donations make a difference in supporting colleagues generate improved outcomes and generate innovation.

Be a part of something valuable to us ALL!

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Doctoral Project Dissemination Team

Now is the time to partner with **DNP Inc.** and **ADPN**. Show how your university supports innovation and dissemination of scholarly work. Help your students demonstrate skills and talents that impact outcomes! Check out the [Dissemination Team](#). Offer the extra nudge to publish and share successful projects for all to see. If your program is not listed below, join this team to enhance our profession and support colleagues. For \$150 per year, you provide a discounted rate to your doctoral student graduates.

As a Partnership Tier member, you provide this service your current and former students. More information can be found [HERE](#).

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Online Community

The DNP Online Community has become stagnant and stale. Groups have had minimal participation, and the listing of events has been arduous with no visits showing a minimal return on investment. We will be evolving to a membership driven online community in the future. Please check it out!

FORUMS

- [Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses Initiatives](#)
- [Is nursing a professional degree?](#)
- [Respond to the DNPInc/ADPN Monthly Survey: 5 Questions](#)
- [DNP Education – Preparing for Practice](#)
- [DNP Student Concerns](#)
- [The AACN Essentials Conversation Continues](#)
- [The Controversy of the DOCTOR Title](#)
- [DNPs in Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion](#)
- [The Controversy of the DOCTOR Title](#)
- [Commission's Foundational Report on Racism in Nursing](#)
- [DNP Professional Growth](#)
- [Blind Review if Blind to Discrimination](#)

BLOGS

- [*The Question that Changed My View of Nursing: What Happens to Patients when Nurses are Missing?*](#)
- [*Pick Two: The Challenge of Speed, Cost, or Quality*](#)
- [*60 nursing programs opening, expanding, ending in 2025*](#)
- [*Choosing a DNP Program: Ideas to Consider*](#)
- [*The Impact of Whiteness on the Education of Nurses*](#)
- [*The Role of the Nurse Scientist and Nursing Research within a National Integrated Health Care System*](#)
- [*A Symptom of a Deeper Structural Disease?*](#)
- [*Conference Decision Humor*](#)
- [*Is DEI Dead or a Relic of the Past?*](#)
- [*The Hill We Climb, by Amanda Gorman*](#)
- [*Who's an Anesthesiologist? Turf War Sparks Trademark Dispute*](#)

The Caregivers' Corner

In September our country, and I guess the world, lost a real treasure. We were shocked when news of Dolly Parton's death came over the wires. I was grocery shopping and felt like I needed to tell everyone what happened while we were just out there leading our normal lives.

Living in Las Vegas, I heard the rumors about her health when she cancelled a planned residency at a hotel-casino here. At some point after that, she was interviewed and dismissed those rumors. Questions about her health persisted and she finally admitted she had "ignored warning signs of a serious health issue." Dolly went on to explain that she was busy at the time, taking care of her husband Carl. Carl died last year.



When I heard her say this, I thought about how often this happens. In the AARP's National Survey of Caregivers, 20% of our nation's Informal Caregivers report ignoring their own health needs to care for their Care Recipient. In this same survey, 25% of Informal Caregivers reported their health as poor or fair. The majority of those reporting poor or fair health, as well as those who reported ignoring their own health needs were women, who were full-time Informal Caregivers, living with their Care Recipient. In 2025, AARP improved the Caregiver Survey by including the use of a four-question summary measure of caregivers' physical and emotional health. They used the CDC Healthy Days measure. The questions assess objective and subjective measures of the caregiving experience.

As I consider why any Informal Caregiver would ignore their own health, it occurs to me that much of it has to be about time. The time factor is critical when you are a full-time Informal Caregiver. Getting even the most basic medical appointment can be complicated. You call your Primary Care Provider, who likely defers you to an appointment down the road. Any direct communication about a sign or a symptom is delayed. Once you get that appointment, follow-up testing requires another appointment and perhaps a lab visit or an x-ray visit and maybe even some sort of special preparation for the specialty appointment. Just the thought of all the calls and visits related to assessing a symptom can be off-putting.

