

## Indiana Organization of Nurse Executives

The Indiana Organization of Nurse Executives (IONE) was first formed as a not-for-profit association in 1974. IONE provides a medium for the interchange of ideas and dissemination of information and materials relative to nursing leadership in all practices. The Organization provides a platform within the healthcare field from which nurse leaders may speak on nursing and healthcare issues. IONE provides consultations and direction on all matters relating to nursing and healthcare issues. IONE identifies and defines healthcare issues affecting nursing and establishes position statements on such issues. The Organization promotes educational programs and activities to strengthen nursing leadership. IONE provides programs that promote professional growth and development of nursing leaders. IONE develops and fosters mechanisms which result in collaboration and sharing the planning and progress of healthcare with other healthcare agencies, education and institutions, professional organizations, legislative bodies and other appropriate organizations. The Organization promotes the profession of nursing as a career to the public.

## Mission

The mission of IONE is to be the voice of nursing leadership in Indiana, promoting the professional development of nursing leaders.

## Vision

The vision of IONE is to be the leader of nursing excellence, influencing the future of healthcare delivery systems in Indiana.

## Values

The values of IONE include leadership, stewardship, integrity, creativity, excellence, collaboration, and innovation.

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## MEMBERSHIP

Membership in IONE is a personal membership not an institutional membership. Individuals eligible to be members in the organization shall be

- \* Registered nurses who hold an organizational role of administration/management who are accountable for strategic, operational and/or performance outcomes in sites where health care is delivered.
- \* Faculty positions in nursing programs or educators in healthcare organizations.
- \* Consultants in nursing administration/management practice.
- \* Editors of professional nursing journals.
- \* Leaders working in professional associations, regulatory agencies, and/or accrediting healthcare organizations.

### Annual IONE Meeting

The annual IONE Meeting is held in conjunction with the Fall educational offering forum provides a wonderful opportunity to network with

## ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Associate members of IONE shall be Registered Nurses who are:

- \* Students enrolled in a graduate degree program with a career path in nursing administration.
- \* Members of the Organization who retire from active employment.
- \* Associates may attend Organization business and education meetings but will not be permitted to vote in general meetings of the Organization, to vote for officers of the Organization, or to hold office.

## DUES

Membership dues are payable as of January 1 of each year. The annual dues amount is recommended to the membership by the Board of Directors for approval by vote of the membership.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of the Organization consists of the President, President-Elect, Immediate Past President, Secretary, Treasurer, three (3) Directors-at-large, the District Presidents, and Standing Committee chairpersons.

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## DISTRICTS

The state of Indiana is divided into 10 districts consisting of Northwestern, Northern, Northeastern, Midwestern, Western, Eastern, Central, Central Southwestern, Southeastern and Southwestern. Boundaries for the districts are determined by the Board of Directors based on input from the membership. Each district has a representative/president that attends the IONE board meetings.

## STANDING COMMITTEES

Standing Committees consist of the Bylaws Committee, Nominating Committee, Finance Committee, Legislative Committee, Public Relations Committee, Program Committee, Scholarship Committee, and License Plate Committee. The Committee Chairperson serves on the IONE Board. IONE welcomes members interested in serving on a committee.

## EDUCATIONAL OFFERINGS

IONE provides spring and fall educational offerings which addresses vital current and futuristic topics central to the needs of the membership. These educational offerings also provide a valuable networking experience. Non IONE members are welcome to attend.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Applications for membership and/or additional information regarding IONE may be obtained by calling the Indiana Hospital and Health Association at (317) 633-4870.