

NURSES DAY — AT THE — CAPITOL

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2019

MONONA TERRACE & CONVENTION CENTER
MADISON, WI



WNA's 2019 Nurses Day at the Capitol will inform the participant of the national and state health policy issues that impact nursing practice, education, and health care delivery.

7:30–8:15	<i>Registration / Continental Breakfast / Visit Exhibits at Monona Terrace</i>
8:15–8:30	<p>Welcome and Overview of Day Linda Gobis, JD, MN, RN - President, Wisconsin Nurses Association Alicee Kerscher - President, Wisconsin Student Nurses Association</p>
8:30–8:50	<p>The Wisconsin Legislative Landscape: What Nurses Need to Know Forbes McIntosh - President, Government Policy Solutions, LLC and WNA Lobbyist</p>
8:50–9:45	<p>Moral Courage: Welcome Alex Wubbels! You may recognize the name Alex Wubbels from a video that went viral in 2017 when she was assaulted and arrested by a police officer for upholding her Code of Ethics as a nurse and the University of Utah's hospital policy on blood draws from an unconscious patient. The video was shown all over the world, from Afghanistan to England to China – and the experience changed her life dramatically. Alex is passionate about patient advocacy and patient safety, and believes it is imperative that all nurses know their resources, so they are empowered to do the right thing. She hopes her story can drive a national conversation and make lasting impact.</p>
9:45–10:10	<p>Workplace Violence: It's NOT Part of the Job! Gina Dennik-Champion, MSN, RN, MSHA – WNA Executive Director & Lobbyist</p>
10:10–10:15	Nightingale Tribute in Honor of Carlie Beaudin
10:15–11:00	<i>BREAK / Visit Exhibits</i>
11:00–11:45	<p>WNA Public Policy Agenda and Priorities for 2019–2020 Biennium <i>Overview of WNA Public Policy Agenda</i> Christina Eliason, RN – Staff Nurse, Gundersen Health System – La Crosse <i>Faculty Shortage</i> Linda Young, PhD, RN, CNE, CFLE - Dean, College of Nursing and Health Sciences, UW-Eau Claire <i>Preservation of the Nursing Workforce Survey</i> Barbara Nichols, PhD(H), MS, RN, FAAN - Executive Director, Wisconsin Center for Nursing <i>APRN Modernization Act</i> Gina Dennik-Champion</p>
11:45–12:30	<p>Your Meeting with Your Legislator: Preparation to Evaluation Gina Dennik-Champion and Forbes McIntosh</p>

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12:30–12:45 *Pre-Ordered Brown Bag Lunch Pickup (otherwise lunch on your own)*

12:45–4:00 **Scheduled Visits with Legislators at the Capitol or Monona Terrace**

WNA scheduled appointments with legislators for all registrants. Attendees will be informed of appointment times/locations at the conference.

Debrief with WNA Public Policy Council members at **Monona Terrace** following your appointment(s), exchange your completed 'Report' for a **Certificate of Completion** documenting 3.25 contact hours of Continuing Nursing Education credit.

CNE Certificate can only be obtained at Monona Terrace on the day of the conference - no online evaluation option is available.

3:00–5:00 **Meet and Greet with Alex Wubbels!**

Prior registration is required to attend this event at Monona Terrace. A limited number of tickets will be available "day of" at the conference registration desk.