The answer for some Informal Caregivers might be regularly scheduled respite care, or even a home-health aide coming into the home for a couple of hours each day. About 40% of Informal Caregivers in the AARP survey admitted to knowing about respite care services but only 13% of Informal Caregivers report ever using these services. In 2024, Reinhard, Tilly, and Flinn reported respite care is helpful to Informal Caregivers.

Our nation's DNPs may be well-positioned to change those numbers and improve the overall health of Informal Caregivers. They can provide education to assure nurses working with them not only offer respite and home-health aide services, but that they are also able to explain their value to Informal Caregivers they encounter in their practice. Once again, this writer relied on the AARP nationwide Caregiver Assessment done in 2025. This extensive survey will not be done again until 2030.

AARP (July 2025). Caregiving in the US 2025; Key Trends, Strains and Policy Needs. <https://www.aarp.org/content/dam/aarp/ppi/topics/ltss/family-caregiving/caregiving-in-us-2025.doi.10.26419-2fppi.00373.001.pdf>

See more insights and reflections of wisdom from our colleague, Dr. Rosemary Henrich. She will continue in future issues of OUTCOMES. Her publications can be found on Amazon using [this link](#).

[View Dr. Henrich's CV Here.](#)

The Role of School-Based Health Providers in Expanding Rural Healthcare Access

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The School-Based Health Impact

The healthcare provider shortage in the United States continues to worsen, creating substantial barriers to healthcare access, particularly in rural communities (Boland & Loos, 2020). Individuals in rural areas frequently face challenges related to social determinants of health, including transportation difficulties, financial hardship, and reduced access to healthcare when compared with urban populations. The presence of healthcare providers in rural school systems can help reduce disparities by improving the availability and affordability of care.

This provider shortage particularly impacts pediatric care in rural communities, where children face multiple barriers to accessing preventative services. Children who live in these regions are being diagnosed with chronic conditions at increasingly younger ages. Individuals in rural communities often must travel long distances to access primary care and specialized pediatric services are even farther away. Addressing this care gap is essential to improving long-term health outcomes in rural areas (Jacobs, 2025).

Given these challenges in rural healthcare access, school-based health centers have emerged as a promising solution. Collaboration between healthcare systems and educational institutions can expand access to care by developing school-based health centers (SBHCs). These centers can provide medical, vision, dental, and behavioral health services to students, school staff, families, and at times, to the surrounding community during school hours. Nurse practitioners (NPs) practicing in school-based settings can deliver preventative services, promote early intervention, and manage chronic conditions in these rural settings (American Association of Nurse Practitioners [AANP], 2025). Additionally, some clinics may expand their services beyond school hours to better provide the community with access to acute and primary care.

The growth of SBHCs shows that many are realizing their value. Knopf et al. (April 6, 2026) reported that the number of documented SBHCs increased from 61 in 1986 to an estimated 2,300 by 2013. Beyond expanding access to healthcare, SBHCs are associated with improved student attendance, better health outcomes, and enhanced overall student well-being (Jacobs, 2025).

The Role of DNP-Prepared Nurses in Rural School-Based Health Centers

With the shortage of providers and complex patients, many APRNs are vital to addressing healthcare needs. They pursue doctoral degrees to boost clinical and leadership skills. DNP nurses add value to school health centers with evidence-based practice, system leadership, quality improvement, and population health management – especially in rural areas where resources are limited (Boland & Loos, 2020).

By combining clinical expertise with system-level thinking, DNP-prepared nurse practitioners are well positioned to lead the expansion of rural school-based healthcare services to bridge persistent gaps in rural healthcare access. The DNP-prepared nurse integrates advanced clinical knowledge with strategic healthcare delivery. In rural settings, improving patient outcomes, implementing quality initiatives, and addressing healthcare inequities are crucial to the role. As Johansen (2023) emphasized, the DNP role strengthens leadership capacity, focused on quality improvement initiatives, and prepares nurses to thrive in resource-limited environments. In rural school-based settings, this advanced degree can support prevention, early intervention, and long-term community health improvement. The health of rural America's children—and the future of these communities—depends on our collective commitment to innovative healthcare delivery models that bring care directly to where it is needed most.

