

May 2021

Advocacy & Engagement

NCC Submits Testimony to House Appropriation Subcommittee

On May 6, sixty members of the Nursing Community Coalition (NCC) signed onto written testimony submitted to the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education. The testimony featured the coalition's funding requests of \$530 million for the Title VIII Nursing Workforce Development Programs and \$193 million for the National Institute of Nursing Research for Fiscal Year 2022.

NCC Sends Letter of Congratulations to U.S. Secretary of Labor
On May 11, the Nursing Community Coalition (NCC) sent <u>a letter</u> to Mr. Martin
Walsh, who was recently confirmed as the 29th Secretary for the U.S.
Department of Labor.

NCC Thanks Sen. Warren and Rep. Bustos for Introducing the U.S. Cadet Nurse Corps Service Recognition Act

On May 28, forty-nine members of the Nursing Community Coalition (NCC) sent letters to <u>Sen. Elizabeth Warren (D-MA)</u> and <u>Rep. Cheri Bustos (D-IL-17)</u>, along with the bipartisan group of 40 original cosponsors, thanking them for introducing the United States Cadet Nurse Corps Service Recognition Act of 2021 (S.1220/H.R.2568).

Events & Meetings

 The Nursing Community Coalition held its last monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 4, 2021.

Mark Your Calendar

 The next Nursing Community Coalition meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 1, 2021 from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm (ET). [NCC Members Only]

NCC Connections

- June 8-9: National Forum of State Nursing Workforce Centers in collaboration with the National Nurse Led-Care Consortium will host the <u>Nurses Reshaping the Workforce: From Crisis to Innovation</u> Conference.
- June 10-11: Association of Community Health Nurse Educators will host the <u>Advocacy in Community/Public Health Nursing Policy, Education,</u> and Research.
- June 21-25: National Association of School Nurses will host the <u>Virtual NASN 2021 Transforming Student Health: School Nurses Leading the Way.</u>

In Case You Missed It...

- President's Budget for Fiscal Year (FY) 2022: Upon release, the NCC will be reviewing the President's budget and will provide updates via Twitter and at the NCC June monthly meeting.
- 2021 National Nurses Week Resolution (<u>S.Res 208/H.Res 390</u>)
 - Sen. Jeff Merkley (D-OR) and Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson (D-TX-30), along with other nursing champions, introduced a bipartisan resolution honoring National Nurses Week.
- National Covid-19 Vaccines Locator Tool:
 - Text your zip code to 438829 or visit <u>vaccines.gov</u> to locate nearby vaccination sites.
- The National Academy of Medicine: <u>The Future of Nursing 2020-2030:</u> <u>Charting a Path to Achieve Health Equity.</u>
- National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR):
 - o NINR Strategic Plan (2022-2026)

- NINR is seeking candidates for the position of Clinical Director, Division of Intramural Research (DIR).
- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: <u>COVID-19 Community</u> <u>Corps</u>



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