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As the national professional organization of more than 10,000 nurse leaders, the American Organization for Nursing Leadership (AONL) is the voice of nursing leadership in health care. Our membership encompasses nurse leaders working in hospitals, health systems, academia and other care settings across the care continuum. Since 1967, the organization has led the field of nursing leadership through professional development, advocacy and research that advances nursing leadership practice and patient care. AONL is an American Hospital Association affiliate.

Our Mission

To shape health care through innovative and expert nursing leadership

Our Vision

Nursing leadership—one voice advancing health

AONL supports the following core principles:

- A robust and diverse nursing workforce is essential to the health of all Americans.
- Nurses are integral members of the health care team and are critical to improving quality of care to individuals, improving the health of communities and simultaneously reducing costs.
- Unnecessary and costly supervision requirements impede nursing's ability to provide timely and appropriate patient care.
- Nursing data is central to improve patient outcomes, quality, safety and the delivery of population-based care.

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