



## APRN ADVOCACY

The Minnesota APRN Coalition

### Objectives

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Review Minnesota APRN Coalition mission and advocacy activities

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Identify personal advocacy strategies for individual APRNS

## Our Mission

The Minnesota APRN Coalition is dedicated to improving patient access to, and choice of, safe, cost-effective healthcare providers by removing statutory, regulatory, and institutional barriers that prevent APRNs from practicing at the highest level of their education



# Our Board

President

Vice President








Secretary

Treasurer

Directors

Student Representatives

MN APRN Coalition Activities to engage and strengthen the APRN community

-  Salary Survey
-  Growing membership
-  Educational Events Medical Cannabis, E-Cigs, Trans Health, Pesticides  
Annual Spring Pharmacology Review
-  Website
-  Open board meetings
-  Special Committees
-  Student Representatives

# 2019 Capitol Update

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## Legislative Work

Governmental Affairs (Lobbyist)

*Maureen O'Connell, JD*

- All year
- Maintaining
- Building relationships
- Educating
- Recognition of our role in healthcare delivery
  - What do the APRNs think?



## Our Position



MINNESOTA APRN COALITION

- APRNs included
  - New legislation, advisory groups, committees
- Does not threaten or set back any of the 4 roles
- Does not infringe on Full Practice Authority
- Bipartisan

## Upcoming Issues

Clean up

Compact

Opioids

Provider Tax

# Advocating 101



- All politics are local
- Best advocate is you
  - Offer to be a resource
- Be a joiner!
  - National organizations
  - State and specialty organizations
- Serve on boards or committees



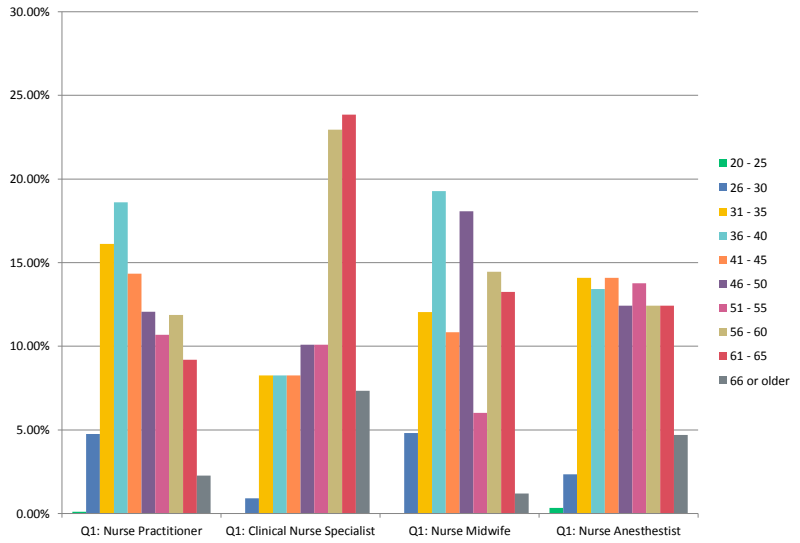
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Responded

