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American Society of PeriAnesthesia Nurses

2nd Quarter Report July 1- October 1, 2016

1. Membership and Marketing -

- Membership- As of October 1, 2016-14,438 members
- Initiative -Membership and Marketing coordinator Rose Durning in collaboration with a Deb Bickford Treasurer, and Doug Hanisch ASPAN Marketing and Communication Manager are in initial phase of creating an ASPAN Perianesthesia Nursing public service video

2. Clinical Practice –

- The teams have currently answered 444 questions from members and non-members around the country and the world from -April to October 1, 2016.
- Presentation- Diane Swintek Director of Clinical Practice presented at Leadership Development Institute (LDI) *Clinical Practice Hot Topics, Educating Your Membership*

3. Standards and Guidelines Strategic Work Team-

- Position Statement- *Perianesthesia Patient with Do Not Resuscitate Advance Directive-* received support from Association of periOperative Registered Nurses (AORN), and American Association of Nurse Anesthetists (AANA). Requesting support from the American College of Surgeons (ACS) and American Society of Anesthesiologist (ASA). Both organizations to presented our statement to their ethics board, and to their board of directors.
- Position Statement - *Air Quality and Occupational Hazard Exposure Prevention-* Requesting support from the ACS, ASA, AANA, AORN, and American Nurses Association (ANA). Received support and interest from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) recommended moving forward with a multi center pilot study.
- Guideline -*Pain & Comfort Guideline-* in review: practice questions relating to pain and comfort were provided to Dina Krenzischek PhD RN CPAN CFRE FAAN, data has been collated and organized, Moving forward with correlational study.
- Guideline- *Hypothermia Guideline revision/update literature review done leveling the evidence.* Once the review is completed Valerie Hooper PhD RN CPAN FAAN will pass the guideline by the original group of experts for review

4. Education –

- Initiatives- Linda Beagley Director of Education and the committee are continually working on identifying new evidence based content for ASPAN seminar series, live web based education, and on-demand web based learning modules.
- 2017 NCSWT Team is offering nearly 100 contact hours for attendees at the 2017 NC
- Education series-Summer-Fall education series has 48 sessions scheduled—28 webcasts and 18 live.

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- July 7 out of 9 cancelled
- August 5 out of 12 cancelled
- September 0 out of 5 cancelled
- Certification Bundle went live for the fall certification-testing period. As of September 27—46 have purchased bundle
- Presentation- Linda Beagley Director of Education presented a lecture at LDI *Conference Planning 101: Invigorating Education*

5. Research/EBP—

- Research study *Perianesthesia Burn-out Study* Researcher- Elizabeth Card MSN APRN FNP-BC CPAN CCRP, analysis phase
- Research study *Acuity/Complexity Rating Tool for Post Anesthesia Care Phase 1*. Researcher- Jacque Crosson MSN RN CPAN phase 1 complete
- Research study *Differences in Cognitive Functions, Decision Making, Self Efficacy, and Demographics in the Preop, PACU Phase I and a controlled PACU Phase I setting*. Researcher-Dina A. Krenzischek, PhD, RN, CPAN, FAAN, Linda Wilson, PhD, RN, CPAN, CAPA, BC, CNE, CHSE, preparing for grant application
- Committee projects- Elizabeth Card Director of Research and committee members updated ASPAN's Research Grant Guideline/policy
- Initiatives- Elizabeth Card Director of Research to explore Johanna Briggs Institute (JBI) sites across the country for dates in 2017 to provide additional options for the pair of scholars to attend the JBI systematic review session
- Presentation- Elizabeth Card Director of Research presented a lecture at Leadership Development Institute (LDI) *Is it Evidence Based Practice, Quality Improvement or Research?*
- Presentation- Susan Russell Vice President/President –Elect presented a lecture at LDI *Ethics: The First Rule for Research and Evidence Based Practice*

6. Governmental Affairs -

- In collaboration with Governmental Affairs SWT coordinator and Nursing Community liaison Donna Goyer, ASPAN has signed on in support:
 - To allow Advance Practice RN's to practice to fullness of education within the Veterans Administration System.
 - To urge the U.S. Department of Labor to reverse a preliminary decision declining to recognize Clinical Nurse Specialists (CNSs) as a Standard Occupational Classification under the Bureau of Labor Statistics
- ASPAN is one of the 168 undersigned organizations and institutions representing patients and caregivers, health providers and clinicians, faculty and students, scientists, policy

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professionals, employers, and insurers urging the protection of Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality's (AHRQ) budget from further cuts and to provide the agency at least \$334 million in budget authority, consistent with current levels for fiscal year (FY) 2017

- A member of GA SWT attended Safe Patient Handling Conference call meeting presented by the American Nurses Association, The goal of the meeting was to determine a timeline to introduce the Nurse and Health Care Worker Protection Act

7. Publications-

- Manual- *Competency Based Orientation and Credentialing Program for the Unlicensed Assistive Personnel in the Perianesthesia Setting*, 2012 Edition in initial phase of revision
- In collaboration with national office staff, Publication SWT reviewed and provided edits to SPG newsletters.
- In collaboration with Elsevier Science, ASPAN is on the final stages of review with its updated Certification Review publication, co-edited by Theresa Clifford, and Denise O'Brien.

8. Appointments- to represent ASPAN-

- Armi Holcomb BSN RN CPAN appointed to Anesthesia Patient Safety Foundation (APSF), to attend American Society Anesthesiologists, meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Pamela Windle DNP RN NE-BC CPAN CAPA FAAN and, Erundina Krenzischek PhD RN CPAN CFRE FAAN reappointed to the Council on Surgical and Perioperative Safety (CSPS) to attend American College of Surgeons (ACS) congress in Washington, DC
- Theresa Clifford MSN RN CPAN CAPA serving on The Joint Commission Technical Advisory Panel- Pain Management Best Practices. First meeting held in Illinois.

9. Nominating/ Leadership Development-

- Immediate Past President Armi Holcomb and Nomination Committee members recruited, vetted slate of candidates for 2017-2018 national board positions
- Presentations- Armi Holcomb Chair of Nominating Committee and Karina Bickerstaff President presented a lecture at LDI *Energizing Generations: Finding the Leaders*

10. President's Initiatives

- In collaboration with the National Conference SWT 2017, met in Indianapolis, Indiana site of 2017 national conference to work on the educational track
- In collaboration with NC SWT Coordinator and national office staff letters sent out to proposed speakers for 2017 conference
- In collaboration with ASPAN treasurer Deb Bickford, ASPAN CEO Kevin Dill and ASPAN Vice President/President Susan Russell, worked on the budget proposal for 2017
- In collaboration with ASPAN Board and leaders and national office staff, the Leadership Development Institute was held in Cincinnati, OH, and we had 140 attendees, and 5.25 contact hours were offered

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- Continue to work with Breathline editor Barb Godden and submit articles for each upcoming issue.
- In collaboration with national office staff Donna Ingram, worked on Winter/Spring 2017 brochure.
- In collaboration with national office staff Connie Jameson, agenda items for the coming Midyear meeting were requested and are being collected

11. President's Travel

- July 8-10 NCSWT meeting in Indianapolis, Indiana
- August 5- Presented at Mississippi Society PeriAnesthesia Nurses Fall Conference Pascagoula, Mississippi
- August 10-12 Budget meeting at national office Cherry Hill, NJ
- Sept. 10-11 – Attended AANA meeting, Washington DC
- Sept. 16- 18 – Attended and presented at Leadership Development Institute in Cincinnati OH

Respectfully submitted,

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