



CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION
FOR NURSE PRACTITIONERS

Chapter Leadership & Grassroots Meeting
Monday, September 26 | 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

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CHAPTER UPDATE

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ASSOCIATION NEWS

HPPC Committee Member Nomination

The California Association for Nurse Practitioners (CANP) is currently seeking members for the [Health Policy and Practice Committee \(HPPC\)](#). This committee is composed of CANP members who are designated to focus on certain aspects of health policy and practice issues. The official call for committee members will be sent to members the first week of October. The committee meets monthly via conference call and members serve a one-year term, following the committee appointment. For more information and to self-nominate, [click here](#).

Advocacy – SB 1375

CANP-sponsored [SB 1375](#) (Atkins) was passed by the California Legislature and awaits Governor Gavin Newsom's consideration. This important bill will allow qualified nurse practitioners (NPs) to provide critical abortion and reproductive services without the supervision of a physician. The Governor has until September 30 to act on the bill.

Read the press release from the Senate Pro Tem's office:

[Senate Leader Atkins' Bill to Expand Abortion Services, Reproductive Care Passes Legislature](#)

Connections

We encourage you to read the latest [September Connections](#) newsletter, including this month's most-read articles:

- [CANP Takes Leadership on Ending the Use of the Phrase "Grandfathered in" in Legislative Arena](#)

The phrase "grandfathered in" has its origins and roots in the history of U.S. racial discrimination. For this reason, the Board of Directors of CANP has decided to stop using it.

- **Legislative Update**
Lawmakers concluded business for the 2021-22 California legislative session, passing hundreds of bills that now await the Governor's stamp of approval, including CANP-sponsored SB 1375 (Atkins).
- **Nurse Practitioners with Doctorate Degree Using Dr. Prefix**
CANP legal expert and nurse practitioner, Melanie Balestra, dives into whether an NP who has a doctorate degree can use the prefix Dr. before his/her name.

Connections is CANP's electronic newsletter, published 11 times each year (with a joint November-December edition), and combines information about NP practice issues, news about important Association developments, and other topics of interest to CANP members. To submit article ideas for *Connections*, please contact CANP's Public Affairs and Communications Director, Virginia Drake, at virginia@canpweb.org.

CANP Staff Update

Welcome to the new CANP team members, [Elizabeth Cody and Hien Huynh](#). Elizabeth comes to CANP with a background in education, and Hien's background is in association management. Both will be working on CANP's operations with a primary focus on the Association's chapters.

EVENTS

Annual Educational Conference

Planning for the [45th Annual Educational Conference](#), supported by NSO, is underway, so it's time for you to start making plans. Registration is officially open - and this year's conference promises to be one for the record books. So, there's no time to waste making plans to join us on March 16-19, 2023, in Monterey, CA. Best of all, we're offering a \$50 discount on the registration fee if you hop on board by December 1.

The conference (both in-person or on-demand, your choice!) promises to deliver a robust selection of topical educational presentations, a rousing expo, and some of the best networking on the planet. This is where the future of health care gets defined. Registration is now open to attendees, sponsors, and exhibitors.

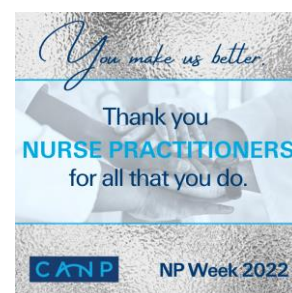
ICYMI: Trauma-Informed Care Virtual Town Hall

Earlier this month, CANP's Health Justice Committee held a virtual Town Hall on Trauma-Informed Care. If you were unable to join us, [the recording](#) is now available on CANP's website.

NP Week

California NPs do amazing work every single day helping patients and making communities healthier. Each year, during National Nurse Practitioner Week we celebrate the amazing contributions of NPs while also educating our communities about the role NPs serve in the health care delivery system. This year, the big week to shine is **November 13-19**.

At CANP, we believe that NP Week has a twofold advantage. In addition to



increasing awareness of NPs' valuable contributions to patient care, it also affords an opportunity to show pride in the profession.

From Facebook posts to Twitter, we'll be spreading the word through our annual *You Make Us Better* social media and email campaign. In the coming weeks, we'll be sharing an NP Week Engagement Toolkit with chapters that will include sample posts, visuals and ways to join the celebration. For example, special NP pins will be available via the [CANP Store](#) for you to wear your NP pride. We'll also be promoting the many festive chapter events and happenings, so be sure to take lots of pictures and share what you're organizing.

Lobby Day

Lobby Day 2023 planning is in progress and details will be shared as they become available.

