

Inspiring Nurses. Empowering Professionals. Transforming Nursing Practice.

About Us

MISSION

To serve Doctors of Nursing Practice of Color through networking, mentorship, and advocacy to increase diversity in doctoral studies, clinical practice, and leadership.

VISION

To inspire, empower, and transform the landscape of nursing by increasing diversity in doctoral nursing practice.

OBJECTIVES

- To create opportunities for engagement in academia, research and clinical practice
- To advocate for educational support for DNPs of Color
- To serve as mentors and guide nurses of color to pursue doctor of nursing practice studies

HISTORY

Launched in 2020, in response to the lack of community for nurses of color that had or in pursuit of the DNP degree. Today, DOCs has over 2,000 members internationally. DNPs of Color serves as a source of support, encouragement, inspiration, validation, and most importantly a safe space. Members have garnered mentorships, fostered numerous connections, and networking opportunities.

OUR TEAM

- 7-Board of Directors
- 13-Advisory Committee Members
- 6-Committees:
 - Antiracism/DEI & Advocacy in Nursing
 - Finance
 - Governance
 - Programming
 - Research
 - Social Media/Marketing

WAYS TO SUPPORT

- Donate funds, time, or resources
- Join our team or membership
- Partner or sponsor events
- Collaborate on initiatives where there is mission overlap

OUR IMPACT

- Annual Virtual Commencement
- Annual Conference & Events
- Private Facebook & LinkedIN networking groups
- Mentorship

-Coming Soon

- DOCs Institute
 - Post-DNP Research Fellowship
 - Post-DNP Faculty of Color Fellowship
 - Post-DNP Clinician & Leadership
 Fellowship
- Journal of DNPs of Color
- DNP pipeline/pathway programs

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