



Montana Statewide Nursing Education Summit

June 9-10, 2014



Great Northern Hotel Helena, MT

Summit Goal: *Develop a statewide nursing education model that maximizes academic progression towards BSN and graduate nursing degrees to meet the changing health care needs of Montanans.*

Monday June 9:

9:30 Registration and Coffee

10:00 **Opening Welcome:** Lt Governor Angela McLean

10:15 **Agenda Review and Meeting Guidelines:** Dr. Alyce Schultz, Consultant/Facilitator

10:30 **How Did We Get Here? Why are We Here?**

Mary Nielsen, MSN, RN, Co-lead of the Education Council of MT CAHN, Missoula College Program Director

Karen Vandaveer, RN, MN, Nursing Program Director, MT Tech of University of Montana

11:00 **Key Note Address: Academic Progression in Action across the Nation**

Tina Gerardi, MS, RN, CAE, Deputy Director for APIN, AONE (American Organization of Nurse Executives) Washington, DC

12:00 pm **State of Nursing Education in MT:** Dr. Cynthia Gustafson, Board of Nursing

12:15 **Results of MT Nurse Employer Survey:** Casey Blumenthal, Vice President, MHA

12:30 Lunch

1:15 **Results of Regional Meetings:** Dr. Rita Cheek and Kailyn Dorhauer

2:00 **Massachusetts Model: Partners with Practice and IOM Future of Nursing Competencies**

Pat Crombie, RN, MSN, MA APIN Project Director, MA Action Coalition

3:15 Break

3:30 **North Carolina Model: Regionally Increasing Baccalaureate Nurses (RIBN)**

Polly Johnson, RN, MSN, FAAN, NC APIN Project Director, NC Foundation for Nursing Excellence

4:45 What does tomorrow bring? Dr. Schultz

Tuesday June 10

8:00 – 12 noon Group Strategic Planning: Dr. Schultz

