

Maryland Nursing Workforce Center Update

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Abstract

The Maryland Nursing Workforce Center (MNWC) was established with a NSP II grant in 2018. This presentation will report on the activities and accomplishments of the MNWC in the past two years. Highlights include joining the National Forum of Workforce Centers, development of a website, submission of a Public Information Act request to the Maryland Board of Nursing for information on the current status of the nursing workforce, participation in the Academic-Practice Partnership to develop terminal competencies for new nursing graduates, a workshop on NextGen preparation and provision of assessments to all schools within the state for NCLEX preparation, and regular meetings of the Advisory Board to determine priorities for the nursing workforce. The MNWC works collaboratively and supports the work of multiple nursing organizations and provides links to national and state workforce data.