

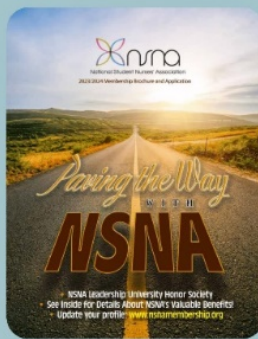
The Shift Report

February 2024



To be a current CNSA Constituent Chapter, you **MUST** have at least **10 NSNA/CNSA Members** by **February 7th** and complete your Constituency paperwork. All Chapters who meet the requirements are strongly encouraged to apply. [CLICK Here](#) for more information. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Sara Shippy at sara@cnsa.org.

Membership Recruitment Presentation



Schools and state associations can use this presentation for your recruitment meetings. This presentation describes the member benefits, constituency deadlines, and membership recruitment resources NSNA has for your chapter to be successful.

Visit the NSNA website or scan the QR code to download the presentation today!





February is heart month and in awareness of this month we would like to highlight a potential career path that you may be interested in:

Cardiac Registered Nurse

A cardiac nurse is a nurse who specializes in heart health and cardiology. In this career you can work in a hospital on the cardiac floor, as a CVICU RN, in the Electrophysiology lab (Cath Lab) working alongside cardiologist in doing procedures such as cardiac catheterization or doing an angiogram, placing a pacemaker or other related procedure. You can work in surgery with cardiac surgeons during cardiac procedures as a circulating nurse or first assistant. In most cases, cardiac nurses work in hospitals or private clinics. But they can also work for home health centers, cardiovascular treatment facilities, cardiac rehabilitation facilities, outpatient clinics, schools and nursing homes. Their duties generally include using medical devices, aiding with surgeries, and communicating with patients suffering from chronic or acute conditions like cardiac arrest and heart failure.

Cardiac RNs generally need a BSN degree or higher. This field is expected to grow as specialties are in demand. If this field is close to your heart then maybe this is the career for you.

For more information on this career you can visit this website: <https://nursejournal.org/careers/cardiac-care-nurse/>

Join A Committee!

Are you interested in getting more involved with CNSA? Are you a leader in your Chapter and want to connect with other nurse leaders? Do you like to collaborate and work as a team? Consider joining a Committee!

- Chapter Connections and Member Engagement
- Image of Nursing & Breakthrough to Nursing
- Nominations and Elections
- Bylaws and Governance
- Philanthropy & Awards
- Legislative/Resolutions
- Convention Planning
- Community Health
- Communications

[Click Here for more information and to apply!](#)

CHAPTER SPOTLIGHT

Do you want to spotlight your school chapter on CNSA's Social Media? If so, please fill out the form below! CNSA would love to recognize our school chapters for doing exceptional things on their respective campus and community! If you have any questions, please email one of our Communications Chairs, Sixta at sixta@cnsa.org or Nina at nina@cnsa.org.

[Complete Form Here!](#)

Downloadable Resources

Did you know that CNSA Members have access to downloadable resources? Logging into your profile on the CNSA website will give you access to a variety of resources. You can now download: **Gender Inclusive Clinical Terminology or Careers Pathway Worksheet**



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To search jobs or post a job, [CLICK HERE!](#)



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Save the Date:

NSNA Annual Convention
April 3 - 7
Orlando, Florida

ANA-C Prelicensure Lobby Day
April 9
Virtual

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