Expanding Rural Healthcare Access (continued)

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Unlocking Growth and Sustainability through Partnerships

Strong partnerships build resilient communities. When organizations combine their strengths and align their missions, the collective impact far exceeds individual effort.

Doctors of Nursing Practice, Inc., alongside the **Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** and the **Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** invites your organization to collaborate with us in advancing healthcare quality and outcomes.

Key Benefits of Partnering with **DNP/ADPN/JADPN**:

Visibility: Showcase organizational achievements across both academic and service sectors.

Professional Growth: Provide clinical staff, faculty, and students with opportunities to share expertise and contribute to nursing excellence.

Scholarly Publishing: Leverage our newsletters and peer-reviewed journal to feature your organization's talent and innovations.

Strategic Alignment: Strengthen company image through collaborative initiatives aligned with shared values and goals.

Connect with us today to explore partnership opportunities.

Partner with DNP/ADPN/JADPN. [Let's create more together.](#)

Reimagining the Doctoral Project Repository

In past issues of *OUTCOMES*, we explored different ways to display scholarly work in online repositories. Today, we are excited to announce that the repository built into the Doctors of Nursing Practice, Inc. website is undergoing a major upgrade! We are transitioning from our legacy WordPress database to a far more dynamic platform powered by **Gravity Forms** and **GravityKit**.

This transition allows us to capture richer project details—including diverse practice and academic environments—and we are expanding our scope! We warmly welcome projects and dissertations from **PhD, EdD, DNSc, DBA**, and other doctoral degrees completed by our nursing colleagues. The new format offers custom display views and search capabilities that were simply not possible before.

Whether you completed your project last month or years ago, now is the ideal time to post your work.

Choosing the Right Repository: What You Need to Know

You might wonder: *Which repository is right for my work? Should I publish if I've already submitted a manuscript?*

Consider how different repositories impact your reach and visibility:

- **Institutional / School Repositories:** Great for institutional archiving, but readership is often limited to your faculty, peers, and future students. It rarely reaches the wider clinical community to influence practice.
- **Professional Organizations (e.g., Sigma):** Valuable, but these databases can be hard to navigate or require specific memberships, limiting public access and potential clinical impact.
- **Academic Databases (e.g., Ovid):** Excellent for academic research, but usually locked behind library subscriptions. The everyday clinician, healthcare leader, or consumer will rarely encounter your work here.

The DNP Doctoral Project Repository Advantage

Our repository ensures your work is fully open-access and visible to anyone with an internet connection—colleagues, students, health system leaders, and clinicians who can put your findings into practice.

Every entry receives a **unique URL** that you can easily share on your CV, social media, or directly with healthcare decision-makers.

Don't let your hard work gather digital dust—share your expertise and help shape the future of healthcare today.

Click [HERE](#) to begin your doctoral project submission

Click [HERE](#) to View Available Repository Projects

A New Benefit of Membership

Being a Member at the Associate, Scholar, Leader, or Partner Tier has a new benefit.

DNP Inc. and **ADPN** are proud to partner with **Nexclinical** to help clinical practices spend less time on administrative work and more time caring for patients.

Nexclinical provides modern practice support designed to reduce the daily workload that slows your team down. From patient calls and scheduling to insurance support, prior authorizations, and after-hours coverage, **Nexclinical** helps your practice stay responsive without adding more staff to manage.

If you have ever spent valuable clinical time on hold for a prior authorization while patient work continued to pile up, **Nexclinical** can help take that burden off your team.

As a member of the **DNP/ADPN/JADPN Alliance**, you also receive an exclusive **10% discount** on **Nexclinical** services.




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**The two founders of HIVE Nurse are:
Elizabeth Miller Walters, DNP, CPNP-PC, PMGT-BC
and
Ashely Kellish, DNP, RN, CCNS, NEA-BC**

The HIVE Nurse offers:

- **Innovative micro-learning cross-pollination transforming nursing CE education, professional development and collaboration across all healthcare ecosystems.**
- **By cross-pollinating insights from nurses, healthcare organizations, and evidence-based practice, HIVE Nurse builds “Hive-Powered” learning communities that strengthen leadership, teams workflows, and patient outcomes - together, like a HIVE, not in silos.**
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Moving from Vision to Action: The Path Ahead for ADPN

The **Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** (ADPN) is embarking on its next phase of growth. Building an engaged membership base is our primary objective—establishing a unified platform where doctorally prepared nurses drive progress on key issues facing our discipline.

