

Partners Investing in Nursing's Future National Partners

- 1) **Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Foundation** (Michigan)
 - *Nursing for Life: RN Career Transition Program* will extend the careers of experienced nurses in Michigan, by developing a transition/training program into non-acute care settings, such as long-term care, home care, hospice, and ambulatory care.
- 2) **Colorado Health Foundation** (Colorado)
 - *Building Infrastructure and Leadership for Colorado's Nursing Workforce* will pilot a clinical placement platform for the planning and implementation of a nurse leadership fellowship program.
- 3) **Community Foundation of the Eastern Shore, Inc** (Maryland)
 - *Partners in Nursing* will implement a formalized, sustained mentoring program that seeks to address three primary objectives: retention of new nurses, development of a nurse leadership network, and a pipeline for future nurse educators in eastern Maryland.
- 4) **Dreyfus Health Foundation** (New York)
 - *Minority Nurse Mentoring in the Mississippi Delta* will help develop and retain a diverse nursing workforce in the Delta region of Mississippi.
- 5) **Hawaii Medical Services Association Foundation** (Hawaii)
 - *Hawaii Partners in Nursing: Addressing Recruitment and Retention Issues in Long Term Care* will build educational capacity in long-term care facilities in Hawaii through continuing education and training, and attract new nurses into the geriatric specialty area.
- 6) **Irene E. and George A. Davis Foundation** (Massachusetts)
 - *Collaborating To Advance Nursing: Developing Opportunities (CAN DO)* will develop the structural framework for nurses to advance from Licensed Practical Nurse through doctoral level, and raise the bar for cultural proficiency within the nursing profession in western Massachusetts.
- 7) **Mississippi Hospital Association Research and Educational Foundation** (Mississippi)
 - *Mississippi Critical Nursing Faculty Shortage Initiative* will increase and retain nursing faculty that more accurately reflect the ethnicity and gender of the population in Mississippi.
- 8) **Rasmuson Foundation** (Alaska)
 - *Partners Investing in Nursing* will increase the number of native Alaskans trained in nursing, and develop a statewide preceptorship training model to be implemented in all hospitals in the state.
- 9) **St. James Healthcare Foundation** (Montana)
 - *Academy of Advanced Nursing Workforce Solutions* will provide nursing students a career success skills program in order to retain them in the nursing workforce in Southwestern Montana.
- 10) **Ventura County Community Foundation** (California)
 - *Ventura Nursing Legacy Project* will develop a common set of sustainable long term strategies in California to address recruitment, health policy and diversity in the nursing profession.