

MISSION: The ICN Nurse Practitioner and Advanced Nursing ‘Practice’ Subgroup

To represent NP/APN world-wide; recognizing and sharing developments in advanced nursing practice and to promote advanced nursing roles from a global perspective.

Objectives include to:

- Identify countries with advanced nursing practice designation and registration.
- Identify and support the global development of advanced nursing practice roles.
- Promote evidence-based advanced nursing practice worldwide.
- Encourage the worldwide development of advanced nursing practice through collaboration and sharing of developments in member countries

Values:

Leadership in advancing nursing practice

Support through partnership and connectivity

Collaboration in NP/APN innovation

The Practice Subgroup will achieve their mission, objectives and values through:

Keeping abreast with ANP/APN clinical practice developments by posting papers, links and practice descriptions related to global advanced nursing practice on the ICN APN network website. Specifically, the ANP/APN subgroup ‘Practice’ will:

- Develop country specific practice profiles
- Share country guidelines related to ANP
- Share links to standards and competencies for practice
- Share barriers encountered to ANP practice
- Identify routes to registration for practice worldwide
- Initiate and undertaking ANP/APN role and practice related research projects
- Develop a contact list for questions to ANP/APNs world-wide.