



ANNA Publications Committee

What does the Publications Committee do?

The Publications Committee coordinates the identification of an editor for the development and timely revision of ANNA textbook publications such as the Core Curriculum for Nephrology Nursing and Contemporary Nephrology Nursing. Assists with additional publication activities, such as webinars or podcasts, as requested by the Board of Directors (BOD). Collaborates with the education related committees (Conferences, Research and Publications) and Director of Education Services to provide education content for ANNA.

Are there specific qualifications to be on the committee?

Qualifications for the committee include:

- Full member of ANNA for at least one (1) year.
- Baccalaureate degree with BSN preferred.
- Practice in nephrology nursing for more than two (2) years.
- Current certification in nephrology nursing is preferred.

Additional knowledge and skills include:

- Experience in planning CNE activities.
- Knowledge of current nephrology patient care and nephrology nursing issues and trends.
- Knowledge of software and access to computer-facilitated communication for email and word processing.

How long is the commitment for this role?

- Members serve for a 2-year term; may be reappointed.

How/when does the committee meet?

The committee meets virtually for planning and updates.

What are the expectations of a committee member?

- Understands, upholds, and supports the mission, vision, objectives, policies, procedures, and strategic plan of ANNA.
- Participates in conference calls.
- Participates in the work of the committee as delegated by the BOD.
- Recognizes and advises the BOD Liaison of changing outside influences which may influence decisions by the BOD.
- Attends at least 75% of pre-scheduled conference calls or discusses ability to continue as an effective member with the Chairperson.

How much time, in general, is spent on committee work each month?

The time commitment varies but generally is not more than 1-2 hours per week. However, there are occasional periods when additional time is needed.