

# Student Nurses Association

Cleveland State University

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#### Our Mission

It is the mission of CSU Student Nurses Association to provide students with a diverse background in Nursing and to establish a strong network between student, local, and national members of the Student Nurses Association by using the skills and knowledge acquired through clinical, work, and school, in order to fulfill their aspirations and expectations of this organization. Our experienced, knowledgeable and professional executive board will help inspire, educate and problem-solve for our members, as well as faculty, within the School of Nursing at Cleveland State University

#### Represent, Serve, Mentor

## SNA Monthly Meetings

General member meetings will be held once per month. Updates and information regarding activities, events, and volunteer opportunities will be provided.



## Mentor/Tutoring

If you feel that you can benefit from a mentor/tutor to help you do not hesitate to email SNA and we can accommodate you with a peer who can help.

Email: csu.sna@csuohio.edu

### Membership Dues

# Cleveland State University's Student Nurses Association

- Dues are collected at the beginning of the academic year
- The cost of membership for each school year is \$10

#### National Student Nurses' Association

- Dues are collected on an annual or biannual basis
- •The cost of membership for a new, one-year membership is \$35
- •The cost of membership for a new, two-year membership is \$70
- Membership renewals are \$40
- •For more information, visit www.nsna.org

### National Student Nurses' Association

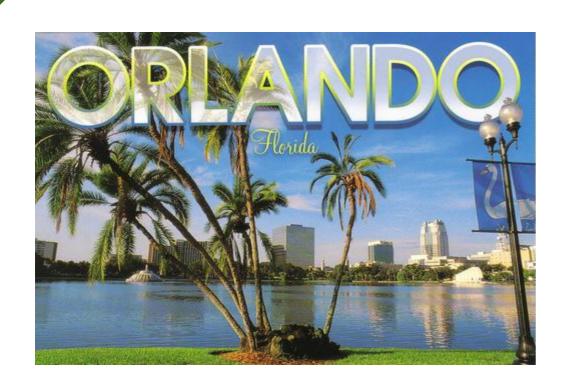
The NSNA is dedicated to fostering the professional development of nursing students enrolled in associate, baccalaureate, diploma, and generic graduate nursing programs. Its mission, like CSU's SNA, is to mentor students preparing for initial licensure as registered nurses, and to convey the standards, ethics, and skills that students will need as responsible and accountable leaders and members of the profession.

Benefits to becoming a member of NSNA:

- National Convention eligibility
- Nursing grants and scholarship
- Access to research/references
- Discounts (clothing, insurance, travel, books)



# Next year the NSNA convention will take place in...





Orlando, Florida!

#### Ohio League for Nursing Education Summit 2015

Enhancing the Future of Nursing Through Leadership & Diversity"

This past weekend we attended the OLN Summit in Columbus





## Upcoming Volunteer Dates

### Help give BPs and BG checks

- •April 20th- Men's Shelter 4-6 pm
- April 22nd- Minority Health Fair, CSU campus
- •April 30<sup>th</sup>- Changing Lives Ministries 5-7pm
- •May 16 and 17- Asian Health Fair 9:30am-3 pm

#### MedWish International

MedWish International is a non-profit organization committed to repurposing medical supplies and equipment discarded by the healthcare industry with the objectives of providing humanitarian aid in developing countries to save lives and



#### Ronald McDonald House

The Ronald McDonald House of Cleveland supports families whose children receive treatment at area medical centers by providing a home-like environment and essential resources and services. The purpose in doing so is to provide families with a support system to rely on during the most stressful moments of their lives.

SNA volunteers assist the organization by purchasing, preparing, and serving a meal for the patients' families.

#### Cleveland Foodbank

The Cleveland Foodbank works closely with other Northeast Ohio hunger relief organizations to supply a majority of the food used in local hot meal sites, shelters, and food pantries throughout Cleveland and surrounding cities. The Foodbank also provides food to child care centers, group homes, and

programs for the elderly.

SNA volunteers assist the organization by sorting and packing food items that have been donated to be delivered to the Greater Cleveland area.



#### No-Sew Blankets for Laura's Home



Winter 2014

### Volunteer Events Completed This Spring

Phyllis Wheatley - 7 man hours
Men's homeless shelter- 10 man hours
Anxiety screening- 12 man hours
Changing lives Ministry- 12 man hours
Food bank- 24 man hours
Medwish- 20 man hours





### BSNs on a Mission: Dominican Republic



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Medical teams are sent to clinics in areas outlying rural villages in the Dominican Republic. Their purpose is to provide healthcare to the poor villagers who have little or no access to medical care.

Patients of the clinics may have unresolved issues and will bring laboratory results, x-rays, CT scans, and ultrasound reports to be interpreted. These patients have typically received no treatment related to these results or their related diagnoses. Some patients will have run out or cannot afford to purchase medications which they require. Medical teams are typically able to provide a limited supply of the medication to last a month or two.

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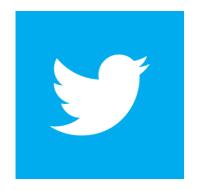
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