

Glossary for Recommended Actions Tables

AACN	American Association of Colleges of Nursing
ACCN	Association of Critical Care Nurses
AHEC	Area Health Education Consortium
ANA	American Nurses Association
APN	Advanced Practice Nurse
Board	Michigan State Board of Nursing
CNE	Michigan Chief Nurse Executive
COMON	Coalition of Michigan Organizations of Nursing
HFHS	Henry Ford Health System, Detroit, Michigan
IRMC	Ingham Regional Medical Center, Lansing Michigan
Legislature	Michigan Legislature
LPN	Licensed Practical Nurse
MACN	Michigan Association of Colleges of Nursing
MCN	Michigan Center for Nursing
MCNEA	Michigan Council of Nursing Educators and Administrators
MDCH	Michigan Department of Community Health
MDLEG	Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Growth
MEDC	Michigan Economic Development Corporation
MHA	Michigan Health and Hospital Association
MLN	Michigan League for Nursing
MMA	Michigan Manufacturers Association
MNA	Michigan Nurses Association
MONE	Michigan Organization of Nurse Executives
MSA	Medical Services Administration – Michigan Medicaid -- MDCH
NA	Nurse’s Aide
NCSBN	National Council of State Boards of Nursing
OFIS	Office of Financial and Insurance Services -- MDLEG
PHC	Michigan Public Health Code
RN	Registered Nurse
SHS	Sparrow Health System, Lansing, Michigan

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Additional Information Resources

Suggested Websites for Additional Information on Nursing and Health Policy

www.aacn.org (website of the American Association of Colleges of Nursing)

www.aha.org (website of the American Hospital Association)

www.nursingworld.org (website of the American Nurses Association)

www.nursingworld.org/ancc/magnet/facilities.html (magnet hospital information from the American Nurses Credentialing Center)

www.aone.org (website of the American Organization of Nurse Executives)

www.kaiserfamilyfoundation.org (website of the Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation)

www.discovernursing.com (website of Johnson & Johnson Health Care Systems, Inc.)

www.michigan.gov/mdch/ocne (website of the Michigan Department of Community Health, Office of the Michigan Chief Nurse Executive)

www.michigancenterfornursing.org (website of the Michigan Center for Nursing)

www.nln.org (website of the National League for Nursing)

www.rwjf.org (website of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation)

<http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/healthworkforce/> (nursing workforce information from the US Dept. of Health & Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Bureau of Health Professions, National Center for Health Workforce Analysis)

<http://stats.bls.gov> (nursing workforce information from the US Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics)

<http://www.dol.gov/wb/factsheets/Qf-nursing.htm> (nursing statistics from the US Dept. of Labor, Women's Bureau)

www.wmnac.org (website of the Western Michigan Nursing Advisory Council)

**The complete Nursing Agenda for Michigan is available online at:
www.michigan.gov/mdch/ocne**