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## MISSION AND PRACTICES

### MISSION:

To support advanced-practice psychiatric-mental health nurses in promoting mental health care, literacy, and policy worldwide.

### PRACTICES:

The practices of the International Society of Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurses are to:

- Strengthen the presence and voice of advanced practice psychiatric-mental health (PMH) nurses through contributions to standards, curricula, and public policy statements that promote equitable quality mental health care for individuals, families and communities
- Promote advanced practice psychiatric nurses to deliver lifespan mental health care and literacy education to clients, families, and communities
- Promote members' research and the development of scholarship through funding, presentations, and publications
- Support members' efforts to collaborate with clients, families, communities, and national and international partners to address mental health issues
- Provide education, leadership development, and networking for members through conferences, online resources, service opportunities, and partnerships

### ISPN MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS:

- Annual international conference
- Annual business meeting
- *Connections* newsletter
- Subscription to *Archives of Psychiatric Nursing*
- Online searchable membership directory
- Website resources
- International networking
- Member Enews
- Member listserv
- Members-only section