

ANNA

The Year in ANNA History **Looking Back: 1998-1999**



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The Year in Review

- *The Standards and Guidelines of Clinical Practice for Nephrology Nursing* were revised.
- *The Scope of Advanced Practice in Nephrology Nursing* was developed.
- ANNA collaborated with other renal-related groups (RPA, ASN, NKF, HCFA, Renal Coalition) on numerous projects.
- The Leadership '99 Meeting was held for incoming volunteer leaders on local, regional, and national levels.
- A comprehensive Association Assessment was conducted, including operational, business and financial evaluations and recommendations.
- The following positions were approved: A full-time Executive Director, combined Clinical Practice and Research Consultant, Assistant Director of Professional Development, and Leadership Development Consultant.
- The Association renewed its successful relationship with Jannetti, Inc.
- The following project directors were named: Dr. Nancy Hoffart for ANNA's 1999 Research Project; Dr. Larry Lancaster for the revision of the *Core Curriculum for Nephrology Nursing*; and Leanne Dekker for *Essentials for Nephrology Nursing Practice*.
- Eileen Meier was appointed Legislative Consultant while ANNA's Legislative Services were restructured.
- The Clinical Practice Committee formed two subcommittees: Disaster Management and Ethics.
- A successful 30th Anniversary National Symposium was celebrated in Baltimore.

