

# Nursing Today

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# What is Nursing?

- Definitions:
  - ANA (American Nurses Association)
  - ICN (International Council of Nurses)



# What do Nurses do?



- Respond to Patient needs
- Participate in Policy Making
- Learn from our past and constantly improve for our present and future practice (EBP)
- Respond and adapt to challenges
- Make clinical decisions based upon knowledge, experience and standards of care