MEMBERSHIP

Recruitment and Retention

CANP renewal efforts are ongoing with members renewing monthly, as members pay dues quarterly or annually. Chapter leaders are asked to review the list of their chapters' current, suspended and expiring members in the [Chapter Leadership Toolset](#); please also reach out to your new members to provide information on upcoming events. Chapter reports with information on members and non-members can be found in the Chapter Leadership Toolset under Chapter Management.

Chapter Membership chairs should plan to attend CANP Membership Committee meetings. If you do not have the meetings on your calendar the dates are below, and you can email Kristian Ross-Patchin, Business Development Director, kristian@canpweb.org to request a meeting invitation with Zoom information.

Upcoming CANP Membership Committee Meetings:

Monday, November 7, 2022	7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, February 6, 2023	7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, May 1, 2023	7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, August 7, 2023	7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, November 6, 2023	7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

The CANP President and Membership Chair have begun holding New Member Onboarding. All new members are invited to participate and chapter leaders will be invited to participate as well. The schedule is below, if you are interested in participating, please email kristian@canpweb.org to request a meeting invitation with Zoom information.

New Member Onboarding Meetings:

Monday, November 7, 2022	6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Monday, February 6, 2023	6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
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Monthly membership statistics are available via [this link](#). Please review the monthly membership reports to understand who your new members are, dropped and suspended members are, and who is at risk.

CANP will be releasing two membership campaigns in the fall. The first campaign is promoting the CANP [Career Center](#) to members and nonmembers. This campaign will focus on encouraging NPs to upload their resume on the job site and checking out all the Career Center has to offer including free resume review and interview advice. The second campaign will be focused on recruitment of nonmembers. This campaign includes a mailer and social media push to encourage nonmembers to sign up for CANP information with a VERY short application form, only requiring name, email, and phone number. Registration will trigger a nonmember outreach campaign. Lists of those perspective members can be pulled from their chapter portals on CANP.

If you have recommendations or ideas for exhibitors, sponsors, corporate members, or membership recruitment campaigns please email Kristian Ross-Patchin, Business Development Director at kristian@canpweb.org.

OPERATIONS

Chapter Leadership

It is essential that all chapter leader rosters are current so that we can provide the appropriate parties access to the [Chapter Leadership Toolset](#), resources, and emails. If your chapter needs to submit an updated leadership roster to the CANP office, please do so via email to admin@canpweb.org. You can view your current chapter leadership roster on your individual chapter's page of the CANP website.

Chapter Leadership & Grassroots Meetings

The goal of these meetings is to share valuable information and be an open line of communication between the statewide Association leaders and local chapter leaders. Information sharing is an invaluable part of CANP, and chapters are strongly encouraged to have at least one representative on these meetings.

Zoom Meeting Information

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Upcoming 2022-2023 Chapter Leadership and Grassroots Meetings:

- October 24, 2022
- November 28, 2022
- December TBD
- January 23, 2023
- February 27, 2023
- March 27, 2023
- April 24, 2023
- May 22, 2023
- June 26, 2023

Chapter Quarterly Reports

Reminder, all chapters must submit a quarterly report and meet the elements outlined in Addendum D of the [CANP and CANP Chapter Alignment Agreement](#) to receive a dues check. Per Addendum D of the Alignment Agreement, if the compliance measures are not met in any quarter, that quarter's chapter dues disbursement check will not be issued to the chapter. Also, per terms of the Alignment Agreement, checks will not be distributed retroactively.

Below is a list of reporting due dates for the 2022-2023 fiscal year:

Quarter	Dates	Report Due Date
Quarter 1	July 1, 2022 – September 30, 2022	October 31, 2022
Quarter 2	October 1, 2022 – December 31, 2022	January 30, 2023
Quarter 3	January 1, 2023 – March 31, 2023	April 30, 2023
Quarter 4	April 1, 2023 – June 30, 2023	July 31, 2023

CHAPTER RESOURCES

Helpful Tools

- [Continuing Education Request for Chapter Events](#)
- [Chapter Governing Documents](#)
- [Political Action Committee \(PAC\) Information](#)
- [Financial Documents/Tax Filing Information](#)
- [2018-2022 Strategic Plan](#)
- [Google Drive for Shared Chapter Resources](#)
- [2022-2023 Student PowerPoint](#)

Member Benefits

- [Member Benefits](#)
- [New Graduate Workshop \(New\)](#)
- [Controlled Substance II Study Materials and Exam \(Revised\)](#)
- [Student Research Data Access](#)
 - [To participate in CANP student research surveys, click here.](#)