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## **WNA’s 2023 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.

### AGENDA

<b>7:15AM</b>	<i>Registration / Continental Breakfast / Visit with Exhibitors at <b>Monona Terrace</b></i>
<b>8:15 AM</b>	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b> Elizabeth Markham, PhD, RN – <i>President, Wisconsin Nurses Association</i> Nora Simani, BSN Student – <i>President, Wisconsin Student Nurses Association; President, Edgewood College Student Nurses Association</i>
<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Keynote Address: Can You See Yourself in Politics?</b> Sara Rodriguez, MSN, MPH, RN – <i>Wisconsin Lieutenant Governor</i>
<b>8:50 AM</b>	<b>Nursing’s Voice in the Legislature: It Matters!</b> <b>Tracy Zvenyach, PhD, MS, RN</b> – <i>WNA Public Policy Council; Director of Policy Strategy &amp; Alliance at the Obesity Action Coalition and Adjunct Assistant Professor, Georgetown University</i> <b>Roberta Pawlak, PhD, RN, NEA-BC</b> – <i>WNA Public Policy Council; Clinical Professor, UW-Madison School of Nursing and Professor, Edgewood College</i> <b>Rene Buenzow, APNP-C, ARNP-C, DNP/PMHNP Student</b> – <i>WNA Public Policy Council; APNP-C Primary Care, GHC SCW Capitol Clinic</i>
<b>9:30 AM</b>	<i>BREAK / Visit with Exhibitors</i>
<b>10:15 AM</b>	<b>Talk to Me: Tips for Communicating Effectively with Legislators</b> <b>Bob Welch (moderator)</b> – <i>Founder and President, The Welch Group; WNA Lobbyist</i> <b>Rachael Cabral-Guevara, FNP-BC</b> – <i>Wisconsin State Senator, District 19</i> <b>Kelda Roys, JD</b> – <i>Wisconsin State Senator, District 24</i>
<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Legislative Priorities: Addressing the Nursing Shortage in Wisconsin</b> <b>Linda K. Young, RN, PhD, CNE, FAAN</b> – <i>Dean Emeriti, UW-Eau Claire College of Nursing and Health Sciences</i> <b>Gina Dennik-Champion, MSN, MSHA, RN</b> – <i>Executive Director, Wisconsin Nurses Association; WNA Lobbyist</i>
<b>11:30 AM</b>	<b>Preparing for Scheduled Legislator Meetings</b> <b>Gina Dennik-Champion, MSN, MSHA, RN</b> – <i>Executive Director, Wisconsin Nurses Association; WNA Lobbyist</i> <b>WNA Public Policy Council Members</b>
<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>Morning Program Ends</b> — <i>Pick up pre-ordered <b>Box Lunches</b>, or <b>Lunch on your own</b></i>
<b>12:30 – 4:30 PM</b>	<b>Meetings with Legislators — State Capitol</b>
<b>12:30 – 4:30 PM</b>	<b>Debrief on Legislator Meetings/pick up Certificate of Attendance — State Capitol Hearing Room (330 Southwest)</b>

**Continuing Education Credit** - Certificates of Attendance will be issued only to those participants who complete their scheduled visit(s) with legislators and turn in a completed paper 'Report' of their meeting(s) at the debriefing station at the Capitol (Room 330 Southwest). Certificates of Attendance will not be awarded for attending the morning educational sessions only.

There are no continuing education contact hours offered for this activity.

**FOR PROGRAM HANDOUTS AND ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**  
[wisconsinnurses.org](http://wisconsinnurses.org) > Events > Nurses Day at the Capitol