


TEXAS NURSE PRACTITIONERS

Texas Nurse Practitioners




2016


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Mission Statement

The voice of Texas Nurse Practitioners
dedicated to improving patient access to
quality health care.


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Value Statement:

- Ethics and integrity in governance, practice and the profession
- Focus on member needs
- Respect for diversity and inclusivity
- Collaboration to benefit NPs
- Unrelenting advocacy for improving health care



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Goals


Membership
TNP will unify all segments of the profession to advance and promote nurse practitioners.

Government Action/Advocacy:
TNP will sustain and build its influence to advance nurse practitioners.

Education, Conferences & Resources:
TNP will be the respected resource of knowledge for NPs.

Public & Professional Relations:
TNP will increase awareness of the profession and benefits in Texas.


Organizational Excellence
TNP will be positioned as the primary association for NPs in Texas.



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2015-2016 TNP Board of Directors

Officers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jan Zdanuk, President • Michael Hazel, Past-President • Sheri Innerarity, Vice President • Robert Metzger, Treasurer • Christy Blanco, Secretary 	Regional Representatives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patricia Simpson, Abilene/San Angelo • Holly Jeffreys, Amarillo • Shelagh Larson, Arl/FW/Wichita Falls • Anna Jessup, Austin • Cindy Weston, Bryan/College Station • Cristi Day, Victoria/Corpus • Peggy Ostrander, Dallas/Denton • Jaqueline McCoy, El Paso • Vacant, Galveston/Beaumont • Elizabeth Gigliotti, Houston • Shelia Williams, Northeast • Kay Rowlett Hatton, South Plains • Betty Bautista, Rio Grande Valley • Shelly Culver, Waco/Temple • Peggy Francis, San Antonio
Liaisons <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alison Mitchell, AANP • Steve Branham, TNPF • Michael Hazel, BON APRN Committee 	



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TNP Staff

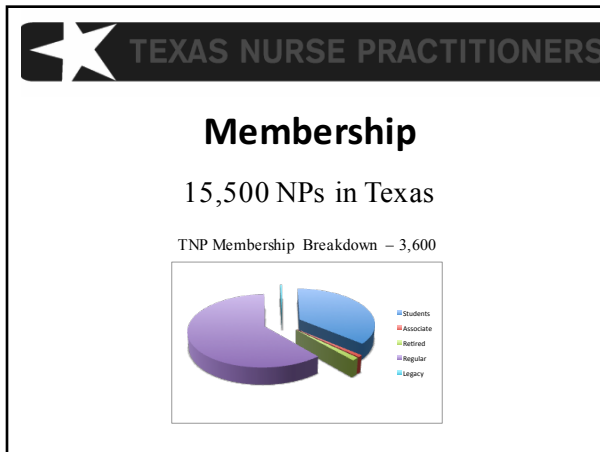





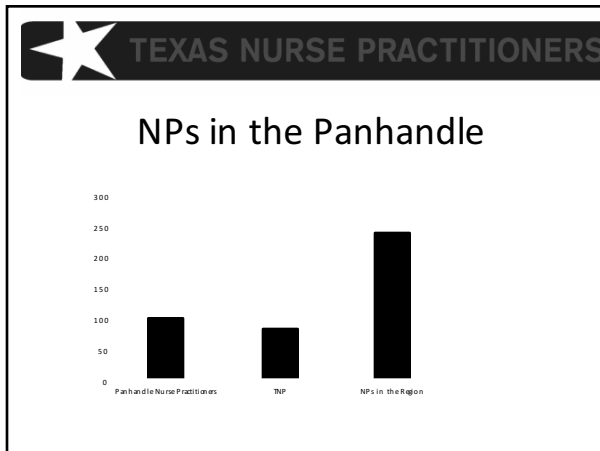
Emily Eastin,
Executive Director

Erin Cusack,
Associate Director
of Public Affairs

Stephanie Lee,
Member
Services/Marketing
Manager

Jan Allen
Contract, Meeting
Planner





Membership Dues

Legacy Member: \$1,200.00
Lifetime membership currently being offered as a trial period for one-year. All graduates from a nurse practitioner program. Regular members shall pay annual dues, may vote, hold elected or appointed office and serve on committees.

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Student Member: \$60.00
A registered nurse currently enrolled in a NP program. Student members shall pay dues, may have a voice in discussions, and may serve as non-elected committee chairs but may not vote or serve as officers.

Retired Member: \$75.00
A nurse practitioner who has retired from active practice. Retired members shall pay annual dues, may vote, hold elected or appointed office and serve on committees.

Associate Member: \$110.00
A licensed nurse who is interested in promoting and supporting the purposes and goals of TNP. Associate members shall pay dues, may have a voice in discussions and serve as committee members but may not vote or serve as officers.



