



# **National Alliance for Nursing Education**

## **(A Coalition of Hospital-based Schools of Nursing and Allied Health)**

### **2023 Membership Application**

This is a formal coalition of hospital-based nursing and allied health colleges that receive Medicare pass-through funds that are outlined in federal regulations (42 CFR 413.85).

Here's is the Coalition's high-priority list for 2023:

- Orchestrate with CMS the quick return of the recouped funds, as detailed in the TRAIN Act.
- Work with Congress to remove or increase the current cap on Medicare Advantage payments to nursing and allied health schools.
- Update the CMS regulations for the operation of hospital-based schools, making it easier to comply with federal requirements.
- Create a contact data base of all hospital-based schools to use for policy and advocacy initiatives.
- Create a detailed data base of all hospital-based schools that tracks key policy elements, i.e. composite NCLEX scores, location of students, graduates (urban, rural) and post-graduation job location (hospital, nursing home, other).
- Conduct an updated Medicare payment pass-through analysis. The last was in 2020.

As a member of the coalition, you will receive the following benefits:

- Participation with your peers from across the country on developing and implementing our goals.
- You will be invited to participate in regular phone conferences and periodic in-person meetings – as well as receive email updates. This is designed to keep you current on how the coalition is working to implement these goals.
- Our Washington-based policy and advocacy experts will organize meetings in D.C. with members of your congressional delegation and their key staff and key officials within important federal agencies, including CMS, HHS and HRSA.
- You will receive updated written material about our issues that you can use with your congressional delegations, your hospital leadership, your Board of Trustees and your community.
- You will be able to demonstrate to your Board and your sponsoring hospital that you are actively engaged in efforts to protect the federal portion of your budget.



Name of Nursing College \_\_\_\_\_

Host Hospital \_\_\_\_\_

College Address \_\_\_\_\_

College President \_\_\_\_\_

**Member Representative Information**

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Primary Contact for National Coalition \_\_\_\_\_ Contact's Office Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Contact's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Contact's Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Secondary Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Office Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Allied Health**

Does your hospital or health system also sponsor any Allied Health schools that receive Medicare pass-through funds? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Name(s) of Allied Health school(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**NANE Policy Development Committee**

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check if you would like to be a member of the Coalition's Policy Development Committee. The Policy Development Committee is comprised of members who are willing to meet a little more frequently (to be determined), to help recruit additional members and to provide authorization for quick responses to Congress and the Administration when necessary.

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Name of Policy Committee Member (if different from Primary Contact)

**Other Membership Parameters** - Any member may withdraw from the Coalition with 30-days written notice to the Coalition.



**Membership Dues** - The 2023 fee for Coalition membership is \$10,000. Each Coalition member will receive an invoice.

**Membership Form Authorization:**

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Name of Person Completing this Application (if different from primary contact)

\_\_\_\_\_ Please call me to discuss further.

Name/Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please email completed form to: [Paul.Lee@shcare.net](mailto:Paul.Lee@shcare.net)

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