



TIME FOR CHANGE

USING YOUR VOICE TO ADVOCATE BEYOND THE BEDSIDE

Friday, September 30, 2022 / 8:00AM-4:00PM

The Henry A. Wallace Center at the FDR Presidential Library and Museum
4079 Albany Post Road, Hyde Park, NY 12538

The volatility, uncertainty, complexity, and ambiguity ushered in by the COVID-19 Pandemic has laid bare pre-existing public health inadequacies and nursing workforce issues. The result has been an uneven implementation of public health measures like masking, social distancing, vaccinations, and increased pressures on nurses with higher patient acuity, higher patient – nurse ratios, vacancies in nursing units due to early retirement, other jobs, and delays in the educational pipeline. Adding to the stress is the loss of patients, and even their colleagues to the pandemic. Nurses are experiencing moral injury in these circumstances when they are being hailed as heroes while still not being heeded. This one-day conference led by nurse experts and leaders in advocacy, government, media, and board leadership will educate nurses on the value of their voices in the healthcare system and assist them to develop skills during break-out sessions to be heard by healthcare leadership, and legislators. This will prepare them to transform the acute and public health arenas using vision, understanding, clarity, and agility. Outcomes for the day include:

1. Describe the unique skill set of nurses to serve as advocates
2. Discuss health-related legislative priorities in New York State
3. Identify opportunities for advocacy by nurses in media, on boards, and with legislators

TIME	PRESENTATION/ACTIVITY	PRESENTER
8:00am-9:00am	Registration and Continental Breakfast	CHAHEC Staff
9:00am-9:15am	Welcome and Introductions	Megan Deichler, MPH
9:15am-10:00am	A Time for Change	Diana Mason, PhD, RN, FAAN
10:00am-10:30am	Legislative Overview	Assemblywoman Aileen Gunther
10:30am-11:00am	Meet and Greet with Assemblywoman Gunther	Assemblywoman Aileen Gunther
11:00am-11:15am	Break	
11:15am-12:45pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS:	
	Using Media to Advance Nursing and the Health of People	Diana Mason, PhD, RN, FAAN and Karen Driskill, MS, RN
	Advocacy of Nursing Professional Associations	Julius Johnson, DNP, FNP-BC, FAANP and Stephen Ferrara, DNP, FNP, FAANP
	Becoming Board Ready - Steps and Methods	Richard Dorritie, PhD, RN
12:45pm-1:30pm	Lunch	
1:30pm-3:00pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS:	
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3:00pm-3:15pm	Break	

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Registration Information:

Early bird registration (through August 31, 2022) = \$125

Registration (September 1-26, 2022) = \$135

Registration is non-refundable

REGISTRATION

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nursing-summit-time-for-change-using-your-voice-to-advocate-tickets-400193458407>

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