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Dear Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT,

The [Alliance for Nursing Informatics](#) (ANI) advances nursing informatics leadership, practice, education, policy and research through a unified voice of nursing informatics organizations. ANI has reviewed the Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT (ONC) [2016 Interoperability Standards Advisory \[PDF - 2MB\]](#) (ISA). In that spirit we offer our comments as nursing stakeholders on the attached ONC public comment template.

ANI commends the inclusion of four new proposed nursing categories to the ISA. We appreciate the opportunity to contribute to the conversation on these important Interoperability Standards and their implementation, particularly as it relates to nursing data.

Sincerely,

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