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The December 2017 Issue of the Journal of Holistic Nursing will Focus on Advanced Holistic Nursing Practice

The American Holistic Nurses Association (AHNA)’s Journal of Holistic Nursing (JHN) will have a special focus on Advanced Nursing Holistic Practice with past AHNA President, Mary Enzman Hines, APRN, PhD, CNS, CPNP, APHN-BC, of Aurora, Colorado as a guest editor for the December 2017 edition.

Advanced Practice Holistic Nurses provide exceptional care for individuals, families, and communities. They seek to navigate a healthcare system that may inadvertently fail to integrate all aspects of one’s condition and health experience. The goal of this special edition is to illuminate the contributions of Advanced Practice Holistic Nurses, expand the body of knowledge and research that supports their work, and highlight potential for future growth and development.

“I am pleased to be the associate editor for the upcoming special issue of the JHN,” Hines said “Each of the articles provides a view into how advance holistic practice is influencing the new paradigm emerging in healthcare focused on patient centered care and approaches. This special JHN edition will help Advanced Practice Holistic Nurses view the possibilities of practice with a new lens.”

About the Journal of Holistic Nursing

The Journal of Holistic Nursing (JHN) is AHNA’s peer-reviewed professional journal that began in March 1983 and now publishes quarterly by Sage Publications. It provides a forum for caring and innovative nurses in clinical practice, research, individual wellness practice, and academia to exchange critical information, share clinical and personal experiences, and communicate research pertaining to nursing practice, health care, wellness, healing, and human potential.

About AHNA

At its founding in 1981, the American Holistic Nurses Association (AHNA) adopted as its primary mission, the advancement of holistic healthcare by increasing awareness and promoting education, as well as personal community-building among nurses, other healthcare professionals and the public. This non-profit professional membership organization is the definitive voice for holistic nursing for registered nurses and other holistic healthcare professionals around the world. Holistic nursing focuses on integrating traditional, complementary and alternative
treatment opportunities to improve the mind body and spiritual health of the whole person.

AHNA delivers valuable resources, improves educational tools, and offers superior networking opportunities to a vibrant and expanding universe of holistic healthcare professionals. AHNA currently services more than 4,500 members through 130 local chapters/networks in the U.S. and abroad. Holistic nursing is recognized by the American Nurses Association as an official nursing specialty with both a defined scope and standards of practice.

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