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Membership Promotion

First Year NP Student Member: Free

A registered nurse currently enrolled in the first year of a NP program is eligible for free membership.

Legacy Membership: \$1,200


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Membership Communications

- Direct Emails
- Website – News Section
- Weekly Newsletter (*TNPE-News Flash*)
- Quarterly TNP News (*TNP News*)
- Facebook Posts
- Twitter Tweets
- YouTube
- LinkedIn




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Member Benefits

Resources

- Online CE Center - TNP has added online CE as a new member benefit, in partnership with INPE. All programs are provided by INPE, an AANP-Approved Provider, at special rates for TNP members
- Fitzgerald Health Education Associates, Inc. – Special discount when you enroll in Fitzgerald Health Education courses or purchase other products by linking from the Texas Nurse Practitioner members only web page
- Career Center - Look for jobs, post your resume or post a job opportunity.
- Member Portal - Personalize your homepage with your photo
- Practice Questions - View commonly asked questions and answers pertaining to NP practice in Texas or send TNP your question for review by our Practice Committee
- Preceptor List – TNP members have access to our preceptor list
- Mentor Program – New NPs may request to be provided with a TNP member mentee.
- NSO – Discounted insurance rates
- Member Directory – Directory of TNP members listed in an easy to search format




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Publications

- TNP News - Quarterly Newsletter emailed to current TNP members
- TNP News Flash – Receive National and State news affecting NPs as well as association news and updates on a weekly update
- APRN Guide to Practice in Texas – Discounted fee on guides available to purchase that includes rules and regulations regarding APRNs in Texas
- Bi-Monthly Policy Updates
- TNP PAC Updates
- NP Brochures – Bi-lingual brochures explaining in detail “What is a Nurse Practitioner”
- NP Flyers and Posters – explaining in detail “What is a Nurse Practitioner”
- Sample Prescriptive Authority Agreement (PPA) – as a result of SB406




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Member Benefits

Financial

- Credible – Loan Consolidation Program.
- University Federal Credit Union - Loan and Realtor Program - University Federal Credit Union has a loan designed for Nurse Practitioners. Enjoy a low down payment, no mortgage insurance, and the ability to build equity quickly. If you do not have a REALTOR® relationship, UFCU Real Estate Services will refer you to an experienced and professional agent who will represent your interests when buying or selling a home. TNP will receive a rebate on usage of this program.
- University Federal Credit Union - TNP members have the opportunity to take advantage of all the credit union benefits below:
 - Completely Fee Checking – no minimum and no monthly fee
 - Mobile Banking with Mobile Deposit
 - Over 300+ ATMs in Central Texas and over 5,100 locations to access your accounts nationwide
 - Great low rates on Auto and Mortgage loans
 - Low group rates on home, auto and renter's insurance
 - Retirement Planning




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Member Benefits

Educational

- TNP Primary Care & Pharmacology Conference, April 22-23, 2016 at the Hyatt Hill Country in San Antonio
- TNP's Annual Conference - TNP's 28th Annual Conference, September 8-11, 2016 in San Antonio
- Online CE Center at www.texasnp.org
- NP Affiliate Leadership – In Even Years
- NP State Summit – 6th Annual State Association Meeting – January 28, 2017




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Member Benefits

Legislative/Public Policy

- Bi-monthly Policy Updates
- Grassroots Efforts – maximize the involvement of NPs and affiliates to work in the districts to influence lawmakers
- Participate in diverse coalitions that advance the goals of TNP
- Legislative representative by Blakemore and Associates
- Representation and involvement with the strategic APRN Alliance.




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Member Benefits

Leadership Opportunities

- Run for a position for the Board of Directors
- Serve on TNP Advisory Groups
- Precept NP Students
- Mentor a new Nurse Practitioner
- NP Affiliate- Become a leader with your local NP group
- Submit an abstract to present a session or a poster at an upcoming TNP Conference
- Serve on community/statewide task forces, committees, etc. on a variety of healthcare issues




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Other Benefits


- Medelita - 15% discount for TNP Members on Medelita Lab Coats and Scrubs
- AANP Membership - \$10 off your AANP membership
- Participate in social media forums such as Facebook and Twitter
- Show your NP pride and order your personalized TNP merchandise from TNP's online store
- Six Flags - Fiesta Texas - TNP members receive a discount on Six Flag tickets


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Texas Nurse Practitioners Foundation

Charitable Foundation

Texas Nurse Practitioners Foundation, 501C3, is the charitable organization for NPs in Texas, providing community service grants to NPs as well as scholarships to NP and DNP students.


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Act Now

- Join TNP
- Donate to the TNP PAC
- Volunteer for Legislative Grassroot Efforts
- Visit your Legislator
- Encourage more NPs to join TNP

www.texasnp.org