Grounded by our overarching mission across DNP Inc., ADPN, and *JADPN*, we recognize that sustainable organizational success requires structured collaboration and shared commitment.

Our Mission & Core Pillars:

- **Enhancing Healthcare Quality:** Supporting and elevating doctoral-level nurses in practice and leadership.
- **Timely Dissemination:** Publishing cutting-edge research and practice innovations.
- **Principled Partnerships:** Cultivating relationships founded on integrity, transparency, and respect.
- **Constructive Discourse:** Promoting open, peer-to-peer dialogue to advance practice standards.

Our mission is unwavering—but our momentum depends on you.

We invite you to step forward, become an official member, and actively shape the future of our profession. Look for ongoing updates and scholarly work in upcoming issues of *JADPN* and *OUTCOMES*.

Get Involved: Visit the [Academy Initiatives](#) page and participate in the community forum at the bottom of the page to contribute your perspective.

Our mission has not wavered, but our progress depends on you. We invite you to step forward and become an official member to help shape these initiatives.

Look for ongoing updates and scholarly contributions in future issues of the *Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses* and *OUTCOMES*, our monthly e-newsletter.

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Dissemination will occur through the **Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** and **OUTCOMES**, the monthly e-newsletter for and about improving healthcare outcomes.



Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses

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Building the Foundation: The Future of the JADPN

As highlighted in past issues of OUTCOMES, the **Journal of the Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses** (JADPN) is taking a major leap forward. We have selected the Open Journal Systems (OJS) platform—developed by the Public Knowledge Project—as our publishing engine. As the world's most widely used open-access publishing software, this platform will provide the seamless infrastructure needed for manuscript submissions, double-blind peer reviews, and editorial feedback.

Membership revenue will allow for the purchase of this online journal platform. Be a member to help defray the cost of this journal start-up effort.

With the software foundation selected, our focus now shifts to building the operational framework that will bring the Journal to life. Establishing a functional, dedicated editorial board and contributor network is our highest priority.

Positions and user roles now open for engagement include:

- **Leadership & Operations:** Site Administrators, Journal Managers, and Journal Editors
- **Editorial & Production:** Section Editors, Copyeditors, Layout Editors, and Proofreaders
- **Core Contributors:** Authors, Peer Reviewers, and Readers

Much like the Academy itself, the Journal's success depends on nursing colleagues who invest their time and expertise. Stepping into these roles is a vital component of our succession planning—planting seeds for future leaders across both the Academy and the Journal. *Detailed job descriptions are available on the JADPN site.*

Aggregating Science to Transform Practice

Healthcare delivery continues to evolve rapidly under political, social, and economic pressures. When innovative practices yield successful outcomes in one setting, those findings must be shared globally. One of our primary goals for the **JADPN** is to aggregate practice evidence and publish comprehensive "state-of-the-nursing-science" reviews on critical issues.

For example, rather than having graduate students independently re-evaluate hospital-acquired infections in isolation, our goal is to synthesize these widespread EBP and QI initiatives into definitive practice summaries. By pairing real-world experience with rigorous evidence, we can help future nurse leaders build more resilient systems.

The **Academy** and the **Journal** exist to celebrate the diverse talents of doctorally prepared nurses working locally, nationally, and internationally.

To share your thoughts, explore leadership opportunities, or express your interest, contact us directly at contact@jadpn.info.

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Links and Resources

The mission of *Doctors of Nursing Practice, Inc.* and the *Academy of Doctorally Prepared Nurses* is to improve healthcare outcomes by promoting and enhancing doctorally prepared nursing professionals. Services are available to support students, graduates, faculty, employers, and stakeholders with an interest in the doctoral degrees in nursing. Click the links below to explore options and opportunities.



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