

### Board of Directors Meeting Highlights

March 27<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 • Chicago, IL

**National Transition of Care Coalition:** GAPNA will be joining NTOCC as consulting Associate Members. Consulting Associate Members participate in testing, piloting, and commenting on programs and tools developed by the Coalition.

**APRN Gerontological Specialist Certification Examination Study Guide:** The Education Committee is working with the Board of Directors to develop study materials to support the APRN Gerontological Specialist Certification Exam (GS-C). The APRN Gerontological Specialist Certification Exam Study Guide will be available to members shortly.

**Education Committee Position Statement:** The Board of Directors approved the position statement from the Education Committee entitled "Primary Care in long-term care sites: Long-term care sites as appropriate clinical placements for primary care nurse practitioner students". The position statement has been posted on to the GAPNA website comment and review by GAPNA members for a period of 2 weeks.

**Strive For Five:** From May 1<sup>st</sup> until December 31<sup>st</sup>, GAPNA will run a member get a member campaign. GAPNA members who recruit 5 or more colleagues will receive a FREE one-year membership. More details and rewards are available on the GAPNA Website, [www.gapna.org/mgam](http://www.gapna.org/mgam).

**CCTM Core Curriculum Endorsement:** AACN will be publishing the second edition of its *Care Coordination and Transition Management (CCTM) Core Curriculum* in June 2019. The GAPNA Board of Directors will be endorsing the. The CCTM Core Curriculum is the only comprehensive resource for CCTM RNs, sets the standard for CCTM nursing education and development of the CCTM role, and applies to nurses in all settings from ambulatory care to acute care and beyond.

**GeroPsych Position Paper:** The Board of Directors approved the position statement from the GeroPsych SIG. This position statement has been posted on the GAPNA website for comment and review by GAPNA members for a period of two weeks.

**The GAPNA Leadership Institute:** GAPNA is preparing to launch a new Leadership Institute with the goal of developing, supporting, and enriching the skills of GAPNA members to prepare them for leadership roles and opportunities within GAPNA and other organizations that advance the care of older adults.

**The 2020 GAPNA Pharmacology Conference:** The Board of Directors announced that the 2020 Pharmacology Conference will be held at the Hilton Hawaiian Village in Honolulu! The conference will run on a half day resort schedule from April 14<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>. We look forward to seeing you there.

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