



## **Nursing Knowledge: Big Data Science Policy and Advocacy Workgroup Unique Nurse Identifier - Body of Work**

### **Unique Nurse Identifier Policy Statement**

*The Nursing Knowledge: Big Data Science Policy and Advocacy Workgroup and the Alliance for Nursing Informatics (ANI) recommend the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) ID should be used by key stakeholders as a nurse identifier to help demonstrate the value of nursing through research and enhance individual care and health outcomes via more comprehensive documentation in the EHR, ERP, and other technologies and systems.*

### **Supporting Documents from the ANI Website**

- ANI recorded presentation: Big Data Unique Nurse Identifier Policy Statement [here.](#)
- ANI presentation slides: Big Data Unique Nurse Identifier Policy Statement [here.](#)
- ANI Policy Statement: Demonstrating the Value of Nursing Care through Use of a Unique Nurse Identifier [here.](#)
- Infographic: Towards Sharable and Comparable Nursing Data - Essentials and Implications of a Unique Nurse Identifier [here.](#)
- A Unique Nurse Identifier: Frequently Asked Questions [here.](#)

### **Proof of Concept Pilots**

- Nurse Unique Identifier (NCSBN ID) Ongoing Proof of Concepts summary [here.](#)

### **News Items**

- HIMSS Website post: [Advocating for a Unique Nurse Identifier](#)
- HIMSS Website post: [The Health Impact of Unique Identifiers for Nursing Documentation](#)
- NCSBN Leader to Leader, Fall 2019 Newsletter: [Promoting the Role of the Nurse with a Unique Nurse Identifier](#)

- NCSBN Leader to Leader, Spring 2021 Newsletter: [Updates on the Unique Nurse Identifier \(Nurses' NCSBN ID\)](#)

## Publications and Presentations

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- Carroll, W. M., 2022. Targeted Efforts Towards Advancing Adoption of a Unique Nurse Identifier. *Online Journal of Nursing Informatics (OJNI)*, 26(1).  
<https://www.himss.org/resources/targeted-efforts-towards-advancing-adoption-unique-nurse-identifier>
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- Nursing Knowledge: Big Data Conference 2021 Proceedings  
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/12nEK6vex4Ku07a2hJD1KZCT07ORFzhKk/view>
- Case Study about the Nursing Knowledge: Big Data Initiative and Annual Conference): Carroll, W.M. (Ed.). (2021). *Emerging Technologies for Nurses: Implications for Practice* (1st ed.). Springer Publishing Company: New York City. ISBN: 9780826146496 Link to textbook: <https://www.springerpub.com/emerging-technologies-for-nurses-9780826146496.html>
- ANI Connections: [Improving Patient Outcomes Through Sharable, Comparable Nursing Data Using a Unique Nurse Identifier: CIN: Computers, Informatics, Nursing \(lww.com\)](#) February 2021, 39(2), 61-62.
- Alexander, S., & Frith, K. H. (2021). [Using Nursys® as a Primary Source for Licensure Information](#). *Nursing Education Perspectives*, 42(3), 200–201.



- Unique Nurse Identifier Recommendation: National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine. 2021. *The future of nursing 2020–2030: Charting a path to achieve health equity*. Washington, DC: The National Academies Press. <https://doi.org/10.17226/25982>.  
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- Beale, N. et al. (2021). What a unique nurse identifier means for the future. *American Nurse Journal*, 16(9): 21-24. [Available here](#).
- ANIA 2021 Monthly Webinar *A Unique Nurse Identifier: Demonstrating Nursing Value*, <https://library.ania.org/ania/sessions/2337/view>
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- Sensmeier, J., Androwich, I., Baernholdt, M., Carroll, W., Fields, W., Fong, V., Murphy, J., Omery, A. & Rajwany, N. (Summer 2019). Demonstrating the value of nursing care through use of a unique nurse identifier. *Online Journal of Nursing Informatics (OJNI)*, 23(2). [Available here](#).

### **Other Unique Nurse Identifier Resources**

- USCDI-V2 Submission (in e-Repository)
- USCDI-V3 Submission (in e-Repository)