124  
Completed

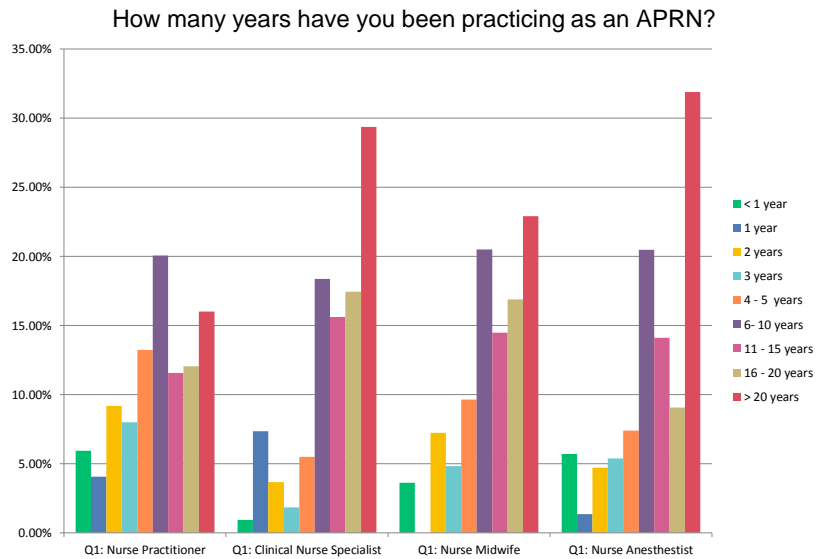
96%  
Female

95%  
Caucasian

APRN Age by Role

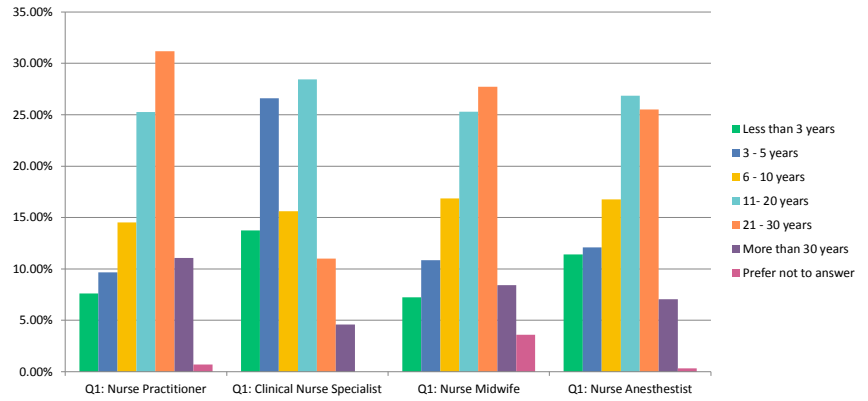


Years in practice



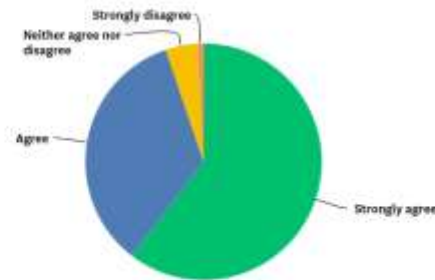
Years to retirement

How many more years do you plan on practicing as an APRN before you retire?



APRN Compact

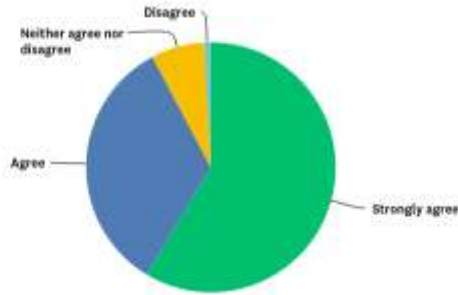
Q8 The APRN Compact allows an advanced practice registered nurse (APRN) to hold one multistate license with a privilege to practice in other compact states. The APRN Compact will be implemented when 10 states have enacted the legislation. Rate your agreement with the following statement Minnesota should join the APRN compact.



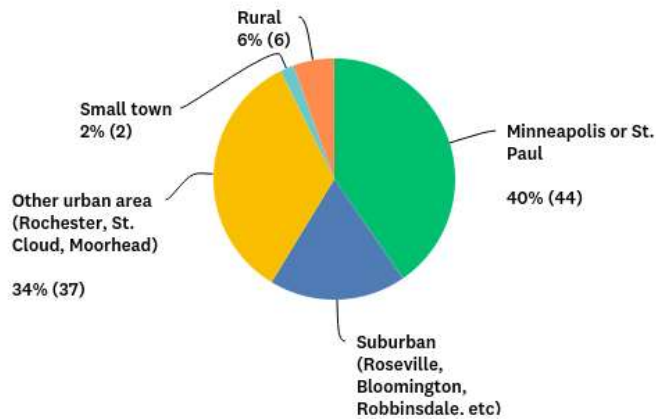


Enhanced  
RN Compact

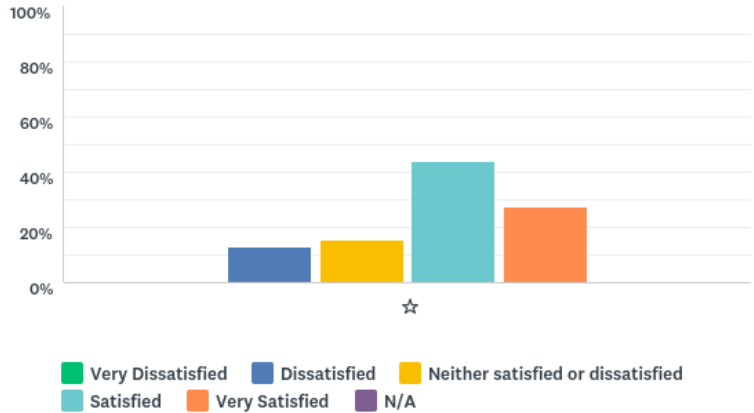
Q9 The enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact (eNLC), sometimes referred to as the RN Compact, allows RNs with a multistate license to practice physically, telephonically, or electronically in their home state and other eNLC states. Rate your agreement with the following statement: MN should belong to the Nurse Licensure Compact for RNs



