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American Holistic Nurses Association Recognizes Jaime Vinson as the Holistic Nursing Rising Star

Jaime Vinson, BSN, RN, HN-BC, RYT, of Fort Wayne, Indiana was awarded the 2020 Holistic Nursing Rising Star Award as part of the AHNA 40th Annual Awards. This award recognizes a new nurse who dedicates themselves to a holistic path, applies creative holistic practices, and epitomizes holism in their personal and professional life.

About Jaime

Jaime Vinson, BSN, RN, HN-BC, RYT, is a clinical nurse specialist fellow and the Holistic Nursing Committee System Coordinator at Parkview Health. She obtained her BSN through Purdue University Northwest, where she is currently pursuing her MSN. Jaime is an Indiana director for the National Association for Holistic Aromatherapy (NAHA). With her strong background in holistic modalities and with excellent mentorship, she has found her passion in holistic nursing, nursing research, quality improvement implementation, and healthcare innovation. She has contributed several articles to both AHNA’s Beginnings magazine and NAHA’s Aromatherapy Journal. Jaime is an adjunct clinical lecturer and teaches a nursing fundamental clinical for Indiana University, Fort Wayne School of Nursing. She also teaches several holistic nursing related courses, webinars, and workshops at local and national levels. Jaime is a principle investigator for her research studies on the effects of therapeutic medical-grade weighted blankets and was the recipient of the 2019 American Holistic Nurses Association Research Grant Award.

About AHNA

Founded 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 nonprofit professional nursing specialty 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 5,500 members through 152 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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