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Richard Cowling, III, PhD, RN, APRN-BC, AHN-BC, FAAN, ANEF
to Endnote the 2019 Annual Conference in Tulsa, Oklahoma

The American Holistic Nurses Association announces that Richard Cowling, III, PhD, RN, APRN-BC, AHN-BC, FAAN, ANEF, Editor of the Journal of Holistic Nursing, will be the Endnote at the 2019 annual conference in Tulsa, OK. The event will take place June 2-7, 2019 at the Hyatt Regency Tulsa with the theme of “Unifying Heart, Presence & Voice.”

About Richard Cowling

Richard is currently Editor of the Journal of Holistic Nursing and an executive leadership consultant in nursing education. Dr. Cowling’s most outstanding contributions to nursing have been in the area of unitary research and practice relevant to women’s survivorship of childhood abuse and depression. Dr. Cowling’s work is exemplified by the integration of theory, research, and practice from a unique unitary nursing perspective. His unitary appreciative inquiry praxis methodology has been used in a variety of projects to generate knowledge for the purposes of transformation and emancipation of participants in the support of healing. His most recent contribution to nursing science was a synthesis of his ideas into a conceptual model of unitary appreciative nursing. He has published and presented extensively through a variety of national and international venues.

Richard has a BS from the University of Virginia, an MS in Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing from Virginia Commonwealth University, a PhD in Nursing from New York University, and is certified as an advanced practice nurse in both mental health and holistic nursing. Richard has served as an educator, researcher, administrator, and practitioner in universities in Virginia, Ohio, South Carolina, and North Carolina. He was named the 2008 Holistic Nurse of the Year by the American Holistic Nurses Association and is a Fellow in the American Academy of Nursing and the National League for Nursing Academy of Nursing Education.
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 5,000 members through 146 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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