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President's Message

Hello Members,

With the Olympics upon us, I was thinking about the training and the dedication and determination Olympic athlete must have to achieve their goal. I also realized as nurses we embody athleticism in our daily work that mirrors the discipline and determination of Olympic athletes. Our endurance is tested through long shifts that demand physical and mental stamina akin to training for a marathon. Just as athletes meticulously prepare their bodies for peak performance, nurses undergo rigorous education and continuous training to stay at the top of their game in the medical field.

Moreover, nurses demonstrate agility and precision in critical situations, much like gymnasts or divers executing flawless routines under pressure. Our ability to think quickly and act decisively can be compared to a sprinter's burst of speed or a swimmer's perfect dive off the starting block. Beyond physical prowess, nurses exemplify teamwork, crucial in both healthcare settings and Olympic competitions, where collaboration often determines success. Nurses dedication to patient care reflects the dedication of athletes striving for gold, making nurses the unsung heroes whose daily feats of athleticism deserve recognition on a global stage.

So... "Go Save Lives and Love Each Other!"

President, Camille Perniciaro, RN-BSN, CNOR



2024-2025 Calendar

August 28th-

Exodus Medical Presents
**Safe Patient Handling:
Keeping OR Nurses and
Their Patients Safe**
1 CE Credit
Location:
Ochsner Medical Center
1514 Jefferson Hwy
Conference Center
Class Room 3
PLEASE RSVP to
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prior to 8/25/24
Light meal and drinks will be
provided.

Sept. 25th- BD,
CE credit presentation

October 23rd-Iresept

Nov. 20th-Social/Meeting

Dec. 11th-Social

Jan. 11th-Winter Seminar

Feb. 19th-BOD Meeting

March 26th-

April 5th-8th-Expo

May 21st-Social