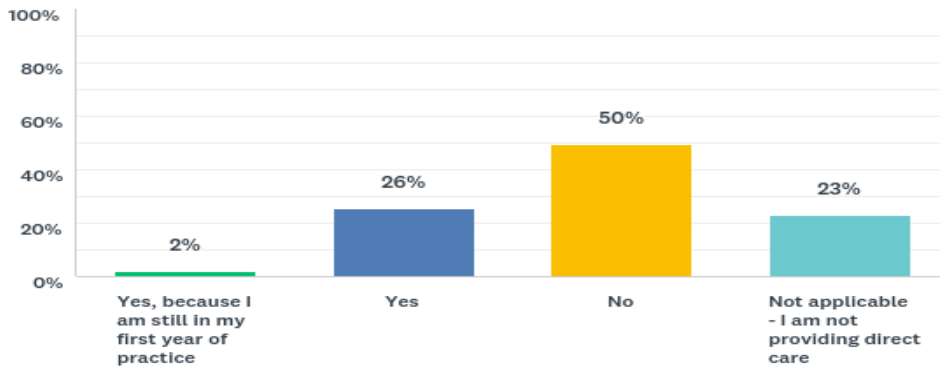
Employment Location



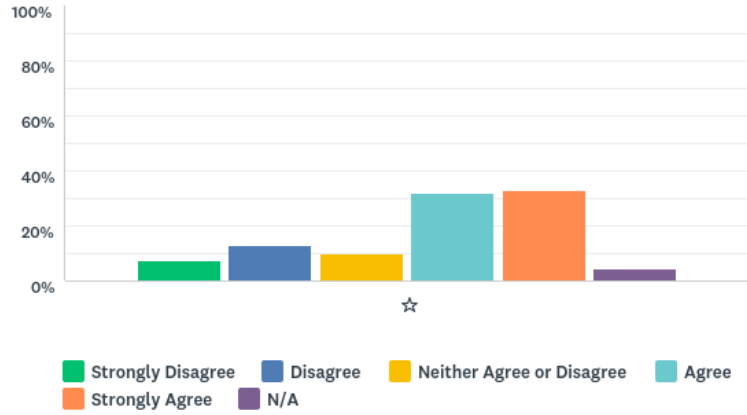
# Satisfaction with salary and benefits



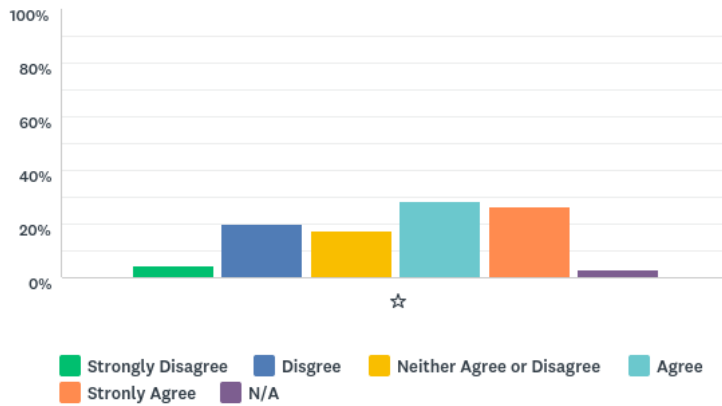
# Are you required to sign a collaborative agreement?



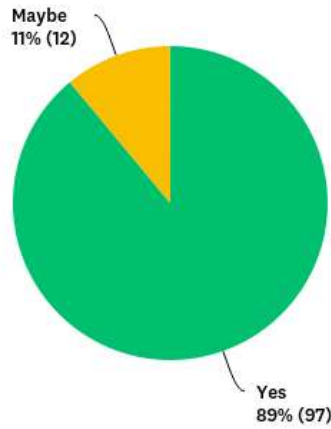
# I am allowed to practice to the fullest extent of my state's legal scope of practice



# My APRN skills are fully utilized



If you had to do it all over again, would you become an APRN?



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