



CACCN

The voice for Canadian Critical Care Nurses working in or having an interest in the critical care of: **neonatal, paediatric or adult patients**

Vision Statement: Critical care nursing practice is research based, in an environment committed to quality, holistic care, where optimal client/family outcomes are achieved through partnerships and appropriate use of resources.

Mission Statement: The CACCN is a non-profit, specialty organization dedicated to maintaining and enhancing the quality of care provided to critically ill clients and their families. CACCN serves its membership, the public and the critical care nursing community by meeting the professional and educational needs of critical care nurses. These needs are met by:

- developing and implementing standards of critical care nursing practice
- providing educational opportunities
- providing opportunities for networking
- identifying and addressing political and professional issues
- collaborating with other professional organizations

Benefits of Membership

Receipt of application in the National Office includes both national and local chapter membership, as well as the following:

- a subscription to the peer-reviewed journal of CACCN
- a copy of the CACCN Standards for Critical Care Nursing Practice
- publications such as CACCN's Annual Report and position statements
- awards and educational funds
- reduced conference fees at Chapter and National conferences
- various opportunities to accumulate continuing education hours